

# rabphilin-3A (E-2): sc-390915

## BACKGROUND

The carboxy-terminal of rabphilin-3A consists of two C2 domains, A and B, and the amino-terminal (residues 45-170) contains a cysteine-rich region with two zinc finger motifs. Rabphilin-3A belongs to a family of other carboxy-terminal type (C-type) tandem C2 proteins, which includes synaptotagmins and Doc2. Rabphilin is expressed in neuroendocrine cells and co-localizes with Rab3A on synaptic vesicles and chromaffin granules. Rabphilin-3A binds Rab3a/GTP/Mg<sup>2+</sup> within amino-terminal residues 45 and 170. Rabphilin-3A binds calcium ions and phosphatidylinositol 4,5-bisphosphate containing lipid vesicles within its C2 domains. Rabphilin-3A is a positive regulator of calcium dependent exocytosis, while Rab3a is a negative regulator of exocytosis. Although rabphilin-3A associates with Rab3a, they seem to influence exocytosis independently of each other. Rabphilin-3A effects are likely mediated through interactions with an unknown factor that recognizes the Rab3 binding domain.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: RPH3A (human) mapping to 12q24.13; Rph3a (mouse) mapping to 5 F.

## SOURCE

rabphilin-3A (E-2) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 516-576 mapping within an internal region of rabphilin-3A of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG<sub>1</sub> 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

rabphilin-3A (E-2) is recommended for detection of rabphilin-3A 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 rabphilin-3A siRNA (h): sc-106476, rabphilin-3A siRNA (m): sc-152671, rabphilin-3A shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-106476-SH, rabphilin-3A shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-152671-SH, rabphilin-3A shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-106476-V and rabphilin-3A shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-152671-V.

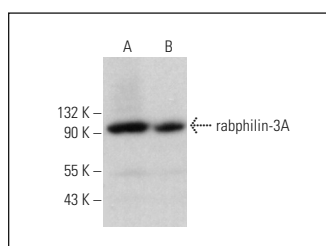
Molecular Weight of rabphilin-3A: 77 kDa.

Positive Controls: rat brain extract: sc-2392, rat cerebellum extract: sc-2398 or human brain hippocampus extract: sc-364375.

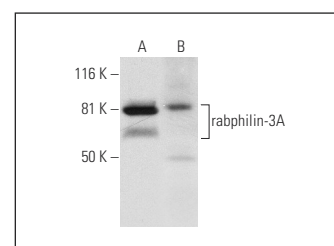
## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

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® 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® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

## DATA



rabphilin-3A (E-2): sc-390915. Western blot analysis of rabphilin-3A expression in rat brain (A) and rat cerebellum (B) tissue extracts.



rabphilin-3A (E-2): sc-390915. Western blot analysis of rabphilin-3A expression in rat brain (A) and human hippocampus (B) tissue extracts.

## RESEARCH USE

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## PROTOCOLS

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