# GAD-67 (N-19): sc-7512



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# **BACKGROUND**

There are two forms of glutamic acid decarboxylases (GADs) that are found in the brain: GAD-65 (also known as GAD2) and GAD-67 (also known as GAD1, GAD or SCP). GAD-65 and GAD-67 are members of the group II decarboxylase family of proteins and are responsible for catalyzing the rate limiting step in the production of GABA ( $\gamma$ -aminobutyric acid) from L-glutamic acid. Although both GADs are found in the brain, GAD-65 localizes to synaptic vesicle membranes in nerve terminals, while GAD-67 is distributed throughout the cell. GAD-67 is responsible for the basal levels of GABA synthesis. In the case of a heightened demand for GABA in neurotransmission, GAD-65 will transiently activate to assist in GABA production. The loss of GAD-65 is detrimental and can impair GABA neurotransmission, however the loss of GAD-67 is lethal. Due to alternative splicing, two isoforms exist for GAD-67: the predominant GAD-67 form and the minor GAD-25 form. GAD-25 is not expressed in brain but can be found in a variety of endocrine tissues.

# CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: GAD1 (human) mapping to 2q31.1; Gad1 (mouse) mapping to 2 C2.

#### SOURCE

GAD-67 (N-19) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the N-terminus of GAD-67 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-7512 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

# **APPLICATIONS**

GAD-67 (N-19) is recommended for detection of GAD-67 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), 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).

GAD-67 (N-19) is also recommended for detection of GAD-67 in additional species, including bovine and feline.

Suitable for use as control antibody for GAD-67 siRNA (h): sc-35435, GAD-67 siRNA (m): sc-35436, GAD-67 siRNA (r): sc-61889, GAD-67 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-35435-SH, GAD-67 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-35436-SH, GAD-67 shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-61889-SH, GAD-67 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35435-V, GAD-67 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35436-V and GAD-67 shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-61889-V.

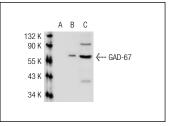
Molecular Weight of GAD-67: 67 kDa.

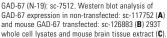
Positive Controls: U-87 MG cell lysate: sc-2411, GAD-67 (m): 293T Lysate: sc-126883 or mouse brain extract: sc-2253.

#### **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. 4) Immunohistochemistry: use ImmunoCruz™: sc-2053 or ABC: sc-2023 goat IgG Staining Systems.

# **DATA**







GAD-67 (N-19): sc-7512. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human prostate 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**

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

# **PROTOCOLS**

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



Try GAD-67 (F-6): sc-28376 or GAD-67 (A-4): sc-390383, our highly recommended monoclonal aternatives to GAD-67 (N-19). Also, for AC, HRP, FITC, PE, Alexa Fluor® 488 and Alexa Fluor® 647 conjugates, see GAD-67 (F-6): sc-28376.

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