

MIP-1 α (h): 293T Lysate: sc-114143

BACKGROUND

Chemokines are members of a superfamily of small inducible, secreted, pro-inflammatory cytokines. Members of the chemokine family exhibit 20 to 50% homology in their predicted amino acid sequences and are divided into four subfamilies. In C-C (or β) subfamily, the first two cysteines are adjacent. C-C chemokines are chemoattractants and activators for monocytes and T cells. C-C subfamily members include macrophage inflammatory protein (MIP)-1 α , MIP-1 β , MIP-2, MIP-3 α , MIP-3 β , MIP-4, HCC-1, MIP-5 (or HCC-2), RANTES, MCP-1/2/3 (and the murine homologs JE and MARC), I-309, murine C10 and TCA3. Research has shown that MIP-1 β is more selective than MIP-1 α , primarily attracting CD4⁺ T lymphocytes, with a preference for T cells of the naive phenotype. MIP-1 α is a more potent lymphocyte chemoattractant than MIP-1 β and exhibits a broader range of chemoattractant specificities. It has been suggested that CD8⁺ T lymphocytes are involved in the control of HIV infection *in vivo* by the release of HIV-suppressive factors (HIV-SF). MIP-1 α has been identified as one of the major HIV-SFs produced by CD8⁺ T cells, along with MIP-1 β and RANTES. Recombinant human MIP-1 α acts as an inhibitor of different strains of HIV-1, HIV-2 and SIV infection in a dose-dependent manner.

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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.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CCL3 (human) mapping to 17q12.

PRODUCT

MIP-1 α (h): 293T Lysate represents a lysate of human MIP-1 α transfected 293T cells and is provided as 100 μ g protein in 200 μ l SDS-PAGE buffer.

APPLICATIONS

MIP-1 α (h): 293T Lysate is suitable as a Western Blotting positive control for human reactive MIP-1 α antibodies. Recommended use: 10-20 μ l per lane.

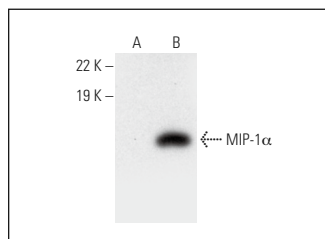
Control 293T Lysate: sc-117752 is available as a Western Blotting negative control lysate derived from non-transfected 293T cells.

MIP-1 α (F-8): sc-166911 is recommended as a positive control antibody for Western Blot analysis of enhanced human MIP-1 α expression in MIP-1 α transfected 293T cells (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1,000).

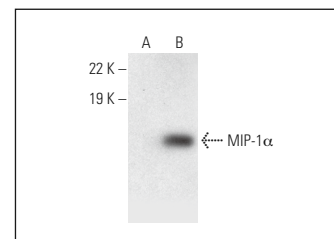
RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended:
1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG κ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048.

DATA



MIP-1 α (F-8): sc-166911. Western blot analysis of MIP-1 α expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and human MIP-1 α transfected: sc-114143 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.



MIP-1 α (E-2): sc-393899. Western blot analysis of MIP-1 α expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and human MIP-1 α transfected: sc-114143 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.

RESEARCH USE

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