# HSF1 (A-7): sc-393677



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### **BACKGROUND**

Prokaryotic and eukaryotic cells respond to thermal and chemical stress by inducing a group of genes collectively designated heat shock genes. In eukaryotes, this gene expression is regulated primarily at the transcription level. Heat shock transcription factors 1 and 2 (HSF1 and HSF2), also designated HSTF1 and HSTF2, are involved in this regulation. HSF1 and HSF2 are upregulated by estrogen at both the mRNA and protein level. HSF1 is normally found as a monomer, whose transcriptional activity is repressed by constitutive phosphorylation. Upon activation, HSF1 forms trimers, gains DNA binding activity and is translocated to the nucleus. HSF2 activity is associated with differentiation and development and, like HSF1, binds DNA as a trimer. Both HSF1 and HSF2 are known to be induced by proteasome inhibitors of the ubiquitin pathway.

### **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: HSF1 (human) mapping to 8q24.3; Hsf1 (mouse) mapping to 15 D3.

## **SOURCE**

HSF1 (A-7) is a mouse monoclonal antibody specific for an epitope mapping between amino acids 504-529 at the C-terminus of HSF1 of human origin.

# **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g \, lg G_{2b}$  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-393677 X, 200  $\mu g/0.1$  ml.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-393677 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% stabilizer protein).

### **APPLICATIONS**

HSF1 (A-7) is recommended for detection of HSF1 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). HSF1 (A-7) is also recommended for detection of HSF1 in additional species, including canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for HSF1 siRNA (h): sc-35611, HSF1 siRNA (m): sc-35612, HSF1 siRNA (r): sc-270440, HSF1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-35611-SH, HSF1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-35612-SH, HSF1 shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-270440-SH, HSF1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35611-V, HSF1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-35612-V and HSF1 shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-270440-V.

HSF1 (A-7) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

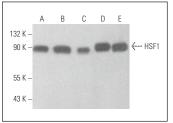
Molecular Weight of HSF1: 89-90 kDa.

Positive Controls: MDA-MB-231 cell lysate: sc-2232, K-562 whole cell lysate: sc-2203 or HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200.

### **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 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.

#### **DATA**





HSF1 (A-7): sc-393677. Western blot analysis of HSF1 expression in MCF7 (**A**), MDA-MB-231 (**B**), A2058 (**C**), K-562 (**D**) and HeLa (**E**) whole cell lysates.

HSF1 (A-7): sc-393677. Western blot analysis of HSF1 expression in MDA-MB-231 (A), ZR-75-1 (B), F9 (C) and PC-12 (D) whole cell lysates. Note lack of reactivity with mouse and rat HSF1 in lanes C and D.

#### **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.

## **PROTOCOLS**

See our web site at www.scbt.com for detailed protocols and support products.



See **HSF1 (E-4):** sc-17757 for HSF1 antibody conjugates, including AC, HRP, FITC, PE, and Alexa Fluor® 488, 546, 594, 647, 680 and 790.

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