**BACKGROUND**

RNA polymerase II transcripts are complexed with hnRNP (heterogeneous nuclear ribonucleoprotein) proteins, which are involved in several aspects of hnRNA maturation and transport. The hnRNP particle U (also designated SAF-A, for scaffold attachment factor, and SP120) is an abundant nucleoplasmic phosphoprotein and the largest of the major hnRNP proteins. hnRNP U is specifically involved in pre-mRNA processing and is directly bound to both RNA and DNA. Specifically, hnRNP U has a high affinity to the SAR (scaffold attachment region) of DNA. hnRNP U also functions as an RNA polymerase elongation inhibitor by inhibiting TFIIH-mediated phosphorylation of the carboxy-terminal domain of Pol II. Identical to GRIP120, hnRNP U also associates with glucocorticoid receptors to inhibit glucocorticoid induction.

**REFERENCES**


**CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: HNRNPU (human) mapping to 1q44; Hnrnpu (mouse) mapping to 1 H4.

**SOURCE**

hnRNP U (D-2) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 731-824 of hnRNP U of human origin.

**PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG1 kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of 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**

hnRNP U (D-2) is recommended for detection of hnRNP U of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for hnRNP U siRNA (h): sc-38298, hnRNP U siRNA (m): sc-38299, hnRNP U shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-38298-SH, hnRNP U shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-38299-SH, hnRNP U shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-38298-V and hnRNP U shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-38299-V.

Molecular Weight of hnRNP U: 142 kDa.

Positive Controls: K-562 nuclear extract: sc-2130, Jurkat nuclear extract: sc-2132 or K-562 whole cell lysate: sc-2203.

**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, TBS Blotto A Blocking Reagent: sc-2333 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2035 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgGκ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

**DATA**

hnRNP U (D-2): sc-365852. Western blot analysis of hnRNP U expression in Jurkat nuclear extract.

hnRNP U (D-2): sc-365852. Western blot analysis of hnRNP U expression in K-562 nuclear extract.

**PROTOCOLS**

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**RESEARCH USE**

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