# LXR $\alpha/\beta$ (G-10): sc-271064



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# **BACKGROUND**

Retinoids are metabolites of vitamin A (retinol) and are believed to represent important signaling molecules during vertebrate development and tissue differentiation. The cooperation of liver X receptors (LXRs)  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  and retinoic X receptor (RXR) modulate the expression of several genes involved in lipid metabolism in hepatocyte and macrophages. RXR is the receptor for 9-cis retinoic acid and dimerizes with VDR, TR, PPAR and several novel receptors, including liver X receptors LXR $\alpha$  (also referred to as RLD-1), LXR $\beta$  and FXR. FXR and LXR fall into a category of proteins termed "orphan receptors" because of their lack of a defined function, and in the case of LXR, the lack of a defined ligand. Both LXR/RXR and FXR/RXR heterodimers retain their responsiveness to 9-cis retinoic acid. LXR $\alpha$  and LXR $\beta$  share considerable sequence homology and several functions, respond to the same endogenous and synthetic ligands and play critical roles in maintaining lipid homeostasis. LXR $\beta$  is ubiquitously expressed and enriched in tissues of neuronal and endocrine origin.

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# **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: NR1H3 (human) mapping to 11p11.2, NR1H2 (human) mapping to 19q13.33; Nr1h3 (mouse) mapping to 2 E1, Nr1h2 (mouse) mapping to 7 B4.

# **SOURCE**

 $LXR\alpha/\beta$  (G-10) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 301-444 mapping near the C-terminus of  $LXR\alpha$  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. Also available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-271064 X, 200  $\mu$ g/0.1 ml.

LXR $\alpha/\beta$  (G-10) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-271064 AC), 500 µg/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-271064 HRP), 200 µg/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-271064 PE), fluorescein (sc-271064 FITC), Alexa Fluor® 488 (sc-271064 AF488), Alexa Fluor® 546 (sc-271064 AF546), Alexa Fluor® 594 (sc-271064 AF594) or Alexa Fluor® 647 (sc-271064 AF647), 200 µg/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor® 680 (sc-271064 AF680) or Alexa Fluor® 790 (sc-271064 AF790), 200 µg/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

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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**

LXR $\alpha/\beta$  (G-10) is recommended for detection of LXR $\alpha$  and LXR $\beta$  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).

 $LXR\alpha/\beta$  (G-10) is also recommended for detection of  $LXR\alpha$  and  $LXR\beta$  in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

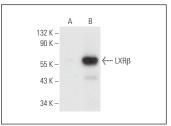
 $LXR\alpha/\beta$  (G-10) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

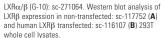
Molecular Weight of LXR $\alpha$ : 50 kDa.

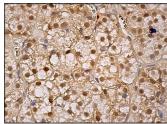
Molecular Weight of LXRβ: 56 kDa.

Positive Controls: LXR $\beta$  (h2): 293T Lysate: sc-116107, mouse liver extract: sc-2256 or HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200.

#### **DATA**







LXR $\alpha$ / $\beta$  (G-10): sc-271064. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human adrenal gland tissue showing nuclear and cytoplasmic staining of plandular cells

# **SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS**

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# **RESEARCH USE**

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