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ab307729

Anti-eIF4A2 antibody [EPR27347-74] - BSA and Azide free

Recombinant | RabMAb | KO Validated

Key facts

Isotype	IgG
Host species	Rabbit
Storage buffer	pH: 7.2 - 7.4 Constituents: PBS
Form	Liquid
Clonality	Monoclonal
Immunogen	The exact immunogen used to generate this antibody is proprietary information.
Carrier free	Yes
Clone number	EPR27347-74
Purification technique	Affinity purification Protein A
Concentration	0.997 mg/mL The concentration of this product may be batch-dependent Batch concentration finder →

Reactivity data

WB

Tested

Species	Human, Recombinant fragment - Human, Mouse, Rat
Dilution info	-

Notes	-

IHC-P

Tested

Species	Human, Mouse, Rat
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Not recommended

Species	Recombinant fragment - Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

ICC/IF

Tested

Species	Human, Mouse, Rat
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Not recommended

Species	Recombinant fragment - Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Flow Cyt (Intra)

Tested

Species	Human, Mouse, Rat
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Not recommended

Species	Recombinant fragment - Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

IP

Tested

Species	Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Not recommended

Species	Mouse, Rat, Recombinant fragment - Human
Dilution info	-
Notes	-

Target data

See full target information EIF4A2

Function	ATP-dependent RNA helicase which is a subunit of the eIF4F complex involved in cap recognition and is required for mRNA binding to ribosome. In the current model of translation initiation, eIF4A unwinds RNA secondary structures in the 5'-UTR of mRNAs which is necessary to allow efficient binding of the small ribosomal subunit, and subsequent scanning for the initiator codon.

Storage

Shipped at conditions	Blue Ice
Appropriate short-term storage conditions	+4°C
Appropriate long-term storage conditions	+4°C

Notes

Patented technology
Our RabMAb® technology is a patented hybridoma-based technology for making rabbit monoclonal antibodies. For details on our patents, please refer to RabMAb® patents.

What are the advantages of a recombinant monoclonal antibody?
This product is a recombinant monoclonal antibody, which offers several advantages including:

- High batch-to-batch consistency and reproducibility
- Improved sensitivity and specificity
- Long-term security of supply
- Animal-free batch production

For more information, read more on recombinant antibodies.

Conjugation ready
Our carrier-free antibodies are typically supplied in a PBS-only formulation, purified and free of BSA, sodium azide and glycerol. This conjugation-ready format is designed for use with fluorochromes, metal isotopes, oligonucleotides, and enzymes, which makes them ideal for antibody labelling, functional and cell-based assays, flow-based assays (e.g. mass cytometry) and Multiplex Imaging applications.

Use our conjugation kits for antibody conjugates that are ready-to-use in as little as 20 minutes with 1 minute hands-on-time and 100% antibody recovery: available for fluorescent dyes, HRP, biotin and gold.

Compatibility
This product is compatible with the Maxpar® Antibody Labeling Kit from Fluidigm, without the need for antibody preparation. Maxpar® is a trademark of Fluidigm Canada Inc.

Supplementary info

This supplementary information is collated from multiple sources and compiled automatically.

Activity summary	The eIF4A2 also known as DDX2B functions as an RNA helicase with an ATP-dependent mechanism. It unwinds RNA secondary structures in the 5'UTR of mRNAs to facilitate ribosome binding. eIF4A2 belongs to the DEAD-box family of proteins and it has a molecular mass of approximately 46 kDa. It is ubiquitously expressed in various tissues indicating its broad role in cellular processes.
Biological function summary	EIF4A2 is integral to the initiation of protein synthesis. It acts as a core member of the eIF4F complex along with the cap-binding protein eIF4E and scaffold protein eIF4G. This complex enables the recruitment of ribosomes to mRNA an important step in translation initiation. eIF4A2 helps regulate the translation of specific mRNAs that are important for cell growth and proliferation affecting how cells respond to environmental stimuli.
Pathways	EIF4A2 plays a significant role in the mTOR and MAPK signaling pathways. In the mTOR pathway eIF4A2 controls the translation of mRNAs that drive cell growth and metabolism. It also interacts with other proteins such as mTORC1 and S6K which modulate these processes. Its involvement in the MAPK pathway links it with cell survival and stress responses emphasizing its interaction with proteins like MEK1/2 and ERK1/2 that further propagate these signals.

Associated diseases and disorders	EIF4A2 has implications in cancer and neurodegenerative diseases. eIF4A2's overexpression has been associated with various cancers whereby it encourages oncogenic transformation through its role in synthesis of growth-related proteins. Moreover the helicase has links to Alzheimer's disease where it may influence disease progression by modulating synaptic plasticity proteins such as APP and tau important for neuronal function. The regulation by eIF4A2 of these proteins highlights its potential as a therapeutic target.

Product promise

Tested

We have tested this species and application combination and it works. It is covered by our product promise.

Expected

We have not tested this specific species and application combination in-house, but expect it will work. It is covered by our product promise.

