# spectrin β II (C-19): sc-7468



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### **BACKGROUND**

Spectrin is an Actin-binding protein that is a major component of the cytoskeletal superstructure of the erythrocyte plasma membrane. Spectrins function as membrane organizers and stabilizers by forming dimers, tetramers and higher polymers. Spectrin  $\alpha$  I and spectrin  $\beta$  I are present in erythrocytes, whereas spectrin  $\alpha$  II (also designated fodrin  $\alpha$ ) and spectrin  $\beta$  II (also designated fodrin  $\beta$ ) are present in other somatic cells. The spectrin tetramers in erythrocytes act as barriers to lateral diffusion, but spectrin dimers seem to lack this function. Spectrin  $\beta$  II, which is involved in secretion, interacts with calmodulin in a calcium-dependent manner and is thus a candidate for the calcium-dependent movement of the cytoskeleton at the membrane. The human SPTBN1 gene maps to chromosome 2p16.2 and encodes the nonerythroid form of spectrin  $\beta$ .

## **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: SPTBN1 (human) mapping to 2p16.2; Spnb2 (mouse) mapping to 11 A3.3.

### **SOURCE**

spectrin  $\beta$  II (C-19) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of spectrin  $\beta$  II of human origin.

### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-7468 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## **APPLICATIONS**

spectrin  $\beta$  II (C-19) is recommended for detection of spectrin  $\beta$  II of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g 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).

spectrin  $\beta$  II (C-19) is also recommended for detection of spectrin  $\beta$  II in additional species, including canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for spectrin  $\beta$  II siRNA (h): sc-36551, spectrin  $\beta$  II siRNA (m): sc-36552, spectrin  $\beta$  II shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36551-SH, spectrin  $\beta$  II shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36552-SH, spectrin  $\beta$  II shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36551-V and spectrin  $\beta$  II shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36552-V.

Molecular Weight of spectrin β II: 240/270 kDa.

Positive Controls: rat brain extract: sc-2392, mouse brain extract: sc-2253 or SK-N-SH cell lysate: sc-2410.

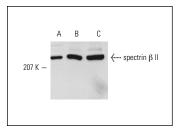
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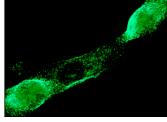
Store at 4° C, \*\*D0 NOT FREEZE\*\*. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

#### **RESEARCH USE**

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

#### **DATA**





spectrin  $\beta$  II (C-19): sc-7468. Western blot analysis of spectrin  $\beta$  II expression in SK-N-SH whole cell lysate (**A**) and mouse (**B**) and rat (**C**) brain extracts.

spectrin  $\beta$  II (C-19): sc-7468. Immunofluorescence staining of methanol-fixed SK-N-SH cells showing membrane and cytoplasmic staining.

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