# UDP-GlcDH (F-9): sc-166426



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## **BACKGROUND**

UDP-GlcDH (also called UDP-glucose 6-dehydrogenase, UGDH or UDPGDH) is a member of the UDP-glucose/GDP-mannose dehydrogenase family. UDP-GlcDH converts UDP-glucose to UDP-glucuronic acid, which is a crucial component in the biosynthesis of the glycosaminoglycans, hyaluronan, heparan sulfate and chondroitin sulfate. Found as common components of the extracellular matrix, these glycosaminoglycans are significant in signal transduction, cell migration, cancer growth and cancer metastasis. UDP-glucuronic acid (UDP-GlcA) is needed in the liver for the excretion of toxic compounds. UDP-GlcDH is a ubiquitously expressed protein most abundant in the liver. The protein structure of UDP-GlcDH was first analyzed in cow liver and found to be a homohexamer. This structure is well conserved between species and phyla with an overall 97% sequence identity shared between different species of mammals. Research indicates that UDP-GlcDH expression is upregulated by TGF $\beta$  and downregulated by hypoxia.

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## **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: UGDH (human) mapping to 4p14; Ugdh (mouse) mapping to 5 C3.1.

#### **SOURCE**

UDP-GlcDH (F-9) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 37-64 near the N-terminus of UDP-GlcDH of human origin.

## **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g \ lgG_1$  kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-166426 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

#### **STORAGE**

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

## **APPLICATIONS**

UDP-GlcDH (F-9) is recommended for detection of UDP-glucose-6 dehydrogenase of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, 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), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

UDP-GlcDH (F-9) is also recommended for detection of UDP-glucose-6 dehydrogenase in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine, porcine and avian.

Suitable for use as control antibody for UDP-GlcDH siRNA (h): sc-44709, UDP-GlcDH siRNA (m): sc-44710, UDP-GlcDH shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-44709-SH, UDP-GlcDH shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-44710-SH, UDP-GlcDH shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44709-V and UDP-GlcDH shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44710-V.

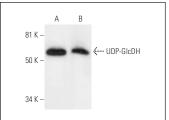
Molecular Weight of UDP-GlcDH: 57 kDa.

Positive Controls: Hep G2 cell lysate: sc-2227, PC-3 cell lysate: sc-2220 or human liver extract: sc-363766.

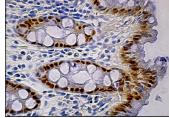
## **RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

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>™</sup> 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-lgG $\kappa$  BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-lgG $\kappa$  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-lgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 with DAB, 50X: sc-24982 and Immunohistomount: sc-45086, or Organo/Limonene Mount: sc-45087.

#### DATA



UDP-GlcDH (F-9): sc-166426. Western blot analysis of UDP-GlcDH expression in Hep G2 whole cell lysate (**A**) and human liver tissue extract (**B**).



UDP-GIcDH (F-9): sc-166426. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human rectum tissue showing nuclear staining of glandular calls.

## **RESEARCH USE**

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