# MYL (F-5): sc-365243



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# **BACKGROUND**

Myosin, the major component of thick muscle filaments, is a long asymmetric molecule containing a globular head and a long tail. Activation of smooth and cardiac/ventricular muscle primarily involves pathways which increase calcium and Myosin phosphorylation, resulting in contraction. In vertebrate striated muscle, Myosin is composed of two heavy chains and four light chains. There are two distinct types of light chains: the phosphorylatable, regulatory or MLC2 type, and the non-phosphorylatable, alkali or MLC1 and MLC3 types. The role of Myosin alkali light chains in vertebrate skeletal muscle is poorly understood, although alkali light chains in smooth muscle may be involved with the active site of Myosin. Several Myosin alkali light chains have been identified and include MYL1, MYL3, MYL4 and MYL6.

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# **SOURCE**

MYL (F-5) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 121-195 mapping at the C-terminus of MYL3 of human origin.

#### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$   $lgG_{2b}$  kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

MYL (F-5) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-365243 AC), 500  $\mu$ g/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-365243 HRP), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-365243 PE), fluorescein (sc-365243 FITC), Alexa Fluor\* 488 (sc-365243 AF488), Alexa Fluor\* 546 (sc-365243 AF546), Alexa Fluor\* 594 (sc-365243 AF594) or Alexa Fluor\* 647 (sc-365243 AF647), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor\* 680 (sc-365243 AF680) or Alexa Fluor\* 790 (sc-365243 AF790), 200  $\mu$ g/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

# **APPLICATIONS**

MYL (F-5) is recommended for detection of MYL1, MYL3, MYL4 and MYL6 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).

Molecular Weight of MYL1: 21 kDa.

Molecular Weight of MYL3: 25 kDa.

Molecular Weight of MYL4: 22 kDa.

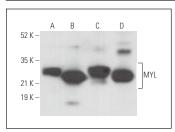
Molecular Weight of MYL6: 17 kDa.

Positive Controls: rat heart extract: sc-2393, mouse heart extract: sc-2254 or human heart extract: sc-363763.

# **RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker<sup>TM</sup> Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz\* 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). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz\* Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz\* Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850. 4) Immunohistochemistry: use m-lgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 with DAB, 50X: sc-24982 and Immunohistomount: sc-45086, or Organo/Limonene Mount: sc-45087.

#### DATA



MYL (F-5): sc-365243. Western blot analysis of MYL expression in rat heart (**A**), rat tongue (**B**), mouse heart (**C**) and human heart (**D**) tissue extracts.



MYL (F-5): sc-365243. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human skeletal muscle tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of myocytes.

#### **SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS**

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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.

# **RESEARCH USE**

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

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