Predicted

This species and application combination has not been tested, but we predict it will work based on strong homology. However, this combination is not covered by our product promise.

Not recommended

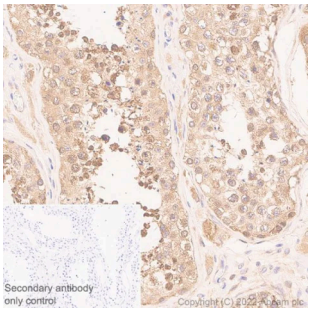
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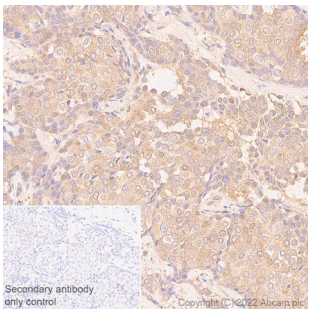
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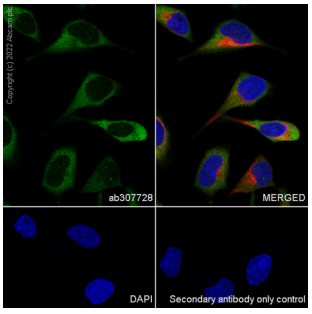
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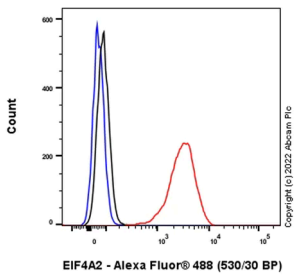
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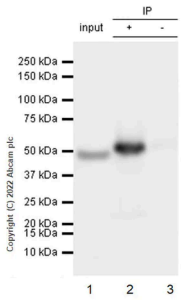
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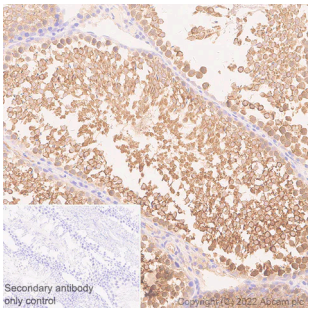
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All lanes:
Immunoprecipitation - Anti-eIF4A2 antibody [EPR27347-74] (ab307728) at 1/30 dilution

Secondary

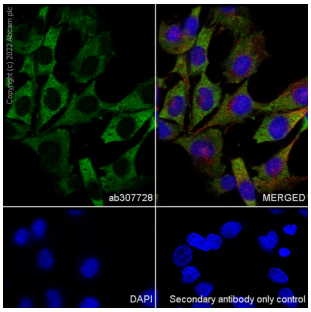
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Exposure time: 1s



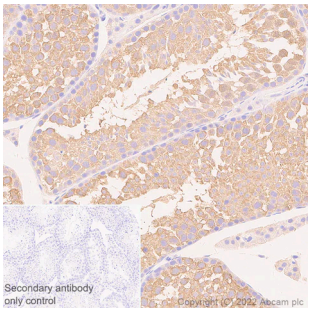
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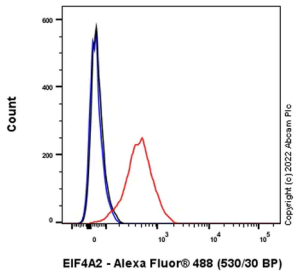
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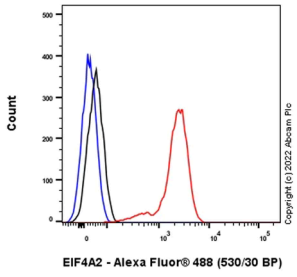
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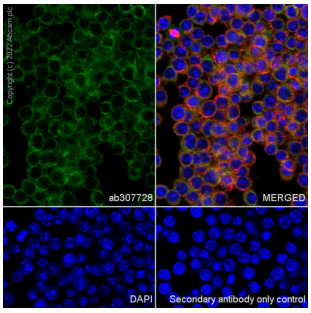
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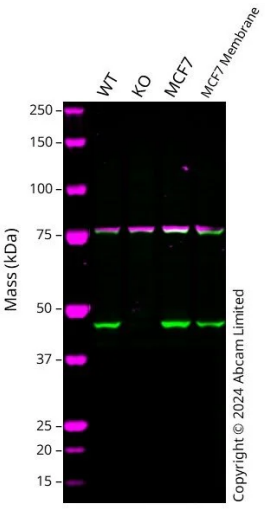
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Western blot - Anti-eIF4A2 antibody [EPR27347-74] - BSA and Azide free (ab307729)

