# TSG-6 (h): 293T Lysate: sc-114157



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#### **BACKGROUND**

The TSG6 gene is transcribed in normal fibroblasts and activated by binding of the cytokines TNF $\alpha$  and IL-1 at AP-1 and NF-IL6 sites in its promoter. TSG-6 is a glycoprotein and a member of the hyaluronan-binding protein family, which includes cartilage link protein, proteoglycan core protein and the adhesion receptor CD44. TSG-6 is highly homologous to CD44, particularly in the hyalu-ronic acid-binding domain. TSG-6 is found in TNF-treated cells; its expression is rapidly activated by TNF $\alpha$ , IL-1 and lipopolysaccharide in normal fibroblasts, peripheral blood mononuclear cells, synovial cells and chondrocytes. The presence of TSG-6 in synovial fluid suggests a possible role in rheumatoid arthritis. TSG-6 forms a stable complex with components of the serine protease inhibitor, inter- $\alpha$ -inhibitor (I $\alpha$ I)). TSG-6 potentiates the inhibitory effect of I $\alpha$ I on the protease activity of plasmin. Through their cooperative inhibitory effect on plasmin, TSG-6 and I $\alpha$ I can modulate the protease network and thus inhibit inflammation.

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#### **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: TNFAIP6 (human) mapping to 2q23.3.

### **PRODUCT**

TSG-6 (h): 293T Lysate represents a lysate of human TSG-6 transfected 293T 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**

TSG-6 (h): 293T Lysate is suitable as a Western Blotting positive control for human reactive TSG-6 antibodies. Recommended use: 10-20 µl per lane.

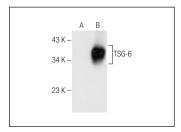
Control 293T Lysate: sc-117752 is available as a Western Blotting negative control lysate derived from non-transfected 293T cells.

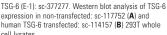
TSG-6 (E-1): sc-377277 is recommended as a positive control antibody for Western Blot analysis of enhanced human TSG-6 expression in TSG-6 transfected 293T cells (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1,000).

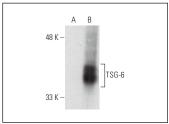
#### **RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

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

#### DATA







TSG-6 (E-1) HRP: sc-377277 HRP. Direct western blot analysis of TSG-6 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (**A**) and human TSG-6 transfected: sc-114157 (**B**) 2937 whole cell lysates.

#### **RESEARCH USE**

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