

$G_{\alpha q}$ (10): sc-136181

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BACKGROUND

Heterotrimeric G proteins function to relay information from cell surface receptors to intracellular effectors. Each of a very broad range of receptors specifically detects an extracellular stimulus (a photon, pheromone, odorant, hormone or neurotransmitter) while the effectors (e.g., adenylyl cyclase), which act to generate one or more intracellular messengers, are less numerous. In mammals, G protein α , β and γ polypeptides are encoded by at least 16, 4 and 7 genes, respectively. Most interest in G proteins has been focused on their α subunits, since these proteins bind and hydrolyze GTP and most obviously regulate the activity of the best studied effectors. Four distinct classes of G_{α} subunits have been identified; these include $G_{\alpha s}$, $G_{\alpha i}$, $G_{\alpha q}$ and $G_{\alpha 12/13}$. The $G_{\alpha q}$ class includes $G_{\alpha 15}$, $G_{\alpha 14}$, $G_{\alpha 11}$ and $G_{\alpha q}$, two of which, $G_{\alpha 11}$ and $G_{\alpha q}$ are abundant in brain and lung and present at lower levels in a variety of tissues.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: GNAQ (human) mapping to 9q21.2; Gnaq (mouse) mapping to 19 A.

SOURCE

$G_{\alpha q}$ (10) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 22-31 of $G_{\alpha q}$ of human origin.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μ g IgG₁ kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

$G_{\alpha q}$ (10) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-136181 AC), 500 μ g/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; and to HRP (sc-136181 HRP), 200 μ g/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA.

APPLICATIONS

$G_{\alpha q}$ (10) is recommended for detection of $G_{\alpha q}$ of mouse, rat, human and canine origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)] and immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).

Suitable for use as control antibody for $G_{\alpha q}$ siRNA (h): sc-35429, $G_{\alpha q}$ siRNA (m): sc-35430, $G_{\alpha q}$ siRNA (r): sc-45998, $G_{\alpha q}$ shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-35429-SH, $G_{\alpha q}$ shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-35430-SH, $G_{\alpha q}$ shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-45998-SH, $G_{\alpha q}$ shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35429-V, $G_{\alpha q}$ shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35430-V and $G_{\alpha q}$ shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-45998-V.

Molecular Weight of $G_{\alpha q}$: 45 kDa.

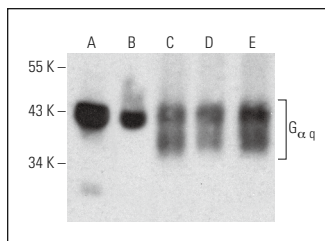
Positive Controls: Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204, $G_{\alpha q}$ (h): 293T Lysate: sc-128666 or NIH/3T3 whole cell lysate: sc-2210.

STORAGE

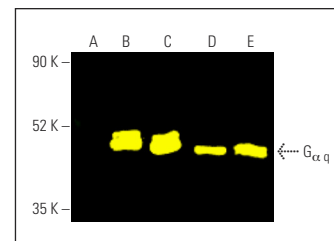
Store at 4° C, **DO NOT FREEZE**. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

RESEARCH USE

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

DATA

$G_{\alpha q}$ (10): sc-136181. Western blot analysis of $G_{\alpha q}$ expression in Jurkat (A) and NIH/3T3 (B) whole cell lysates and human platelet (C), mouse brain (D) and rat brain (E) tissue extracts.



$G_{\alpha q}$ (10): sc-136181. Fluorescent western blot analysis of $G_{\alpha q}$ expression in non-transfected 293T: sc-117752 (A), human $G_{\alpha q}$ transfected 293T: sc-128666 (B), human $G_{\alpha q}$ transfected 293T: sc-128664 (C) and Jurkat (D) whole cell lysates and human brain tissue extract (E). Blocked with UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214. Detection reagent used: m-IgG₁ BP-CFL 488: sc-533661.

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