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# PDC-E2 (m): 293T Lysate: sc-122447

## BACKGROUND

Primary biliary cirrhosis (PBC) is a chronic, destructive autoimmune liver disease characterized by the presence of antimitochondrial autoantibodies in patient's serum and T cell-mediated destruction of the biliary epithelial cells lining the small intrahepatic bile ducts. Patient sera are characterized by a high frequency (greater than 95%) of autoantibodies directed to a mitochondrial antigen, identified as the E2 component of the pyruvate dehydrogenase multienzyme complex (PDC-E2). PDC-E2 contains both an amino-terminal lipoyl-bearing domain and a carboxy-terminal catalytic domain. The human sequence preserves the Glu-Thr-Asp-Lys-Ala motif of the lipoyl-bearing site. Two conformationally alternative forms of the PDC-E2 protein have been revealed by immunoblotting. The immunodominant autoepitopes of the auto-antigens correspond to the inner lipoyl domain. A significant number of asymptomatic patients found to have antibodies to PDC-E2 are at high risk of developing primary biliary cirrhosis.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Dlat (mouse) mapping to 9 A5.3.

## PRODUCT

PDC-E2 (m): 293T Lysate represents a lysate of mouse PDC-E2 transfected 293T cells and is provided as 100 µg protein in 200 µl SDS-PAGE buffer.

## APPLICATIONS

PDC-E2 (m): 293T Lysate is suitable as a Western Blotting positive control for mouse reactive PDC-E2 antibodies. Recommended use: 10-20 µl per lane.

Control 293T Lysate: sc-117752 is available as a Western Blotting negative control lysate derived from non-transfected 293T cells.

## STORAGE

Store at -20° C. Repeated freezing and thawing should be minimized. Sample vial should be boiled once prior to use. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

## RESEARCH USE

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.

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