

## D3DR (S-16): sc-9185

### BACKGROUND

The members of the G protein-coupled receptor family are distinguished by their slow transmitting response to ligand binding. These transmembrane proteins include the adrenergic, serotonin and dopamine receptors. The effect of the signaling molecule can be excitatory or inhibitory depending on the type of receptor to which it binds.  $\beta$ -adrenergic receptor bound to adrenaline activates adenylyl cyclase, while  $\alpha$ 2-adrenergic receptor bound to adrenaline inhibits adenylyl cyclase. The dopamine receptors are divided into two classes, D1 and D2, which differ in their functional characteristics in that D1 receptors stimulate adenylyl cyclase while D2 receptors inhibit adenylyl cyclase activity. Five different subtypes of dopamine receptor have been described to date. D1DR and D5DR belong to the D1 subclass, while D2DR, D3DR and D4DR belong to the D2 subclass.

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### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: DRD3 (human) mapping to 3q13.31; Drd3 (mouse) mapping to 16 B4.

### SOURCE

D3DR (S-16) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping within an internal region of D3DR of human origin.

### STORAGE

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

### PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-9185 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

### APPLICATIONS

D3DR (S-16) is recommended for detection of D3DR 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).

D3DR (S-16) is also recommended for detection of D3DR in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for D3DR siRNA (h): sc-35163, D3DR siRNA (m): sc-35164, D3DR shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-35163-SH, D3DR shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-35164-SH, D3DR shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35163-V and D3DR shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35164-V.

Molecular Weight of D3DR: 44 kDa.

Positive Controls: 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.

### RESEARCH USE

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

### PROTOCOLS

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