SANTA CRUZ BIOTECHNOLOGY, INC.

PSD-95 (C-20): sc-8575

SANTA CRUZ BIOTECHNOLOGY

The Power to Question

BACKGROUND

The *Drosophila* discs large (dlg) tumor suppressor gene was first identified in *Drosophila* through genetic analysis of germline mutations. Several mammalian homologs were subsequently identified and categorized into a protein family termed MAGUK (membrane-associated guanylate kinase homolog). Human homologs of dlg include hdlg-1 (rat SAP 97) and NE-dlg (neuronal and endocrine dlg). The rat synaptic protein PSD-95 (also designated SAP 90) also shares homology with these proteins. MAGUKs are localized at the membrane-cytoskeleton interface and contain several distinct domains which suggest a role for these proteins in intracellular signal transduction. Interaction of hdlg-1 and NE-dlg with the tumor suppresor protein APC suggest that MAGUK proteins may also play a role in regulation of growth.

REFERENCES

1. Gateff, E. and Mechler, B.M. 1989. Tumor-suppressor genes of *Drosophila melanogaster*. Crit. Rev. Oncog. 1: 221-245.
2. Cho, K.O., et al. 1992. The rat brain postsynaptic density fraction contains a homolog of the *Drosophila* discs-large tumor suppressor protein. Neuron 9: 929-942.
3. Stehle, T. and Schulz, G.E. 1992. Refined structure of the complex between guanylate kinase and its substrate GMP at 2.0 α resolution. J. Mol. Biol. 224: 1127-1141.
4. Woods, D.F. and Bryant, P.J. 1993. ZO-1, DlgA and PSD-95/SAP90: homologous proteins in tight, septate and synaptic cell junctions. Mech. Dev. 44: 85-89.
5. Lue, R.A., et al. 1994. Cloning and characterization of hdlg: the human homologue of the *Drosophila* discs large tumor suppressor binds to protein 4.1. Proc. Natl. Acad. Sci. USA 91: 9818-9822.
6. Muller, B.M., et al. 1995. Molecular characterization and spatial distribution of SAP97, a novel presynaptic protein homologous to SAP90 and the *Drosophila* discs-large tumor suppressor protein. J. Neurosci. 15: 2354-2356.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: DLG4 (human) mapping to 17p13.1; Dlg4 (mouse) mapping to 11 B3.

SOURCE

PSD-95 (C-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping at the C-terminus of PSD-95 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-8575 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

PSD-95 (C-20) is recommended for detection of PSD-95 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).

PSD-95 (C-20) is also recommended for detection of PSD-95 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for PSD-95 siRNA (h): sc-42010, PSD-95 siRNA (m): sc-42012, PSD-95 siRNA (r): sc-270159, PSD-95 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-42010-SH, PSD-95 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-42012-SH, PSD-95 shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-270159-SH, PSD-95 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42010-V, PSD-95 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42012-V and PSD-95 shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-270159-V.

Molecular Weight of PSD-95: 95 kDa.

Positive Controls: Rat brain extract: sc-2392 or mouse brain extract: sc-2253.

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) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

1. Liu, S.H., et al. 2006. Studying the protein organization of the postsynaptic density by a novel solid phase- and chemical cross-linking-based technology. Mol. Cell. Proteomics 5: 1019-1032.
2. Cheng, H.H., et al. 2006. Heavy chain of cytoplasmic dynein is a major component of the postsynaptic density fraction. J. Neurosci. Res. 84: 244-254.
3. Yen, Y.H., et al. 2011. A study of the spatial protein organization of the postsynaptic density isolated from porcine cerebral cortex and cerebellum. Mol. Cell. Proteomics 10: M110.007138.

STORAGE

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