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# Mitofilin (C-20): sc-79633



### BACKGROUND

Cristae are highly folded inner mitochondrial membrane compartments that are studded with cytochromes and ATP synthase proteins and function to provide a large surface area upon which cellular respiration can occur. Mitofilin, also known as IMMT, HMP, PIG4 or P87/89, is a 758 amino acid inner mitochondrial membrane protein that is preferentially expressed in heart tissue. Existing as three alternatively spliced isoforms, Mitofilin functions to control mitochondrial cristae morphology, including the formation and organization of cristae junctions and normal tubular cristae. Due to its role in mediating cristae structure and function, Mitofilin is essential for normal mitochondrial function and is, thus, critical to overall cell survival.

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#### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: IMMT (human) mapping to 2p11.2; Immt (mouse) mapping to 6 C3.

#### SOURCE

Mitofilin (C-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of Mitofilin of human origin.

# **RESEARCH USE**

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

# 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-79633 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

# **APPLICATIONS**

Mitofilin (C-20) is recommended for detection of Mitofilin of mouse, rat and human 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).

Mitofilin (C-20) is also recommended for detection of Mitofilin in additional species, including bovine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for Mitofilin siRNA (h): sc-75791, Mitofilin siRNA (m): sc-75792, Mitofilin shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-75791-SH, Mitofilin shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-75792-SH, Mitofilin shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-75791-V and Mitofilin shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-75792-V.

Molecular Weight of Mitofilin isoforms: 88/90 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) Immunofluo-rescence: 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.

#### **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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