

# MYH1/2/3 (N3.36): sc-53092

## BACKGROUND

Myosin is a highly conserved, ubiquitously expressed protein that interacts with Actin to generate the force for cellular movements. Conventional myosins are hexameric proteins consisting of two heavy chain subunits, a pair of non-phosphorylatable light chain subunits and a pair of phosphorylatable light chain subunits. Three general classes of Myosin have been cloned: smooth muscle myosins, striated muscle myosins and non-muscle myosins. Contractile activity in smooth muscle is regulated by the calcium/calmodulin-dependent phosphorylation of Myosin light chain (MLC) by Myosin light chain kinase. Myosin heavy chains, which are encoded by the MYH gene family, contain Actin-activated ATPase activity which generates the motor function of Myosin. Myosin heavy chains were initially isolated from a human fetal skeletal muscle and are the major determinant in the speed of contraction of skeletal muscle. Various isoforms of Myosin heavy chains are differentially expressed depending on the functional activity of the muscle.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: MYH1/MYH2/MYH3 (human) mapping to 17p13.1; Myh1/Myh2/Myh3 (mouse) mapping to 11 B3.

## SOURCE

MYH1/2/3 (N3.36) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against neonatal skeletal muscle Myosin of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgM kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

## APPLICATIONS

MYH1/2/3 (N3.36) is recommended for detection of Myosin heavy chains encoded by MYH1, 2 and 3 of mouse, rat, human, rabbit and fish origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, 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 immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).

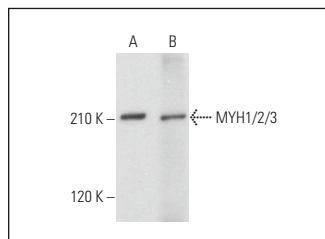
Molecular Weight of MYH1/2/3: 200 kDa.

Positive Controls: mouse skeletal muscle extract: sc-364250, HeLa whole cell lysate: sc-2200 or rat skeletal muscle extract: sc-364810.

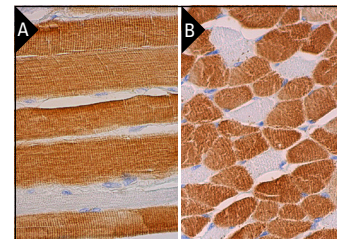
## STORAGE

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

## DATA



MYH1/2/3 (N3.36): sc-53092. Western blot analysis of MYH1/2/3 expression in rat skeletal muscle (A) and mouse skeletal muscle (B) tissue extracts.



MYH1/2/3 (N3.36): sc-53092. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human skeletal muscle tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of myocytes (A). Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human skeletal muscle tissue showing cytoplasmic staining of myocytes. Blocking reagent used: UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 (B).

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## PROTOCOLS

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