

**SPT2 Antibody**  
Catalog # ASC11323**Specification****SPT2 Antibody - Product Information**

Application	WB, ICC, IF
Primary Accession	<a href="#">O15270</a>
Other Accession	<a href="#">NP_004854</a> , <a href="#">4758668</a>
Reactivity	Human, Mouse, Rat
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Isotype	IgG
Application Notes	SPT2 antibody can be used for detection of SPT2 by Western blot at 1 µg/mL. Antibody can also be used for immunocytochemistry starting at 10 µg/mL. For immunofluorescence start at 20 µg/mL.

**SPT2 Antibody - Additional Information**Gene ID **9517****Target/Specificity**

SPTLC2; At least three isoforms of SPT2 are known to exist; this antibody will not detect isoform b. SPT2 antibody is predicted to not cross-react with SPT1.

**Reconstitution & Storage**

SPT2 antibody can be stored at 4°C for three months and -20°C, stable for up to one year. As with all antibodies care should be taken to avoid repeated freeze thaw cycles. Antibodies should not be exposed to prolonged high temperatures.

**Precautions**

SPT2 Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

**SPT2 Antibody - Protein Information**Name SPTLC2 ([HGNC:11278](#))

Synonyms KIAA0526, LCB2

**Function**

Component of the serine palmitoyltransferase multisubunit enzyme (SPT) that catalyzes the initial and rate-limiting step in sphingolipid biosynthesis by condensing L-serine and activated acyl-CoA (most commonly palmitoyl-CoA) to form long-chain bases (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19416851" target="\_blank">19416851</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19648650" target="\_blank">19648650</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20504773" target="\_blank">20504773</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20920666" target="\_blank">20920666</a>). The SPT complex is composed of SPTLC1, SPTLC2 or SPTLC3 and SPTSSA or SPTSSB. Within this complex,

the heterodimer consisting of SPTLC1 and SPTLC2/SPTLC3 forms the catalytic core (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19416851" target="\_blank">19416851</a>). The composition of the serine palmitoyltransferase (SPT) complex determines the substrate preference (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19416851" target="\_blank">19416851</a>). The SPTLC1-SPTLC2-SPTSSA complex shows a strong preference for C16-CoA substrate, while the SPTLC1-SPTLC3-SPTSSA isozyme uses both C14-CoA and C16-CoA as substrates, with a slight preference for C14-CoA (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19416851" target="\_blank">19416851</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19648650" target="\_blank">19648650</a>). The SPTLC1-SPTLC2-SPTSSB complex shows a strong preference for C18-CoA substrate, while the SPTLC1-SPTLC3-SPTSSB isozyme displays an ability to use a broader range of acyl-CoAs, without apparent preference (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19416851" target="\_blank">19416851</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19648650" target="\_blank">19648650</a>). Crucial for adipogenesis (By similarity).

#### Cellular Location

Endoplasmic reticulum membrane {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:P97363}; Single-pass membrane protein {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:P97363}

#### Tissue Location

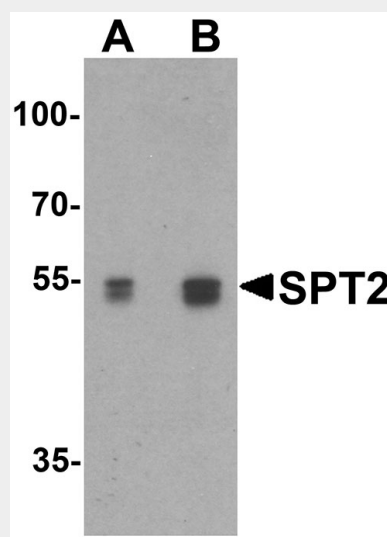
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### SPT2 Antibody - Protocols

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- [Western Blot](#)
- [Blocking Peptides](#)
- [Dot Blot](#)
- [Immunohistochemistry](#)
- [Immunofluorescence](#)
- [Immunoprecipitation](#)
- [Flow Cytometry](#)
- [Cell Culture](#)

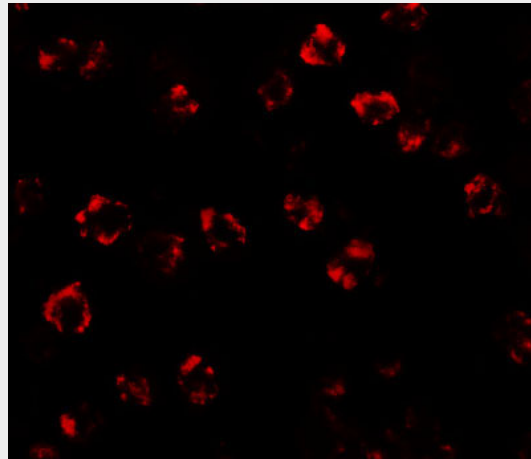
### SPT2 Antibody - Images



Western blot analysis of SPT2 in 3T3 cell lysate with SPT2 antibody at 0.5  $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$  in (A) the absence and (B) the presence of blocking peptide.



Immunocytochemistry of SPT2 in 3T3 cells with SPT2 antibody at 10  $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ .



Immunofluorescence of SPT2 in 3T3 cells with SPT2 antibody at 20  $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ .

### **SPT2 Antibody - Background**

SPT2 Antibody: Serine palmitoyltransferase (SPT), which consists of two different subunits, is the key enzyme in sphingolipid biosynthesis. It converts L-serine and palmitoyl-CoA to 3-oxosphinganine with pyridoxal 5'-phosphate as a cofactor. SPT2 is the long chain base subunit 2 of mammalian serine palmitoyltransferase. SPT2 is catalytically active but needs its related protein SPT1 for its stabilization and anchoring the holoenzyme to the cytosolic face of the endoplasmic reticulum. As in the case with SPT1, mutations in the SPT2 gene can cause hereditary sensory and autonomic neuropathy type I (HSAN-I), resulting from a loss of SPT activity as well as the accumulation of the atypical and neurotoxic sphingoid metabolite 1-deoxy-sphinganine.

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