FMR1 (148.1): sc-101048



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BACKGROUND

Fragile X syndrome is the most frequent form of inherited mental retardation and is the result of transcriptional silencing of the FMR1 gene on the X chromosome. The FMR1 gene contains a distinct CpG dinucleotide repeat located in the 5'-untranslated region of the gene, and in the fragile X syndrome this tandem repeat is substantially amplified, and subjected to extensive methylation and enhanced transcriptional silencing. The FMR1 protein (or FMRP) is an RNA-binding protein that associates with polyribosomes and is a likely component of a messenger ribonuclear protein (mRNP) particle. FMR1 contains several features that are characteristics of RNA-binding proteins, including two hnRNPK homology (KH) domains and an RGG amino acid motif (RGG box). FMR1 can also interact with two fragile X syndrome related factors, FXR1 and FXR2, and these proteins form heterodimers through their N-terminal coiled-coil domains. FMR1 localizes to both the nucleus and the cytoplasm, and since it contains both a nuclear localization signal and a nuclear export signal it is also implicated in the nucleocytoplasmic transport of mRNAs.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: FMR1 (human) mapping to Xq27.3; Fmr1 (mouse) mapping to X A7.1.

SOURCE

FMR1 (148.1) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against a partial recombinant FMR1of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 100 μ g IgG₁ kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

APPLICATIONS

FMR1 (148.1) is recommended for detection of FMR1 of mouse, human and, to a lesser extent, rat 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)] and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for FMR1 siRNA (h): sc-36870, FMR1 siRNA (m): sc-36871, FMR1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36870-SH, FMR1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36871-SH, FMR1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36870-V and FMR1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36871-V.

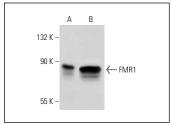
Molecular Weight of FMR1: 85 kDa.

Positive Controls: FMR1 (h): 293T Lysate: sc-115468, T98G cell lysate: sc-2294 or Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204.

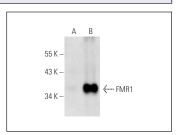
STORAGE

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

DATA







FMR1 (148.1): sc-101048. Western blot analysis of FMR1 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (**A**) and human FMR1 transfected: sc-115468 (**B**) 293T whole cell lysates. Detection reagent used: m-lgGk BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM.

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