# IGF-II (8H1): sc-293176



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# **BACKGROUND**

The Insulin gene family, comprised of Insulin, relaxin and Insulin-like growth factors I and II (IGF-I and IGF-II), represents a group of structurally related polypeptides whose biological functions have diverged. The IGFs, or somatomedins, constitute a class of polypeptides that have a key role in preadolescent mammalian growth. IGF-I and -II are critical regulators of cell proliferation and differentiation. Most of the growth promoting properties of both ligands are mediated by the IGF-I receptor (IGF-IR). IGF-I and -II, respectively known as somatomedin C and somatomedin A, are single chain polypeptides which share an amino acid sequence homology of about 47% with Insulin. IGF-I expression is regulated by growth hormone and mediates postnatal growth, while IGF-II is induced by placental lactogen during prenatal development. IGF-II is a fetal growth factor, influenced by placental lactogen and abundantly expressed by placental trophoblasts. IGF-II and IGF-binding protein 1 (IGFBP1) gene variants are associated with overfeeding-induced metabolic changes. The human IGF-II gene maps to chromosome 11p15.5, encoding a 180 amino acid protein which is the precursor to IGF-II.

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# CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: IGF2 (human) mapping to 11p15.5.

# SOURCE

IGF-II (8H1) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 25-180 of IGF-II of human origin.

### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 100  $\mu g \; lg G_1$  in 1.0 ml PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

# **STORAGE**

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

#### **APPLICATIONS**

IGF-II (8H1) is recommended for detection of IGF-II of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, 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), flow cytometry (1  $\mu$ g per 1 x 10<sup>6</sup> cells) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

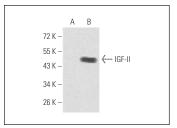
Suitable for use as control antibody for IGF-II siRNA (h): sc-39576, IGF-II shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-39576-SH and IGF-II shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-39576-V.

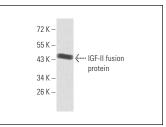
Molecular Weight of IGF-II precursor: 23 kDa.

Molecular Weight of mature secreted IGF-II: 8 kDa.

Positive Controls: human IGF-II (25-180)-hlgGFc transfected HEK293 whole cell lysate.

#### DATA





IGF-II (8H1): sc-293176. Western blot analysis of IGF-II expression in non-transfected (**A**) and human IGF-II (25-180)-hlgGFc transfected (**B**) HEK293 whole cell

IGF-II (8H1): sc-293176. Western blot analysis of human recombinant IGF-II (25-180) fusion protein.

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# **RESEARCH USE**

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