

dNT-1 (h): 293 Lysate: sc-110915

BACKGROUND

Deoxyribonucleotidases are catabolic proteins that regulate intracellular deoxyribonucleoside triphosphate pools through substrate cycles. The various substrate specificities of deoxyribonucleotidases suggests that these enzymes have different functions in nucleotide metabolism. For example, dNT-2 is a mitochondrial specific enzyme that regulates a thymidine/dTMP substrate cycle by catalyzing the dephosphorylation of 5'- and 2'(3')-phosphates of uracil and thymine, thereby regulating the size of the intramitochondrial dTTP pool. Human dNT-1 is a cytosolic enzyme that regulates pyrimidine nucleotide pools. Human dNT-2 contains a mitochondrial leader peptide, providing the structural basis for two-step processing during import into the mitochondrial matrix. Mitochondrial dNT-2 is 52% identical to cytosolic deoxyribonucleotidase (dNT-1) and the two enzymes share many catalytic properties, however dNT-2 shows a more narrow substrate specificity. The human dNT-2 gene maps to chromosome 17p11.2, which is also a critical region for the Smith-Magenis syndrome, suggesting that dNT-2 may be involved in the etiology of this hereditary disease.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: NT5C (human) mapping to 17q25.1

PRODUCT

dNT-1 (h): 293 Lysate represents a lysate of human dNT-1 transfected 293 cells and is provided as 100 µg protein in 200 µl SDS-PAGE buffer.

STORAGE

Store at -20° C. Repeated freezing and thawing should be minimized. Sample vial should be boiled once prior to use. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

PROTOCOLS

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

APPLICATIONS

dNT-1 (h): 293 Lysate is suitable as a Western Blotting positive control for human reactive dNT-1 antibodies. Recommended use: 10-20 µl per lane.

Control 293 Lysate: sc-110760 is available as a Western Blotting negative control lysate derived from non-transfected 293 cells.

RESEARCH USE

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