

SP-B (C-20)-R: sc-7702-R

BACKGROUND

Pulmonary surfactant is primarily responsible for lowering the surface tension at the air-liquid interface in the alveoli, a process that is essential for normal respiration. Pulmonary surfactant is a mixture of phospholipids and proteins, including four distinct surfactant-associated proteins (SPs), SP-A, SP-B, SP-C and SP-D. SP-B and SP-C are predominantly hydrophobic proteins that associate with lipids to promote the absorption of surfactant phospholipids and to reduce the surface tension in the alveoli. SP-A and SP-D are large multimeric proteins belonging to the family of calcium-dependent lectins, designated collectins, which contribute to the innate immune system. Both SP-A and SP-D have been shown to protect against microbial challenge through binding to the lipid components of the bacterial cell wall and facilitating the rapid removal of microbes.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SFTPB (human) mapping to 2p11.2; Sftpb (mouse) mapping to 6 C1.

SOURCE

SP-B (C-20)-R is an affinity purified rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of SP-B 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-7702 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

STORAGE

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

PROTOCOLS

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APPLICATIONS

SP-B (C-20)-R is recommended for detection of SP-B of human and, to a lesser extent, mouse and rat 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), 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).

SP-B (C-20)-R is also recommended for detection of SP-B in additional species, including canine and bovine.

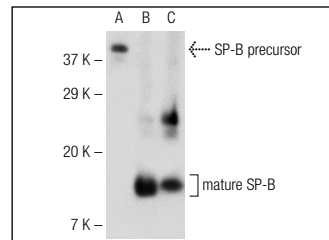
Suitable for use as control antibody for SP-B siRNA (h): sc-36537, SP-B siRNA (m): sc-36538, SP-B shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36537-SH, SP-B shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36538-SH, SP-B shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36537-V and SP-B shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36538-V.

Molecular Weight of SP-B precursor: 43 kDa.

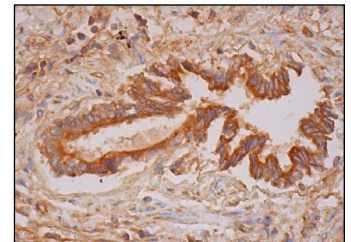
Molecular Weight of mature SP-B: 9 kDa.

Positive Controls: WI-38 whole cell lysate: sc-364260 or A549 cell lysate: sc-2413.

DATA



SP-B (C-20)-R: sc-7702-R. Western blot analysis of SP-B expression in A549 whole cell lysate (A) and mouse lung (B) and rat lung (C) tissue extracts.



SP-B (C-20)-R: sc-7702-R. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human bronchus tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of respiratory epithelial cells and extracellular staining of connective tissue.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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RESEARCH USE

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