# DcpS (m): 293T Lysate: sc-119688



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## **BACKGROUND**

Eukaryotic cells primarily utilize exoribonucleases and decapping enzymes to degrade their mRNA. DcpS is a scavenger pyrophosphatase that hydrolyzes the residual cap structure following 3' to 5' decay of an mRNA. Following mRNA degradation DcpS releases N-7 methyl guanosine monophosphate and 5'-diphosphate terminated cap or mRNA products. The central histidine within the DcpS HIT motif is critical for decapping activity and defines the HIT motif as a new mRNA decapping domain, making DcpS the first member of the HIT family of proteins with a defined biological function. HIT proteins are homodimeric and contain two conserved 100-amino-acid HIT fold domains with independent active sites that are each sufficient to bind and hydrolyze cognate substrates.

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## **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: Dcps (mouse) mapping to 9 A4.

### **PRODUCT**

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

#### **APPLICATIONS**

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

DcpS (A-12): sc-393226 is recommended as a positive control antibody for Western Blot analysis of enhanced mouse DcpS expression in DcpS transfected 293T cells (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1,000).

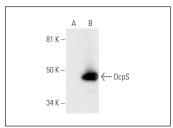
#### **RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

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.

## **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.

## DATA



DcpS (A-12): sc-393226. Western blot analysis of DcpS expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and mouse DcpS transfected: sc-119688 (B) 293T whole cell lysates

#### **RESEARCH USE**

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

#### **PROTOCOLS**

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