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CIR (A-20): sc-9470



BACKGROUND

Recombination signal binding protein J κ (RBP-J κ), also designated KBF2 or CBF1, is the mammalian homolog of the *Drosophila* suppressor of Hairless (Su(H)), a protein involved in the development of the peripheral nervous system. RBP-J κ is ubiquitously expressed in mammalian tissues and is involved in the regulation of gene expression. RBP-J κ has been shown to directly interact with the intracellular domain of the cell surface receptor Notch1. Proteolytically cleaved Notch1 translocates to the nucleus, where it binds to DNA-bound RBP-J κ and activates transcription of target genes. CIR (for CBF1 interacting corepressor) serves as a linker between RBP-J κ and the histone deacetylase complex by binding to SAP30 and to histone deacetylase. CIR binding to RBP-J κ results in transcriptional repression of Notch 1 target genes.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CIR1 (human) mapping to 2q31.1.

SOURCE

CIR (A-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of CIR of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μg lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-9470 P, (100 μ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

Available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-9470 X, 200 $\mu g/0.1$ ml.

APPLICATIONS

CIR (A-20) is recommended for detection of CIR of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ g 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 CIR siRNA (h): sc-38213, CIR shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-38213-SH and CIR shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-38213-V.

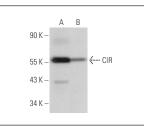
CIR (A-20) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

Positive Controls: K-562 whole cell lysate: sc-2203 or HEK293 whole cell lysate: sc-45136.

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) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) 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.





CIR (A-20): sc-9470. Western blot analysis of CIR expression in K-562 (**A**) and HEK293 (**B**) whole cell lysates.

STORAGE

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

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

See our web site at www.scbt.com or our catalog for detailed protocols and support products.