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# RORβ (4B4): sc-293471



## BACKGROUND

Nuclear receptors that lack a defined ligand are classified as orphan nuclear receptors. Retinoic acid receptor-related orphan nuclear receptor (ROR) proteins ROR $\alpha$ , ROR $\beta$  and ROR $\gamma$  are members of the nuclear hormone receptor superfamily. Unlike other members of the nuclear hormone receptor superfamily that bind DNA as homo- or heterodimers, ROR proteins directly bind the hormone response element (HRE) DNA sequence as monomers. ROR $\alpha$  has multiple isoforms that share common DNA- and putative ligand-binding domains, but differ in their amino-terminal domains, which are generated by alternative RNA processing. ROR $\beta$  is primarily expressed in brain and other areas of the central nervous system that process sensory information. The expression levels of ROR $\beta$  oscillate in the retina and pineal gland with a circadian rhythm. In Neuro2A cells, ROR $\beta$  binds DNA and efficiently directs transcription. The gene encoding human ROR $\beta$  maps to chromosome 9q21.13. ROR $\gamma$  comprises a 560 amino acid protein that shares 50% amino acid identity with ROR $\alpha$  and is most highly expressed in skeletal muscle.

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#### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: RORB (human) mapping to 9q21.13; Rorb (mouse) mapping to 19 B.

#### SOURCE

ROR $\beta$  (4B4) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 136-224 representing partial length ROR $\beta$  of human origin.

# **RESEARCH USE**

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

# PRODUCT

Each vial contains 100  $\mu g$  lgG\_1 kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

# APPLICATIONS

ROR $\beta$  (4B4) is recommended for detection of ROR $\beta$  of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)] and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for ROR $\beta$  siRNA (h): sc-38872, ROR $\beta$  siRNA (m): sc-38873, ROR $\beta$  shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-38872-SH, ROR $\beta$  shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-38873-SH, ROR $\beta$  shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-38872-V and ROR $\beta$  shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-38873-V.

Molecular Weight of ROR<sub>B</sub>: 52 kDa.

Positive Controls: ROR $\beta$  transfected 293T whole cell lysate.

## **RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgGκ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> 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).

#### DATA





human recombinant RORB fusion protein

ROR $\beta$  (4B4): sc-293471. Western blot analysis of ROR $\beta$  expression in non-transfected (**A**) and ROR $\beta$  transfected (**B**) 293T whole cell lysates.

#### **STORAGE**

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

#### PROTOCOLS

See our web site at www.scbt.com for detailed protocols and support products.