

IL-13R α 1 (h): 293T Lysate: sc-175871

BACKGROUND

The Th2 cytokine Interleukin-13 (IL-13) plays a critical role in allergen-induced airway hyper-responsiveness (AHR). Two different receptors exist for IL-13, designated IL-13R α 1 and 2. IL-13R α 1 exists as a heterodimer of IL-13R α 1 and IL-4R α as a signaling subunit, whereas IL-13R α 2 acts as a decoy receptor for IL-13. Furthermore, TNF α or IL-4 stimulation induces IL-13R α 2 upregulation, while IL-13R α 1 is constitutively expressed. Cell surface localization of IL-13R α 2 abrogates IL-13 signaling, thus IL-13 induced translocation of the receptor from the cytoplasm provides a mechanism for negative-feedback of IL-13 signaling. IL-13R α 1 expression is predominant in B cells, monocytes and T cells, whereas IL-13R α 2 expression is highest in glioma cells.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: IL13RA1 (human) mapping to Xq24.

PRODUCT

IL-13R α 1 (h): 293T Lysate represents a lysate of human IL-13R α 1 transfected 293T cells and is provided as 100 μ g protein in 200 μ l SDS-PAGE buffer.

APPLICATIONS

IL-13R α 1 (h): 293T Lysate is suitable as a Western Blotting positive control for human reactive IL-13R α 1 antibodies. Recommended use: 10-20 μ l per lane.

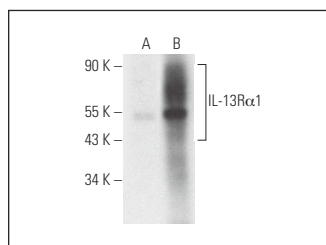
Control 293T Lysate: sc-117752 is available as a Western Blotting negative control lysate derived from non-transfected 293T cells.

IL-13R α 1 (D-2): sc-398831 is recommended as a positive control antibody for Western Blot analysis of enhanced human IL-13R α 1 expression in IL-13R α 1 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-IgG κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG κ 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.

DATA



IL-13R α 1 (D-2): sc-398831. Western blot analysis of IL-13R α 1 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and human IL-13R α 1 transfected: sc-175871 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.

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.

RESEARCH USE

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

PROTOCOLS

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