

# $\alpha$ -actinin (H-2): sc-17829



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## BACKGROUND

The spectrin gene family encodes a diverse group of cytoskeletal proteins that include spectrins, dystrophins and  $\alpha$ -actinins. There are four tissue-specific  $\alpha$ -actinins, namely  $\alpha$ -actinin-1,  $\alpha$ -actinin-2,  $\alpha$ -actinin-3 and  $\alpha$ -actinin-4, which are localized to muscle and non-muscle cells, including skeletal, cardiac and smooth muscle cells, as well as within the cytoskeleton. Each  $\alpha$ -actinin protein contains one Actin-binding domain, two calponin-homology domains, two EF-hand domains and four spectrin repeats, through which they function as bundling proteins that can cross-link F-Actin, thus anchoring Actin to a variety of intracellular structures. Defects in the gene encoding  $\alpha$ -actinin-4 are the cause of focal segmental glomerulosclerosis 1 (FSGS1), a common renal lesion characterized by decreasing kidney function and, ultimately, renal failure.

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## SOURCE

$\alpha$ -actinin (H-2) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 593-892 mapping at the C-terminus of  $\alpha$ -actinin-1 of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu$ g IgG<sub>1</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

$\alpha$ -actinin (H-2) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-17829 AC), 500  $\mu$ g/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-17829 HRP), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-17829 PE), fluorescein (sc-17829 FITC), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 488 (sc-17829 AF488), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 546 (sc-17829 AF546), Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 594 (sc-17829 AF594) or Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 647 (sc-17829 AF647), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 680 (sc-17829 AF680) or Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 790 (sc-17829 AF790), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

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## APPLICATIONS

$\alpha$ -actinin (H-2) is recommended for detection of  $\alpha$ -actinin isoforms of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:500, dilution range 1:500-1:5,000), 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).

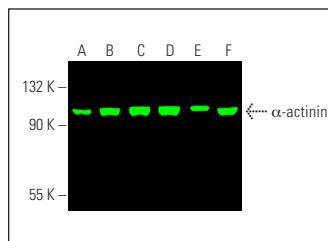
Molecular Weight of  $\alpha$ -actinin: 100 kDa.

Positive Controls: Jurkat whole cell lysate: sc-2204, HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200 or K-562 whole cell lysate: sc-2203.

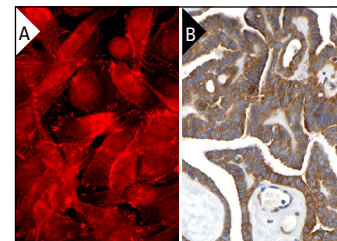
## STORAGE

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

## DATA



$\alpha$ -actinin (H-2): sc-17829. Near-Infrared western blot analysis of  $\alpha$ -actinin expression in HeLa (A), Jurkat (B), HeLa (C), RT-4 (D), SJRH30 (E) and K-562 (F) whole cell lysates. Blocked with UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Blocking Reagent: sc-516214. Detection reagent used: m-IgG<sub>1</sub> BP-CFL 680: sc-533665.



$\alpha$ -actinin (H-2) Alexa Fluor<sup>®</sup> 594: sc-17829 AF594. Direct immunofluorescence staining of formalin-fixed SW480 cells showing membrane and focal adhesions localization. Blocked with UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 (A).  $\alpha$ -actinin (H-2): sc-17829. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human ovarian cancer showing cytoplasmic staining of tumor cells. Kindly provided by The Swedish Human Protein Atlas (HPA) program (B).

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## RESEARCH USE

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