

Brn-2 (B-2): sc-393324

BACKGROUND

The Brn family of transcription factors are found in a highly restricted subset of neurons and are critical to the early embryonic development of the central nervous system. Brn-1 and Brn-2 are class III POU domain proteins. Expressed during the development of the forebrain and coexpressed in most layer II-V cortical neurons, Brn-1 and Brn-2 appear to critically control the initiation of radial migration of cortical neurons. Brn-2 is thought to be involved in smooth muscle cell development and differentiation. Brn-3 is a class IV POU domain protein. Three Brn-3 proteins have been described and are designated Brn-3a, Brn-3b and Brn-3c. Brn-3a has two functional transactivating domains, one at the amino terminus and one at the carboxy terminus. While Brn-3a and Brn-3c stimulate transcription, Brn-3b generally functions as a transcriptional repressor. However, Brn-3b, but not Brn-3a, has been shown to regulate the expression of the acetylcholine receptor.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: POU3F2 (human) mapping to 6q16.1; Pou3f2 (mouse) mapping to 4 A3.

SOURCE

Brn-2 (B-2) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 414-443 at the C-terminus of Brn-2 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. Also available as TransCruz reagent for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications, sc-393324 X, 200 µg/0.1 ml.

Brn-2 (B-2) is available conjugated to agarose (sc-393324 AC), 500 µg/0.25 ml agarose in 1 ml, for IP; to HRP (sc-393324 HRP), 200 µg/ml, for WB, IHC(P) and ELISA; to either phycoerythrin (sc-393324 PE), fluorescein (sc-393324 FITC), Alexa Fluor® 488 (sc-393324 AF488), Alexa Fluor® 546 (sc-393324 AF546), Alexa Fluor® 594 (sc-393324 AF594) or Alexa Fluor® 647 (sc-393324 AF647), 200 µg/ml, for WB (RGB), IF, IHC(P) and FCM; and to either Alexa Fluor® 680 (sc-393324 AF680) or Alexa Fluor® 790 (sc-393324 AF790), 200 µg/ml, for Near-Infrared (NIR) WB, IF and FCM.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-393324 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

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

APPLICATIONS

Brn-2 (B-2) is recommended for detection of Brn-2 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).

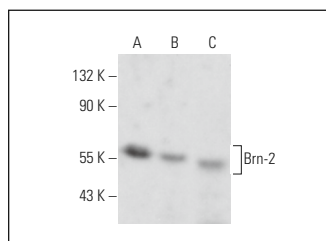
Suitable for use as control antibody for Brn-2 siRNA (h): sc-29837, Brn-2 siRNA (m): sc-29838, Brn-2 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29837-SH, Brn-2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-29838-SH, Brn-2 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29837-V and Brn-2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29838-V.

Brn-2 (B-2) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

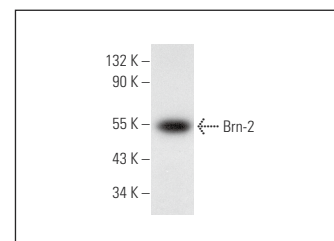
Molecular Weight of Brn-2: 50 kDa.

Positive Controls: MDA-MB-435S whole cell lysate: sc-364184, C6 whole cell lysate: sc-364373 or Jurkat nuclear extract: sc-2132.

DATA



Brn-2 (B-2): sc-393324. Western blot analysis of Brn-2 expression in A-375 (A), MDA-MB-435S (B) and C6 (C) whole cell lysates.



Brn-2 (B-2): sc-393324. Western blot analysis of Brn-2 expression in Jurkat nuclear extract.

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RESEARCH USE

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