

RDH12 (S-14): sc-79022

BACKGROUND

Retinol dehydrogenase 11 (RDH12), also known as *all-trans* and *9-cis* retinol dehydrogenase, LCA3, LCA13 or SDR7C2, is a 316 amino acid protein belonging to the short-chain dehydrogenases/reductases (SDR) family. Widely expressed, mostly in eye, kidney, brain, skeletal muscle and stomach, RDH12 exhibits an oxidoreductive catalytic activity towards retinoids. RDH12 is an efficient NADPH-dependent retinal reductase and displays high activity toward *9-cis* and *all-trans*-retinol. RDH12 is involved in the metabolism of short-chain aldehydes and may be a key enzyme in the formation of 11-*cis*-retinal from 11-*cis*-retinol during regeneration of the cone visual pigments. Leber congenital amaurosis (LCA) type 3, an inherited autosomal recessive retinal disease, has been associated with defects of RDH12. LCA represents the most common genetic cause of congenital visual impairment in infants and children.

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STORAGE

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

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: *Rdh12* (mouse) mapping to 12 C3; *Rdh12* (rat) mapping to 6q24.

SOURCE

RDH12 (S-14) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of RDH12 of mouse 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-79022 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

APPLICATIONS

RDH12 (S-14) is recommended for detection of RDH12 of mouse and rat origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), 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 RDH12 siRNA (m): sc-76379, RDH12 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-76379-SH and RDH12 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-76379-V.

Molecular Weight of RDH12: 35 kDa.

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) 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.

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

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