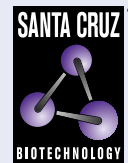


TSHR (4C1): sc-32262



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BACKGROUND

Various hormones are secreted from the anterior pituitary during development and growth, including thyroid-stimulating hormone (TSH, also known as thyrotropin), follicle-stimulating hormone (FSH) and luteinizing hormone (LH). TSH, FSH, and LH are heterodimers formed from a common α chain and a unique β chain. TSH is a glycoprotein involved in the control of thyroid structure and metabolism, which stimulates the release of the thyroid hormones. TSH is regulated by thyroid hormone (T3) and various retinoid compounds. TSH binds to the thyroid-stimulating hormone receptor (TSHR), which is cleaved into two subunits, A and B, and plays a major role in regulating thyroid function. The third cytoplasmic loop of TSHR has been identified as critical for its role in regulating inositol phosphate and cAMP formation. In Graves disease, an autoimmune disorder, TSHR is activated by autoantibodies, which may be stimulated by the cleavage of the A and B subunits.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: TSHR (human) mapping to 14q31.1.

SOURCE

TSHR (4C1) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against an extracellular domain of TSHR of human origin, epitope mapping to amino acids 381-384.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 μ g IgG_{2a} kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

TSHR (4C1) is available conjugated to either phycoerythrin (sc-32262 PE) or fluorescein (sc-32262 FITC), 200 μ g/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM.

APPLICATIONS

TSHR (4C1) is recommended for detection of TSHR of human origin by immunoprecipitation [1-2 μ g per 100-500 μ g of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and flow cytometry (1 μ g per 1 x 10⁶ cells).

Suitable for use as control antibody for TSHR siRNA (h): sc-36754, TSHR shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36754-SH and TSHR shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36754-V.

Molecular Weight of intact TSHR: 115 kDa.

Molecular Weight of TSHR A subunit: 62 kDa.

Molecular Weight of TSHR B subunit: 42 kDa.

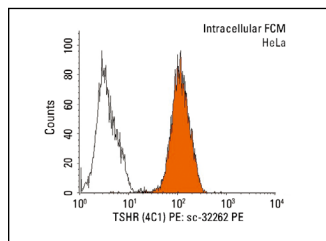
RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 2) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgG κ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgG κ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

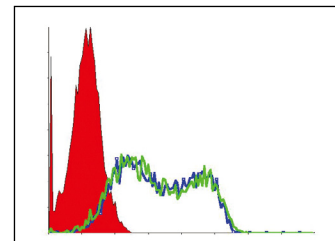
STORAGE

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

DATA



TSHR (4C1) PE: sc-32262 PE. Intracellular FCM analysis of fixed and permeabilized HeLa cells. Black line histogram represents the isotype control, normal mouse IgG_{2a}-PE: sc-2867.



Indirect FCM analysis of GPI-anchored TSHR (Da Costa CR, Johnstone AP. JBC, 1998). Red shaded histogram represents control mouse IgG. Blue line histogram represents TSHR (2C11), sc-32263. Green line histogram represents TSHR (4C1), sc-32262. Kindly provided by Dr. Alan Johnstone, St. George's, University of London.

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RESEARCH USE

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