

nebulin (C-20): sc-8082

BACKGROUND

Caldesmon, filamin 1, nebulin and villin are differentially expressed and regulated actin binding proteins. Both muscular (CDh) and non-muscular (CDI) forms of caldesmon have been identified and each has been shown to bind to actin as well as to calmodulin and myosin. CDh is expressed predominantly on thin filaments in smooth muscle, whereas CDI is widely expressed in non-muscle tissues and cells. Filamin 1, which is ubiquitously expressed and exists as a homodimer, functions to crosslink actin to filaments. Nebulin is a large filamentous protein specific to muscle tissue that may function as a ruler for filament length. Several isoforms of nebulin are produced by alternative exon usage. Villin is Ca²⁺-regulated and is the major structural component of the brush border of absorptive cells.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: NEB (human) mapping to 2q23.3; LASP1 (human) mapping to 17q12.

SOURCE

Nebulin (C-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of nebulin 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-8082 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

RESEARCH USE

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

APPLICATIONS

Nebulin (C-20) is recommended for detection of Nebulin and LASP-1 of human origin by 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); may cross-react with PACSIN1, PACSIN2 and PACSIN3.

Nebulin (C-20) is also recommended for detection of Nebulin and LASP-1 in additional species, including equine, bovine and avian.

Molecular Weight of Nebulin: 700-900 kDa.

RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) 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.

STORAGE

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

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