# TIM-4 (M-17): sc-79143



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#### **BACKGROUND**

TIM-4 (T cell immunoglobulin and mucin domain containing 4), also known as SMUCKLER or TIMD4, is a 378 amino acid single-pass type I membrane protein that contains one Ig-like (immunoglobulin-like) V-type domain and belongs to the immunoglobulin superfamily. Expressed predominately in lymphoid tissues, such as spleen, TIM-4 interacts with TIM-1 and is thought to function as a phosphatidylserine receptor, possibly playing a role in apoptotic cell uptake and T cell proliferation, indicating potential involvement in immune system regulation. The gene encoding TIM-4 maps to human chromosome 5, which contains 181 million base pairs and comprises nearly 6% of the human genome. Deletion of the p arm of chromosome 5 leads to Cri du chat syndrome, while deletion of the q arm or of chromosome 5 altogether is common in therapy-related acute myelogenous leukemias and myelodysplastic syndrome.

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# CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Timd4 (mouse) mapping to 11 B1.1.

## **RESEARCH USE**

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

#### **SOURCE**

TIM-4 (M-17) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within a C-terminal cytoplasmic domain of TIM-4 of mouse origin.

#### **PRODUCT**

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

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-79143 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

#### **APPLICATIONS**

TIM-4 (M-17) is recommended for detection of TIM-4 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 TIM-4 siRNA (m): sc-76665, TIM-4 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-76665-SH and TIM-4 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-76665-V.

Molecular Weight of TIM-4: 42 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) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

#### **STORAGE**

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

### **PROTOCOLS**

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