

Orexin R-1 (R-20): sc-8073

BACKGROUND

The hypothalamus is essential for maintaining homeostasis by integrating the vertebrate endocrine and nervous systems, thereby controlling temperature, thirst and hunger. Orexin-A and Orexin-B (also designated hypocretins) are hypothalamic neuropeptides that are derived from a single precursor, prepro-orexin, by proteolytic processing. These peptides bind to and activate two closely related, G protein-coupled receptors, designated Orexin receptor-1 and Orexin receptor-2. Orexin-A protein and prepro-orexin mRNA are localized to neurons within the lateral section of the hypothalamus, designated the "feeding center". Prepro-orexin mRNA is up-regulated during fasting, suggesting that orexins may play a role in the central feedback mechanism that regulates feeding behavior. Orexin has been shown to increase the release of GABA and glutamate from axons, a response seen as a result of most synaptic activities in the hypothalamic region.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: HCRTR1 (human) mapping to 1p35.2; Hcrtr1 (mouse) mapping to 4 D2.2.

SOURCE

Orexin R-1 (R-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of Orexin R-1 of rat 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-8073 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.

APPLICATIONS

Orexin R-1 (R-20) is recommended for detection of Orexin R-1 of mouse, rat and human 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) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Orexin R-1 siRNA (h): sc-36131, Orexin R-1 siRNA (m): sc-36132, Orexin R-1 siRNA (r): sc-61898, Orexin R-1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36131-SH, Orexin R-1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36132-SH, Orexin R-1 shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-61898-SH, Orexin R-1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36131-V, Orexin R-1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36132-V and Orexin R-1 shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-61898-V.

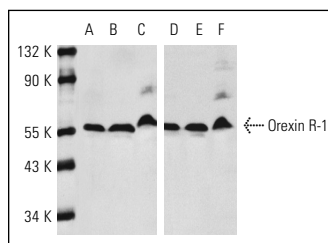
Molecular Weight of Orexin R-1: 56 kDa.

Positive Controls: SK-N-SH cell lysate: sc-2410, SK-N-MC cell lysate: sc-2237 or mouse brain extract: sc-2253.

RESEARCH USE

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

DATA



Western blot analysis of Orexin R-1 expression in SK-N-SH (A,D), SK-N-MC (B,E) whole cell lysates and mouse brain (C,F) extract. Antibodies tested include Orexin R-1 (C-19): sc-8072 (A-C) and Orexin R-1 (R-20): sc-8073 (D-F).

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