

# Rtn-1A (4A66): sc-71980

## BACKGROUND

The Reticulon (Rtn) family consists of four members: Rtn-1 (also designated neuroendocrine-specific protein or NSP), Rtn-2 (also designated NSP-like-1), Rtn-3 (also designated NSP-like-2) and Nogo (also designated Rtn-4A). Reticulon proteins are anchored to the membranes of the endoplasmic reticulum through their common C-terminal regions. Localized on human chromosome 14q23.1, the gene encoding Rtn-1 is expressed as three isoforms: Rtn-1A (NSP-A), Rtn-1B (NSP-B) and Rtn-1C (NSP-C), which are produced by alternative splicing, are anchored to the endoplasmic reticulum in neural and neuro-endocrine tissues and cells, and may be involved in neuroendocrine secretion or in membrane trafficking. In lung cancer diagnosis, Rtn-1A appears to be a reliable marker for the detection of neuroendocrine differentiation, since most of the small cell lung carcinoma (SCLC) and carcinoid tumors show expression of Rtn-1A. Rtn-1B exists as multiple forms. Expression of Rtn-1C strongly correlates with neuronal differentiation.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: RTN1 (human) mapping to 14q23.1; Rtn1 (mouse) mapping to 12 C3.

## SOURCE

Rtn-1A (4A66) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against bacterially expressed Rtn-1A of human origin with epitope mapping to amino acids 174-337.

## 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.

## APPLICATIONS

Rtn-1A (4A66) is recommended for detection of Rtn-1A of mouse, rat, human and hamster origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:100, dilution range 1:100-1:2,000), 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).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Rtn-1 siRNA (h): sc-42216, Rtn-1 siRNA (m): sc-42217, Rtn-1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-42216-SH, Rtn-1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-42217-SH, Rtn-1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42216-V and Rtn-1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-42217-V.

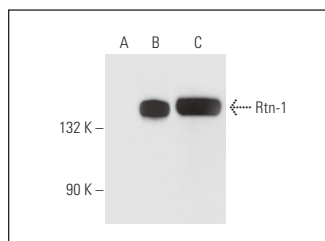
Molecular Weight of Rtn-1A: 100 kDa.

Positive Controls: IMR-32 cell lysate: sc-2409, rat brain extract: sc-2392 or Rtn-1 (m2): 293T Lysate: sc-123322.

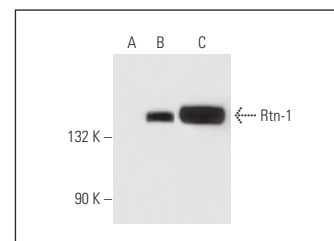
## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

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. 4) Immunohistochemistry: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 with DAB, 50X: sc-24982 and Immunohistomount: sc-45086, or Organo/Limonene Mount: sc-45087.

## DATA



Rtn-1 (4A66): sc-71980. Western blot analysis of Rtn-1 expression in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and mouse Rtn-1 transfected: sc-123322 (B) 293T whole cell lysates and rat brain tissue extract (C).



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## 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.