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Product datasheet

Anti-ATG8 antibody ab4753

Overview

Product name Anti-ATG8 antibody

Description Rabbit polyclonal to ATG8

Host species Rabbit

Tested applications Suitable for: WB, ELISA

Species reactivity Reacts with: Saccharomyces cerevisiae

Immunogen Recombinant full length protein (S. cerevisiae).

General notesThe Life Science industry has been in the grips of a reproducibility crisis for a number of years.

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contact our Support team ahead of purchase. Recommended alternatives for this product can be

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Properties

Form Liquid

Storage instructions Shipped at 4°C. Store at +4°C short term (1-2 weeks). Upon delivery aliquot. Store at -20°C or -

80°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.

Storage buffer pH: 6.50

Preservative: 0.01% Sodium azide

Constituents: 0.42% Potassium phosphate, 0.87% Sodium chloride

Purity IgG fraction

Purification notes Purified from monospecific antiserum by a multi-step process which includes delipidation, salt

fractionation and ion exchange chromatography followed by extensive dialysis against the buffer stated above. Assay by immunoelectrophoresis resulted in a single precipitin arc against anti-

rabbit serum.

Clonality Polyclonal

Isotype IgG

Applications

The Abpromise guarantee

Our **Abpromise guarantee** covers the use of ab4753 in the following tested applications.

The application notes include recommended starting dilutions; optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.

Application	Abreviews	Notes
WB	★★★★ ☆ (4)	1/4000 - 1/8000. Detects a band of approximately 14 kDa. This antibody using the specified conditions may recognize other prominent intrinsic bands (UBLs or their conjugates). Other intrinsic bands are readily detectable in yeast lysates at lower antibody dilutions.
ELISA		1/20000 - 1/100000.

Target

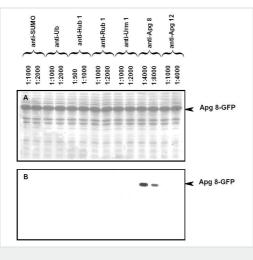
Relevance

ATG8 is a ubiquitin-like protein in yeast required for autophagy (intracellular bulk protein degradation). Starved yeast cells take up their own cytoplasm into vacuoles through autophagic bodies. ATG8 is requiered for autophagy: modified by the serial action of ATG4, ATG7, and ATG3, and conjugated at the C terminus with phosphatidylethanolamine, to become the form essential for generation of autophagosomes. ATG8 interacts also with the endoplasmic reticulum to Golgi v-SNARE protein BET1 and the vacuolar v-SNARE protein NYV1. ATG8 is highly conserved, with apparent homologues in the worm, mammals and plants. In higher eukaryotes, ATG8 consists of a multigene family.

Cellular localization

Cytoplasmic

Images



Western blot - Anti-ATG8 antibody (ab4753)

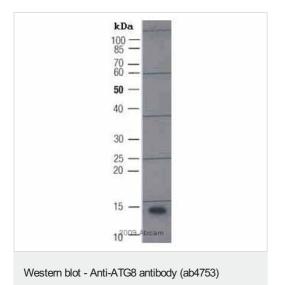
Ab4753, generated by immunization with recombinant yeast ATG8 (or Apg 8), was tested by immunoblot with other anti-UBL (Ubiquitin-like modifier) antibodies against E.coli lysates expressing the ATG8-GFP fusion protein (Apg 8-GFP in both panels)). All UBLs possess limited homology to Ubiquitin and to each other, therefore it is important to know the degree of reactivity of each antibody against each UBL.

Panel A shows total protein staining using ponceau.

Panel B shows specific reaction with ATG8 (Apg 8) using a 1:4,000 and 1:8,000 dilution of ab4753 followed by reaction with a 1:15,000 dilution of HRP Goat-a-Rabbit IgG (ab7090). All primary antibodies were diluted in TTBS buffer supplemented with 5% non-fat milk and incubated with the membranes overnight at 4° C. E.coli lysate proteins were separated by SDS-PAGE using a 15% gel.

Similar experiments (data not shown), where other UBL fusion proteins were separated and probed with this antibody showed no

react



This image is courtesy of an anonymous abreview.

Anti-ATG8 antibody (ab4753) at 1/1500 dilution + Whole cell lysate prepared from Human huh-7 cells expressing the Saccharomyces cerevisiae protein at 15 µg

Secondary

Sheep anti-rabbit IgG conjugated to HRP at 1/7000 dilution

Observed band size: 15 kDa

Exposure time: 4 minutes

Gel run under denaturing conditions.

Primary antibody incubated for 10 minutes at 20°C.

Blocked using 0.5% milk for 1 minute at 20°C.

Detection method: Western lightning chemiluminescent reagent.

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