# RABAPTIN-5 (h): 293T Lysate: sc-115800



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# **BACKGROUND**

The Ras-related superfamily of guanine nucleotide binding proteins, which includes the R-Ras, Rap, Ral/Rec and Rho/Rab subfamilies, exhibits 30-60% homology with Ras p21. Accumulating data suggests an important role for Rab proteins, either in endocytosis or in biosynthetic protein transport. The transport of newly synthesized proteins from the endoplasmic reticulum to various stacks of the Golgi complex and to secretory vesicles involves at each stage the movement of carrier vesicles, a process that appears to involve Rab protein function. Rab proteins are also an integral part of endocytic pathways. For example, Rab 5 is a potent regulator of endocytic transport that is localized to the plasma membrane, clatherin coated pits and early endosomes. A possible downstream effector of Rab 5, designated RABAPTIN-5, is a coiled-coil protein that physically associates with Rab 5. Immunodepletion of RABAPTIN-5 strongly inhibits Rab 5-dependent early endosome fusion and may be required for membrane docking and fusion.

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# **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: RABEP1 (human) mapping to 17p13.2.

#### **PRODUCT**

RABAPTIN-5 (h): 293T Lysate represents a lysate of human RABAPTIN-5 transfected 293T cells and is provided as 100  $\mu$ g protein in 200  $\mu$ l SDS-PAGE buffer.

#### **APPLICATIONS**

RABAPTIN-5 (h): 293T Lysate is suitable as a Western Blotting positive control for human reactive RABAPTIN-5 antibodies. Recommended use:  $10\text{-}20~\mu l$  per lane.

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

# **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.

# **RESEARCH USE**

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

# **PROTOCOLS**

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