

normal rat serum: sc-45135

BACKGROUND

Santa Cruz Biotechnology offers a wide variety of control immunoglobulin and control sera for a large selection of species, including mouse, rabbit, goat, chicken, rat, hamster, canine, guinea pig and sheep. Control immunoglobulin and immunoglobulin conjugates are useful negative controls. Normal sera is offered to be used as blocking reagents. Santa Cruz Biotechnology offers affinity purified normal immunoglobulins and immunoglobulin conjugates for use as negative controls in applications including flow cytometry, immunohistochemistry, immunofluorescence, Western Blotting and immunoprecipitation. Agarose (AC) conjugated IgGs are provided for immunoprecipitation; horseradish peroxidase (HRP) conjugates are provided for Western Blotting and immunohistochemistry; and Biotin (B) conjugates are provided for immunohistochemistry. A broad range of fluorescent conjugated controls are also available for use in flow cytometry and immunofluorescence applications. Most control immunoglobulins are available as unconjugated controls or as FITC (fluorescein isothiocyanate), PE (phycoerythrin), PE-Cy5 (phycoerythrin-Cy5), PE-Cy7 (phycoerythrin-Cy7), APC (allophycocyanin) and APC-Cy7 (allophycocyanin-Cy7) conjugates. Additional conjugates include Alexa Fluor® 488, Alexa Fluor® 647, Alexa Fluor® 405, PerCP (peridinin chlorophyll protein complex) and PerCP-Cy5.5 (peridinin chlorophyll protein complex-Cy 5.5). Isotype specific control immunoglobulins include classes such as mouse IgG₁, IgG_{2a}, IgG_{2b}, IgG₃, IgM and IgA, rat IgG₁, IgG_{2a}, IgG_{2b} and IgM, Armenian hamster IgG, and both goat and rabbit IgG.

SOURCE

Normal normal rat serum is provided as neat serum from a non-immunized animal.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 1 ml normal rat serum containing < 0.01% thimerosal.

APPLICATIONS

Normal normal rat serum is recommended for use as a blocking reagent for immunofluorescence, immunohistochemistry and immunocytochemistry. To be used at an assay dependent dilution. In research applications, the species of the normal serum should match the host species of the secondary antibody.

STORAGE

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

PROTOCOLS

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

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RECOMMENDED SUPPORT PRODUCTS

A. TISSUE CULTURE CELLS

- CrystalCruz® Cover Glasses, 22 x 50 mm, precleaned: sc-24975
- PBS (Phosphate Buffered Saline), powder, 1 packet: sc-24947
- Formaldehyde, 37% formaldehyde solution, 25 ml: sc-203049
- Hydrogen Peroxide, 30% solution, 100 ml: sc-203336

B. FROZEN TISSUE SECTIONS

- Organo/Limonene Mount, non-toxic Permunt alternative, 100 ml: sc-45087
- UltraCruz® Mounting Medium, aqueous-based, 10 ml: sc-24941
- ImmunoHistoMount, aqueous-based mounting medium, 30 ml: sc-45086
- Immuno In Situ Mount, for use with *in situ* hybridization, 30 ml: sc-45088

C. FORMALIN-FIXED, PARAFFIN-EMBEDDED TISSUE SECTIONS

- Paraffin, for the preparation of tissue samples for staining, 500 g: sc-286633
- Xylenes, mixed isomers with ethylbenzene, 500 ml: sc-237422
- Hematoxylin, Gill's Formulation #2; nuclear counter stain, 100 ml: sc-24973

RESEARCH USE

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