EIF4A2 Western blot staining using rabbit Anti-eIF4A2 antibody

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Western blot: Anti-EIF4A2 antibody [EPR27347-74] (ab307728) staining at 1/1000 dilution, shown in green; Mouse anti-CANX [CANX/1543] (ab238078) loading control staining at 1/20000 dilution, shown in magenta. In Western blot, ab307728 was shown to bind specifically to EIF4A2. A band was observed at 48 kDa in wild-type A549 cell lysates with no signal observed at this size in EIF4A2 knockout cell line (ab326029). To generate this image, wild-type and EIF4A2 knockout A549 cell lysates were analysed. First, samples were run on an SDS-PAGE gel then transferred onto a nitrocellulose membrane. Membranes were blocked in 5 % milk in TBS-0.1 % Tween® 20 (TBS-T) before incubation with primary antibodies overnight at 4 °C. Blots were washed four times in TBS-T, incubated with secondary antibodies for 1 h at room temperature, washed again four times then imaged. Secondary antibodies used were Goat anti-Rabbit IgG H&L 800CW and Goat anti-Mouse IgG H&L 680RD at 1/20000 dilution.
All lanes:
Western blot - Anti-eIF4A2 antibody [EPR27347-74] (ab307728) at 1/1000 dilution

Lane 1:
Wild-type A549 cell lysate at 20 µg

Lane 2:
Western blot - Human EIF4A2 knockout A549 cell line (ab326029) at 20 µg

Lane 3:
MCF7 cell lysate at 20 µg

Lane 4:
MCF7 Membrane Prep cell lysate at 20 µg

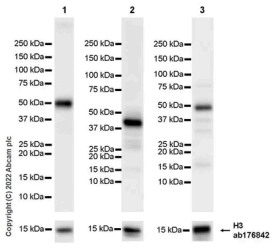
Secondary

Lanes 1 - 4:
Goat anti-Rabbit IgG H&L 800CW at 1/20000 dilution

Lanes 1 - 4:
Goat anti-Mouse IgG H&L 680RD at 1/20000 dilution

Performed under reducing conditions.

Observed band size: 48 kDa



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All lanes:
Western blot - Anti-eIF4A2 antibody [EPR27347-74] (ab307728) at 1/1000 dilution

Lane 1:
Human brain tissue lysate at 20 µg

Lane 2:
Human heart tissue lysate at 20 µg

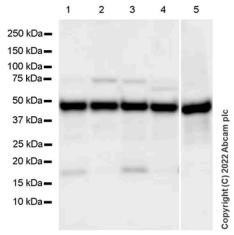
Lane 3:
Human liver tissue lysate at 20 µg

Secondary

All lanes:
Western blot - Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) (ab97051) at 1/100000 dilution

Observed band size: 48 kDa

Exposure time: 6s



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All lanes:
Western blot - Anti-eIF4A2 antibody [EPR27347-74] (ab307728) at 1/1000 dilution

Lane 1:
HeLa (human cervix adenocarcinoma epithelial cell) whole cell lysate at 20 µg

Lane 2:
MCF7 (human breast adenocarcinoma epithelial cell) whole cell lysate at 20 µg

Lane 3:
293T (human embryonic kidney epithelial cell) whole cell lysate at 20 µg

Lane 4:
Raji (human Burkitts lymphoma B lymphocyte) whole cell lysate at 20 µg

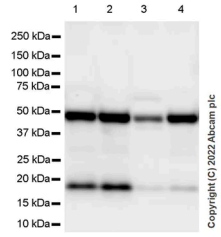
Lane 5:
Human testis tissue lysate at 20 µg

Secondary

All lanes:
Western blot - Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) (ab97051) at 1/100000 dilution

Observed band size: 48 kDa

Exposure time: 10s



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All lanes:
Western blot - Anti-eIF4A2 antibody [EPR27347-74] (ab307728) at 1/1000 dilution

Lane 1:

C6 (rat glial tumor glial cell) whole cell lysate at 20 µg

Lane 2:
PC-12 (rat adrenal gland pheochromocytoma) whole cell lysate at 20 µg

Lane 3:
RAW264.7 (mouse Abelson murine leukemia virus-induced tumor macrophage) whole cell lysate at 20 µg

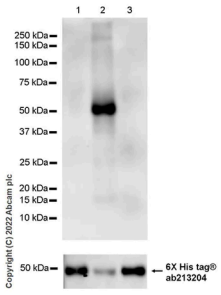
Lane 4:
C2C12 (mouse myoblast) whole cell lysate at 20 µg

Secondary

All lanes:
Western blot - Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) (ab97051) at 1/100000 dilution

Observed band size: 48 kDa

Exposure time: 15s



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This antibody does not cross-react with human EIF4A1 and human EIF4A3.

This blot was developed using a high sensitivity ECL substrate. The high-sensitivity ECL substrate used allows for the detection of proteins in the mid-femtogram range.

In Western blot, anti-His antibody (ab213204) staining at 1/5000 dilution.

All lanes:
Western blot - Anti-eIF4A2 antibody [EPR27347-74] (ab307728) at 1/1000 dilution

Lane 1:
His-tagged human EIF4A1 recombinant protein at 10 ng

Lane 2:
His-tagged human EIF4A2 recombinant protein at 10 ng

Lane 3:
His-tagged human EIF4A3 recombinant protein at 10 ng

Secondary

All lanes:
Western blot - Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) (ab97051) at 1/100000 dilution

Developed using the ECL technique.

Observed band size: 48 kDa

Exposure time: 48s

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