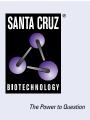
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# ILT-4/5 (F-7): sc-390287



### BACKGROUND

Leukocyte immunoglobulin-like receptors (ILTs, also known as LIRs) are members of the immunoglobulin superfamily of glycoproteins and are predominantly expressed by monocytes, B cells, dendritic cells, natural killer (NK) cells, peripheral blood leukocytes and tissues such as placenta, lung and liver. There are several members of the ILT family, including ILT-1, ILT-2, ILT-3, ILT-4, ILT-5, ILT-6, ILT-7, ILT-8, ILT-11, LIR-6 and LIR-8. These ILT proteins are divided into two subfamiles, namely subfamily A (ILT-1, ILT-6, ILT-7, ILT-8, ILT-11 and LIR-6) and subfamily B (ILT-2, ILT-3, ILT-4, ILT-5 and LIR-8), the former of which function as stimulating receptors and the latter of which function as inhibitory receptors. Characteristically, members of subfamily A have transmembrane regions containing a charged arginine residue through which they initiate stimulatory cascades, while members of subfamily B contain cytoplasmic immunoreceptor tyrosine-based inhibitory motifs (ITIMs) through which they induce inhibitory signaling cascades.

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#### **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: LILRB2/LILRB3/LILRB5 (human) mapping to 19q13.42.

# SOURCE

ILT-4/5 (F-7) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 571-601 within a C-terminal cytoplasmic domain of ILT-4 of human origin.

### PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  lgG\_3 kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-390287 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

#### **APPLICATIONS**

ILT-4/5 (F-7) is recommended for detection of ILT-4, ILT-5 and LIR-8 of 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) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

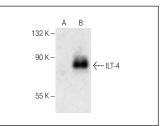
Molecular Weight of ILT-4/5: 95 kDa.

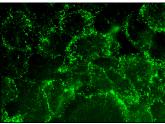
Positive Controls: ILT-4 (h): 293T Lysate: sc-115693.

#### **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<sup>™</sup> 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). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgGκ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

#### DATA





ILT-4/5 (F-7): sc-390287. Western blot analysis of ILT-4 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (**A**) and human ILT-4 transfected: sc-115693 (**B**) 293T whole cell lysates.

ILT-4/5 (F-7): sc-390287. Immunofluorescence staining of formalin-fixed A-431 cells showing membrane localization.

#### **STORAGE**

Store at 4° C, \*\*D0 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.