

# **SCF Antibody**

Rabbit Anti Human Polyclonal Antibody Catalog # ABV11700

## **Product Information**

Application WB
Primary Accession P21583
Reactivity Human
Host Rabbit
Clonality Polyclonal
Isotype Rabbit IgG
Calculated MW 30899

### **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 4254

**Positive Control** Western blot: Recombinant protein

**Application & Usage** Western blot: ~1:200

Other Names Kit ligand Precursor, C-kit ligand, SCF, Mast cell growth factor, MGF, SF, KL-1,

Kit I, DKFZp686F2250.

Target/Specificity SCF

Antibody Form Liquid

**Appearance** Colorless liquid

**Formulation** 30 [g (0.5 mg/ml) of antibody in PBS pH 7.2 containing 0.01 % BSA, 0.01 %

thimerosal, and 50 % glycerol.

**Handling** The antibody solution should be gently mixed before use.

Reconstitution & Storage -20 °C

**Background Descriptions** 

**Precautions** SCF Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or

therapeutic procedures.

#### **Protein Information**

Name KITLG ( HGNC:6343)

**Synonyms** MGF, SCF

**Function** Ligand for the receptor-type protein-tyrosine kinase KIT. Plays an essential

role in the regulation of cell survival and proliferation, hematopoiesis, stem cell maintenance, gametogenesis, mast cell development, migration and function, and in melanogenesis. KITLG/SCF binding can activate several signaling pathways. Promotes phosphorylation of PIK3R1, the regulatory subunit of phosphatidylinositol 3-kinase, and subsequent activation of the kinase AKT1. KITLG/SCF and KIT also transmit signals via GRB2 and activation of RAS, RAF1 and the MAP kinases MAPK1/ERK2 and/or MAPK3/ERK1. KITLG/SCF and KIT promote activation of STAT family members STAT1, STAT3 and STAT5. KITLG/SCF and KIT promote activation of PLCG1, leading to the production of the cellular signaling molecules diacylglycerol and inositol 1,4,5-trisphosphate. KITLG/SCF acts synergistically with other cytokines, probably interleukins.

**Cellular Location** 

[Isoform 1]: Cell membrane; Single-pass type I membrane protein [Soluble KIT ligand]: Secreted.

## **Background**

Stem cell factor / KIT ligand (SCF) is a cytokine which binds CD117(c-Kit). SCF is also known as "steel factor" or "c-kit ligand". SCF exists in two forms; cell surface bound SCF and soluble (or free) SCF. Soluble SCF is produced by the cleavage of surface bound SCF by metalloproteases. SCF is a growth factor important for the survival, proliferation, and differentiation of hematopoietic stem cells and other hematopoietic progenitor cells. One of its roles is to change the BFU-E (burst-forming unit-erythroid) cells, which are the earliest erythrocyte precursors in the erythrocytic series, into the CFU-E (colony-forming unit-erythroid).

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