

# TAF II p170 (C-18): sc-7376

## BACKGROUND

TFIID is a general transcription factor which initiates preinitiation complex assembly through direct interaction with the TATA promoter element. It is a multisubunit complex consisting of a small TATA-binding polypeptide and other TBP-associated factors (TAFs). Although native TFIID can mediate both activator-independent (basal) and activator-dependent transcription in reconstituted systems, TBP can mediate only basal transcription. The largest subunit (TAF) of TFIID is a protein designated TAF II p250. B-TFIID is an initial factor composed of TBP and TAF II p170 that has been identified as a Pol II transcription factor. TAF II p170 has been shown to have potent (d)ATPase activity.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: BTF1 (human) mapping to 10q23.32.

## SOURCE

TAF II p170 (C-18) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of TAF II p170 of human origin.

## PRODUCT

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-7376 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

Available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-7376 X, 200 µg/0.1 ml.

## APPLICATIONS

TAF II p170 (C-18) is recommended for detection of TAF II p170 of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

TAF II p170 (C-18) is also recommended for detection of TAF II p170 in additional species, including equine, canine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for TAF II p170 siRNA (h): sc-38500, TAF II p170 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-38500-SH and TAF II p170 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-38500-V.

TAF II p170 (C-18) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

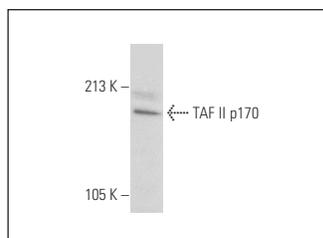
Molecular Weight of TAF II p170: 170 kDa.

Positive Controls: HEK293 whole cell lysate: sc-45136 or F2408 whole cell lysate.

## 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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) 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.

## DATA



TAF II p170 (C-18): sc-7376. Western blot analysis of TAF II p170 expression in HEK293 whole cell lysate.

## STORAGE

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

## RESEARCH USE

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.