**BACKGROUND**

Renin is a highly specific endopeptidase that mediates the cleavage of the circulating substrate angiotensinogen to yield Angiotensin I. Angiotensin-converting enzyme (ACE) then completes the conversion from Angiotensin I to Angiotensin II which is significant in the regulation of electrolyte balance and blood pressure. Sympathetic stimulation (β1-adrenergic receptors), renal artery hypotension and decreases in sodium delivery to the distal tubules of the kidney signal the release of Renin. The Renin-Angiotensin system (RAS) is essential for regulating blood volume, arterial pressure and normal cardiac and vascular function. Renin is synthesized and secreted by modified smooth muscle cells in the juxtaglomerular apparatus (JGA) of the kidney. Expression of Renin in other tissues, including brain, has been verified although the homeostatic role it may play is yet to be firmly established.

**REFERENCES**


**CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: Ren (human) mapping to 1q32.1; Ren2 (mouse) mapping to 1 E4.

**SOURCE**

Renin (A-1) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 163-197 within an internal region of Renin of mouse origin.

**PRODUCT**

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

Renin (A-1) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-137252 AC), 500 µg/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-137252 HRP), 200 µg/ml, for WB, IHC/IP, and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-137252 PE), fluorescein (sc-137252 FITC), Alexa Fluor® 488 (sc-137252 AF488), Alexa Fluor® 546 (sc-137252 AF546), Alexa Fluor® 594 (sc-137252 AF594) or Alexa Fluor® 647 (sc-137252 AF647), 200 µg/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC/IF and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor® 680 (sc-137252 AF680) or Alexa Fluor® 790 (sc-137252 AF790), 200 µg/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-137252 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

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**STORAGE**

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

**APPLICATIONS**

Renin (A-1) is recommended for detection of precursor and mature heavy chain Renin of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation (1-2 µg per 100-500 µg of total protein [1 ml of cell lysate]), immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Renin siRNA (h): sc-41644, Renin siRNA (m): sc-41645, Renin shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-41644-SH, Renin shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-41645-SH, Renin shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-41645-V and Renin shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-41645-V.

Molecular Weight of Renin precursor: 46 kDa.

Molecular Weight of intermediate Renin: 41 kDa.

Molecular Weight of mature Renin: 38 kDa.

Positive Controls: ES-2 cell lysate: sc-24674, AMJ2-C8 whole cell lysate: sc-364366 or PC-12 cell lysate: sc-2250.

**DATA**

**SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS**


**RESEARCH USE**

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