

# A-Myb (K-15): sc-9957

## BACKGROUND

The Myb family of transcription factors, which includes the structurally related A-, B-, and c-Myb genes, regulate differentiation and cellular growth through binding to promoters with the consensus sequence PyAAC(G/T)G and transactivating gene expression. c-Myb is the cellular homolog of the leukemogenic avian retroviral protein v-Myc. c-Myb is expressed predominantly in immature and rapidly dividing hematopoietic cells, and cellular levels of c-Myb substantially decreases as cells reach terminal differentiation. B-Myb is expressed in a wide variety of proliferating cells, with levels accumulating during the G<sub>1</sub> to S phase transition. A-Myb is expressed at specific times in reproductive tissues, some neural cells, and a subset of normal and neoplastic B lymphocytes. Both A-Myb and B-Myb are expressed in t(14:18) lymphoma cells where they then inhibit cell arrest and apoptotic signaling. Expression of B-Myb rescues cells from p53-induced G<sub>1</sub> phase arrest that is mediated by p21, while A-Myb functions as an anti-apoptotic factor by effectively activating the Bcl-2 promoter and thereby up-regulating Bcl-2 expression.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: MYBL1 (human) mapping to 8q13.1; Mybl1 (mouse) mapping to 1 A2.

## SOURCE

A-Myb (K-15) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of A-Myb of human origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG 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-9957 X, 200 µg/0.1 ml.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-9957 P, (100 µg peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

## APPLICATIONS

A-Myb (K-15) is recommended for detection of A-Myb of mouse, rat and human 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), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

A-Myb (K-15) is also recommended for detection of A-Myb in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

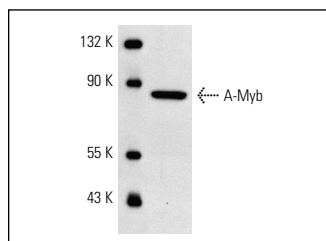
Suitable for use as control antibody for A-Myb siRNA (h): sc-29613, A-Myb siRNA (m): sc-29614, A-Myb shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29613-SH, A-Myb shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-29614-SH, A-Myb shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29613-V and A-Myb shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29614-V.

A-Myb (K-15) X TransCruz antibody is recommended for Gel Supershift and ChIP applications.

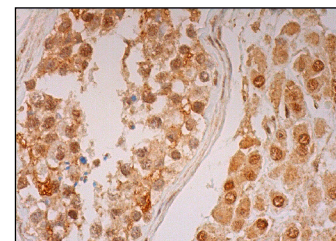
Molecular Weight of A-Myb: 83 kDa.

Positive Controls: NAMALWA cell lysate: sc-2234.

## DATA



A-Myb (K-15): sc-9957. Western blot analysis of A-Myb expression in NAMALWA whole cell lysate.



A-Myb (K-15): sc-9957. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human testis tissue showing nuclear and cytoplasmic staining of cells in seminiferous ducts and Leydig cells.

## SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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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.



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