

# $G_{\alpha i-1/2/3}$ (35): sc-136478

## 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), whereas the effectors (i.e. adenylyl cyclase), which act to generate one or more intracellular messengers, are less numerous. In mammals, G protein  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  subunits are encoded by at least 16, 4 and 7 different genes, respectively. The  $\alpha$  subunits bind to and hydrolyze GTP. G protein complexes expressed in different tissues contain distinct  $\alpha$ ,  $\beta$  and  $\gamma$  subunits. Preferential associations between members of subunit families increase G protein functional diversity. Most interest in G proteins has been focused on their  $\alpha$  subunits, since these proteins bind and hydrolyze GTP and most obviously regulate the activity of the best studied effectors. Four distinct classes of  $G_{\alpha}$  subunits have been identified; these include  $G_s$ ,  $G_i$ ,  $G_q$  and  $G_{12/13}$ . The  $G_i$  class comprises all the known  $\alpha$  subunits that are susceptible to pertussis toxin modifications, including  $G_{\alpha i-1}$ ,  $G_{\alpha i-2}$ ,  $G_{\alpha i-3}$ ,  $G_{\alpha o}$ ,  $G_{\alpha t1}$ ,  $G_{\alpha t2}$ ,  $G_{\alpha z}$  and  $G_{\alpha gust}$ . Of these, the three  $G_{\alpha i}$  subtypes function to open atrial potassium channels.

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## SOURCE

$G_{\alpha i-1/2/3}$  (35) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 90-108 of  $G_{\alpha i-1}$  of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgG<sub>2b</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

$G_{\alpha i-1/2/3}$  (35) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-136478 AC), 500  $\mu$ g/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; and to HRP (sc-136478 HRP), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA.

## STORAGE

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

## APPLICATIONS

$G_{\alpha i-1/2/3}$  (35) is recommended for detection of  $G_{\alpha i-1}$ ,  $G_{\alpha i-2}$  and  $G_{\alpha i-3}$  of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2  $\mu$ g per 100-500  $\mu$ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).

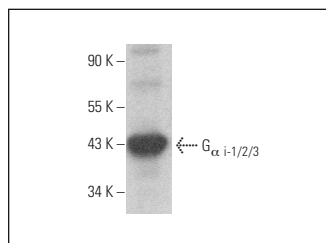
Molecular Weight of  $G_{\alpha i-1/2/3}$ : 41/41/45 kDa.

Positive Controls: rat kidney extract: sc-2394.

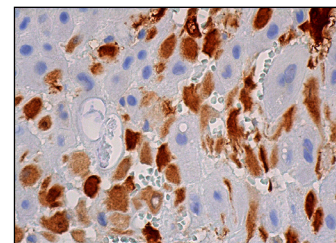
## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850. 4) Immunohistochemistry: use m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 with DAB, 50X: sc-24982 and Immunohistomount: sc-45086, or Organo/Limonene Mount: sc-45087.

## DATA



$G_{\alpha i-1/2/3}$  (35): sc-136478. Western blot analysis of  $G_{\alpha i-1/2/3}$  expression in mouse brain tissue extract.



$G_{\alpha i-1/2/3}$  (35): sc-136478. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human placenta tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of decidual cells.

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## RESEARCH USE

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