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# NSF (C-5): sc-74457



## BACKGROUND

Syntaxins were originally thought to be docking proteins, but have more recently been categorized as anchoring proteins that anchor themselves to the cytoplasmic surfaces of cellular membranes. Syntaxins have been shown to bind to various proteins involved in exocytosis, including VAMPs (vesicle-associated membrane proteins), NSF (N-ethylmaleimide-sensitive factor), SNAP 25 (synaptosomal-associated protein of 25kDa), SNAPs (soluble NSF attachment proteins) and synaptotagmin. VAMPs, also designated synaptobrevins, including VAMP-1 and VAMP-2, and synaptotagmin, a protein that may function as an inhibitor of exocytosis, are vesicular proteins. SNAPs, including  $\alpha$ - and  $\gamma$ -SNAP, are cytoplasmic proteins that bind to a membrane receptor complex composed of VAMP, SNAP 25 and syntaxin. SNAPs mediate the membrane binding of NSF, which is essential for membrane fusion reactions.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: NSF (human) mapping to 17q21.31; Nsf (mouse) mapping to 11 E1.

#### SOURCE

NSF (C-5) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-300 mapping near the N-terminus of NSF of human origin.

# PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  IgG\_{2a} kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with <0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

#### STORAGE

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

# PROTOCOLS

See our web site at www.scbt.com for detailed protocols and support products.

## APPLICATIONS

NSF (C-5) is recommended for detection of NSF of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for NSF siRNA (h): sc-36101, NSF siRNA (m): sc-36102, NSF siRNA (r): sc-156016, NSF shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36101-SH, NSF shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36102-SH, NSF shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-156016-SH, NSF shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36101-V, NSF shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36102-V and NSF shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-156016-V.

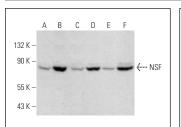
Molecular Weight of NSF: 76 kDa.

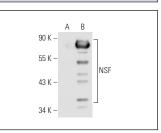
Positive Controls: Neuro-2A whole cell lysate: sc-364185, EOC 20 whole cell lysate: sc-364187 or NSF (m): 293T Lysate: sc-125721.

#### **RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgGκ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 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 m-IgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgGκ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

#### DATA





NSF (C-5): sc-74457. Western blot analysis of NSF expression in MIA PaCa-2 (A), IMR-32 (B), EOC 20 (C), Neuro-2A (D), C6 (E) and RIN-m5F (F) whole cell lysates.

NSF (C-5): sc-74457. Western blot analysis of NSF expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (**A**) and mouse NSF transfected: sc-125721 (**B**) 293T whole cell lysates.

### **RESEARCH USE**

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