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### Product datasheet

# Recombinant Human Retinoid X Receptor alpha/RXRA protein ab82050

**Description** 

Product name Recombinant Human Retinoid X Receptor alpha/RXRA protein

Purity > 95 % SDS-PAGE.

Expression system Escherichia coli

Protein length Full length protein

Animal free No

Nature Recombinant

**Species** Human

Tags His tag N-Terminus

Additional sequence information 6His Tag at the N-terminus

#### **Specifications**

Our **Abpromise guarantee** covers the use of **ab82050** in the following tested applications.

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

**Applications** SDS-PAGE

Form Liquid

Additional notes This product was previously labelled as Retinoid X Receptor alpha

#### **Preparation and Storage**

Stability and Storage Shipped on dry ice. Upon delivery aliquot and store at -80°C. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles.

pH: 7.9

 $Constituents: 0.75\%\ Potassium\ chloride,\ 0.0154\%\ DTT,\ 0.316\%\ Tris\ HCl,\ 0.00584\%\ EDTA,\ 20\%$ 

Glycerol (glycerin, glycerine)

#### **General Info**

#### **Function**

modifications

Receptor for retinoic acid. Retinoic acid receptors bind as heterodimers to their target response elements in response to their ligands, all-trans or 9-cis retinoic acid, and regulate gene expression in various biological processes. The RAR/RXR heterodimers bind to the retinoic acid response elements (RARE) composed of tandem 5'-AGGTCA-3' sites known as DR1-DR5. The high affinity ligand for RXRs is 9-cis retinoic acid. RXRA serves as a common heterodimeric partner for a number of nuclear receptors. The RXR/RAR heterodimers bind to the retinoic acid response elements (RARE) composed of tandem 5'-AGGTCA-3' sites known as DR1-DR5. In the absence of ligand, the RXR-RAR heterodimers associate with a multiprotein complex containing transcription corepressors that induce histone acetylation, chromatin condensation and transcriptional suppression. On ligand binding, the corepressors dissociate from the receptors and associate with the coactivators leading to transcriptional activation. The RXRA/PPARA heterodimer is required for PPARA transcriptional activity on fatty acid oxidation genes such as ACOX1 and the P450 system genes.

**Tissue specificity** Highly expressed in liver, also found in lung, kidney and heart.

**Sequence similarities**Belongs to the nuclear hormone receptor family. NR2 subfamily.

Contains 1 nuclear receptor DNA-binding domain.

**Domain**Composed of three domains: a modulating N-terminal domain (AF1 domain), a DNA-binding

domain and a C-terminal ligand-binding domain (AF2 domain).

**Post-translational** Phosphorylated on serine and threonine residues mainly in the N-terminal modulating domain.

Constitutively phosphorylated on Ser-21 in the presence or absence of ligand. Under stress conditions, hyperphosphorylated by activated JNK on Ser-56, Ser-70, Thr-82 and Ser-260 (By similarity). Phosphorylated on Ser-27, in vitro, by PKA. This phosphorylation is required for

repression of cAMP-mediated transcriptional activity of RARA.

Sumoylation negatively regulates transcriptional activity. Desumoylated specifically by SENP6.

Cellular localization Nucleus.

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