# ASA (m): 293T Lysate: sc-118578



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## **BACKGROUND**

ASA (arylsulfatase A), also known as cerebroside-sulfatase, ARSA or MLD, is a 507 amino acid lysosomal protein that belongs to the sulfatase family. Functioning as a homodimer at a neutral pH and as a homooctamer at an acidic pH, ASA uses magnesium as a cofactor to catalyze the H<sub>2</sub>O-dependent hydrolysis of cerebroside 3-sulfate to cerebroside and sulfate. Defects in the gene encoding ASA are a cause of metachromatic leukodystrophy (MLD), an intralysosomal storage disease that is characterized by ataxias, dementia, seizures, spastic tetraparesis and, ultimately, death. Additionally, defects in ASA activity are associated with multiple sulfatase deficiency (MSD), a disorder that results in decreased activity of all known sulfatases and is generally characterized by metachromatic leukodystrophy, mucopolysaccharidosis, chondrodysplasia punctata, hydrocephalus, ichthyosis, neurologic deterioration and developmental delay.

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## **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: Arsa (mouse) mapping to 15 E3.

#### **RESEARCH USE**

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

#### **PRODUCT**

ASA (m): 293T Lysate represents a lysate of mouse ASA transfected 293T cells and is provided as 100 µg protein in 200 µl SDS-PAGE buffer.

## **APPLICATIONS**

ASA (m): 293T Lysate is suitable as a Western Blotting positive control for mouse reactive ASA 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.

# **STORAGE**

Store at 4° C, \*\*DO NOT FREEZE\*\*. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

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