

GABA_A R α 3 (N-19): sc-7353

BACKGROUND

GAD-65 and GAD-67, glutamate decarboxylases function to catalyze the production of GABA (γ -aminobutyric acid). In the central nervous system GABA functions as the main inhibitory transmitter by increasing a Cl⁻ conductance that inhibits neuronal firing. GABA has been shown to activate both iono-tropic (GABA_A) and metabotropic (GABA_B) receptors as well as a third class of receptors called GABA_C. Both GABA_A and GABA_C are ligand-gated ion channels, however, they are structurally and functionally distinct. Members of the GABA_A receptor family include GABA_A R α 1-6, GABA_A R β 1-3, GABA_A R γ 1-3, GABA_A R δ , GABA_A R ϵ , GABA_A R ρ 1 and GABA_A R ρ 2. The GABA_B family is composed of GABA_B R1 α and GABA_B R1 β . GABA transporters have also been identified and include GABA T-1, GABA T-2 and GABA T-3 (also designated GAT-1, -2, and -3). The GABA transporters function to terminate GABA action.

REFERENCES

1. Nelson, H., et al. 1990. Cloning of the human brain GABA transporter. FEBS Lett. 269: 181-184.
2. Cherubini, E., et al. 1991. GABA: an excitatory transmitter in early postnatal life. Trends Neurosci. 14: 515-519.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: GABRA3 (human) mapping to Xq28; Gabra3 (mouse) mapping to X A7.3.

SOURCE

GABA_A R α 3 (N-19) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the N-terminus of GABA_A R α 3 of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μ g IgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-7353 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

GABA_A R α 3 (N-19) is recommended for detection of GABA_A R α 3 of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000). GABA_A R α 3 (N-19) is also recommended for detection of GABA_A R α 3 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

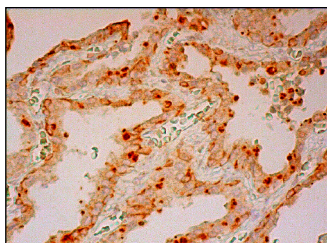
Suitable for use as control antibody for GABA_A R α 3 siRNA (h): sc-42429, GABA_A R α 3 siRNA (m): sc-42430, GABA_A R α 3 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-42429-SH, GABA_A R α 3 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-42430-SH, GABA_A R α 3 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42429-V and GABA_A R α 3 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42430-V.

Molecular Weight of GABA_A R α 3: 55-61 kDa.

RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2020 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker[™] compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:5000), Cruz Marker[™] Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, TBS Blotto A Blocking Reagent: sc-2333 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunofluorescence: use donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz[™] Mounting Medium: sc-24941. 3) Immunohistochemistry: use ImmunoCruz[™]: sc-2053 or ABC: sc-2023 goat IgG Staining Systems.

DATA



GABA_A R α 3 (N-19): sc-7353. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human seminal vesicle tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of glandular cells.

STORAGE

Store at 4° C, ****DO NOT FREEZE****. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

RESEARCH USE

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PROTOCOLS

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