

# EIF2AK3 Antibody

Purified Mouse Monoclonal Antibody (Mab)

Catalog # AM8570b

## Product Information

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Application	WB, E
Primary Accession	<a href="#">Q9NZJ5</a>
Reactivity	Human, Mouse, Rat
Host	Mouse
Clonality	monoclonal
Isotype	IgG1
Clone Names	1385CT582.4.39
Calculated MW	125216

## Additional Information

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Gene ID	9451
Other Names	Eukaryotic translation initiation factor 2-alpha kinase 3, 2.7.11.1, PRKR-like endoplasmic reticulum kinase, Pancreatic eIF2-alpha kinase, HsPEK, EIF2AK3, PEK, PERK
Target/Specificity	This EIF2AK3 antibody is generated from a mouse immunized with a recombinant protein conjugated synthetic peptide between 530-850 amino acids from human EIF2AK3.
Dilution	WB~~1:250-1:1000 E~~Use at an assay dependent concentration.
Format	Purified monoclonal antibody supplied in PBS with 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide. This antibody is purified through a protein G column, followed by dialysis against PBS.
Storage	Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 2 weeks. For long term storage store at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.
Precautions	EIF2AK3 Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

## Protein Information

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Name	EIF2AK3 {ECO:0000303   PubMed:10932183, ECO:0000312   HGNC:HGNC:3255}
Function	Metabolic-stress sensing protein kinase that phosphorylates the alpha subunit of eukaryotic translation initiation factor 2 (EIF2S1/eIF-2-alpha) in response to various stress, such as unfolded protein response (UPR)

(PubMed:[10026192](#), PubMed:[10677345](#), PubMed:[11907036](#), PubMed:[12086964](#), PubMed:[25925385](#), PubMed:[31023583](#)). Key effector of the integrated stress response (ISR) to unfolded proteins: EIF2AK3/PERK specifically recognizes and binds misfolded proteins, leading to its activation and EIF2S1/eIF-2-alpha phosphorylation (PubMed:[10677345](#), PubMed:[27917829](#), PubMed:[31023583](#)). EIF2S1/eIF-2-alpha phosphorylation in response to stress converts EIF2S1/eIF-2-alpha in a global protein synthesis inhibitor, leading to a global attenuation of cap-dependent translation, while concomitantly initiating the preferential translation of ISR-specific mRNAs, such as the transcriptional activators ATF4 and QRICH1, and hence allowing ATF4- and QRICH1-mediated reprogramming (PubMed:[10026192](#), PubMed:[10677345](#), PubMed:[31023583](#), PubMed:[33384352](#)). The EIF2AK3/PERK- mediated unfolded protein response increases mitochondrial oxidative phosphorylation by promoting ATF4-mediated expression of COX7A2L/SCAF1, thereby increasing formation of respiratory chain supercomplexes (PubMed:[31023583](#)). In contrast to most subcellular compartments, mitochondria are protected from the EIF2AK3/PERK-mediated unfolded protein response due to EIF2AK3/PERK inhibition by ATAD3A at mitochondria-endoplasmic reticulum contact sites (PubMed:[39116259](#)). In addition to EIF2S1/eIF-2-alpha, also phosphorylates NFE2L2/NRF2 in response to stress, promoting release of NFE2L2/NRF2 from the BCR(KEAP1) complex, leading to nuclear accumulation and activation of NFE2L2/NRF2 (By similarity). Serves as a critical effector of unfolded protein response (UPR)-induced G1 growth arrest due to the loss of cyclin-D1 (CCND1) (By similarity). Involved in control of mitochondrial morphology and function (By similarity).

#### Cellular Location

Endoplasmic reticulum membrane {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q9Z2B5}; Single-pass type I membrane protein. Note=Localizes to the Localizes to endoplasmic reticulum membrane (By similarity). Also present at mitochondria-endoplasmic reticulum contact sites; where it interacts with ATAD3A (PubMed:39116259). {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q9Z2B5, ECO:0000269|PubMed:39116259}

#### Tissue Location

Ubiquitous. A high level expression is seen in secretory tissues.

## Background

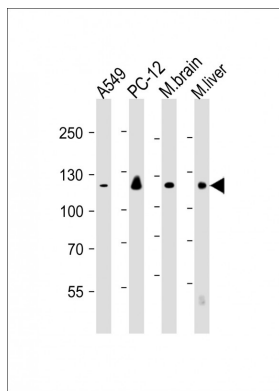
Phosphorylates the alpha subunit of eukaryotic translation-initiation factor 2 (EIF2), leading to its inactivation and thus to a rapid reduction of translational initiation and repression of global protein synthesis. Serves as a critical effector of unfolded protein response (UPR)-induced G1 growth arrest due to the loss of cyclin-D1 (CCND1). Involved in control of mitochondrial morphology and function (By similarity).

## References

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## Images

All lanes : Anti-EIF2AK3 Antibody at 1:250-1:1000 dilution  
 Lane 1: A549 whole cell lysate Lane 2: PC-12 whole cell



lysate Lane 3: mouse brain lysate Lane 4: mouse liver  
lysate Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane. Secondary Goat  
Anti-mouse IgG, (H+L), Peroxidase conjugated at 1/10000  
dilution. Predicted band size : 125 kDa Blocking/Dilution  
buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST.

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