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CAD (FL-338): sc-8342



BACKGROUND

The Ced/ICE or caspase family of cysteine proteases plays a pivotol role in mediating apoptosis through the proteolysis of specific targets. Among the targets are poly(ADP-ribose) polymerase (PARP), Gelsolin, DFF-45 (also designated ICAD, for inhibitor of CAD) and the nuclear lamins. CAD (caspase-activated deoxyribonuclease), also designated CPAN (caspase-activated nuclease) and DFF40, is a DNase that is responsible for DNA degradation during apoptosis. CAD is inhibited by DFF45/ICAD. Caspase-3 acts to dissociate CAD from ICAD, allowing CAD to enter the nucleus and degrade DNA.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: DFFB (human) mapping to 1p36.32; Dffb (mouse) mapping to 4 E2.

SOURCE

CAD (FL-338) is a rabbit polyclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-338 representing full length CAD 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.

APPLICATIONS

CAD (FL-338) is recommended for detection of CAD 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 CAD siRNA (h): sc-29871, CAD siRNA (m): sc-29872, CAD shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29871-SH, CAD shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-29872-SH, CAD shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29871-V and CAD shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29872-V.

Molecular Weight of CAD: 40 kDa.

Positive Controls: K-562 nuclear extract: sc-2130, Jurkat nuclear extract: sc-2132 or RAW 309 Cr.1 cell lysate: sc-3814.

STORAGE

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

DATA



CAD (FL-338): sc-8342. Western blot analysis of CAD expression in RAW 309 Cr.1 whole cell lysate.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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