# IL-13Rα1 (GM-1E7): sc-101382



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#### **BACKGROUND**

The Th2 cytokine interleukin-13 (IL-13) plays a critical role in allergen-induced airway hyper-responsiveness (AHR). Two different receptors exist for IL-13, designated IL-13R $\alpha$ 1 and 2. IL-13R $\alpha$ 1 exists as a heterodimer of IL-13R $\alpha$ 1 and IL-4R $\alpha$  as a signaling subunit, whereas IL-13R $\alpha$ 2 acts as a decoy receptor for IL-13. Furthermore, TNF $\alpha$  or IL-4 stimulation induces IL-13R $\alpha$ 2 upregulation, while IL-13R $\alpha$ 1 is constitutively expressed. Cell surface localization of IL-13R $\alpha$ 2 abrogates IL-13 signaling, thus IL-13 induced translocation of the receptor from the cytoplasm provides a mechanism for negative-feedback of IL-13 signaling. IL-13R $\alpha$ 1 expression is predominant in B cells, monocytes and T cells, whereas IL-13R $\alpha$ 2 expression is highest in glioma cells.

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# CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: IL13RA1 (human) mapping to Xq24.

# **SOURCE**

lL-13R $\alpha$ 1 (GM-1E7) is a mouse monoclonal antibody genetically immunized with cDNA encoding lL-13R $\alpha$ 1 extracellular domain 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.

#### **RESEARCH USE**

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

#### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g \ lg G_1$  kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with <0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

IL-13R $\alpha$ 1 (GM-1E7) is available conjugated to either phycoerythrin (sc-101382 PE) or fluorescein (sc-101382 FITC), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM.

# **APPLICATIONS**

<code>IL-13Ra1</code> (GM-1E7) is recommended for detection of <code>IL-13Ra1</code> of hman origin by immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500), flow cytometry (1  $\mu$ g per 1 x 10<sup>6</sup> cells) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for IL-13R $\alpha$ 1 siRNA (h): sc-63337, IL-13R $\alpha$ 1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-63337-SH and IL-13R $\alpha$ 1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-63337-V.

Molecular Weight of IL-13Rα1: 48 kDa.

#### **RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Immunofluorescence: use m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

# **SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS**

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#### **PROTOCOLS**

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