



# Calnexin Antibody

Purified Mouse Monoclonal Antibody Catalog # AO1158a

## **Product Information**

**Application** WB, ICC, E **Primary Accession** P27824 Reactivity Human Host Mouse Monoclonal Clonality **Clone Names** 3H4A7 Isotype IgG2b 67568 **Calculated MW** 

**Description** This gene encodes a member of the calnexin family of molecular chaperones.

The encoded protein is a calcium-binding, endoplasmic reticulum

(ER)-associated protein that interacts transiently with newly synthesized N-linked glycoproteins, facilitating protein folding and assembly. It may also play a central role in the quality control of protein folding by retaining incorrectly folded protein subunits within the ER for degradation.

Alternatively spliced transcript variants encoding the same protein have been

described.

Immunogen Synthetic peptide corresponding to aa (CEAAEERPWLWVVYILTVAL) of human

Calnexin, conjugated to KLH.

**Formulation** Ascitic fluid containing 0.03% sodium azide.

# **Additional Information**

Gene ID 821

Other Names Calnexin, IP90, Major histocompatibility complex class I antigen-binding

protein p88, p90, CANX

**Dilution** WB~~1/500 - 1/2000 ICC~~N/A E~~N/A

**Storage** Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store

at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

**Precautions** Calnexin Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or

therapeutic procedures.

### **Protein Information**

Name CANX

#### **Function**

Calcium-binding protein that interacts with newly synthesized monoglucosylated glycoproteins in the endoplasmic reticulum. It may act in assisting protein assembly and/or in the retention within the ER of unassembled protein subunits. It seems to play a major role in the quality control apparatus of the ER by the retention of incorrectly folded proteins. Associated with partial T-cell antigen receptor complexes that escape the ER of immature thymocytes, it may function as a signaling complex regulating thymocyte maturation. Additionally it may play a role in receptor-mediated endocytosis at the synapse.

#### **Cellular Location**

Endoplasmic reticulum membrane; Single-pass type I membrane protein. Mitochondrion membrane {ECO:0000250 | UniProtKB:P24643}; Single-pass type I membrane protein. Melanosome membrane; Single-pass type I membrane protein. Note=Identified by mass spectrometry in melanosome fractions from stage I to stage IV (PubMed:12643545, PubMed:17081065). The palmitoylated form preferentially localizes to the perinuclear rough ER (PubMed:22314232) Localizes to endoplasmic reticulum mitochondria-associated membrane (MAMs) that connect the endoplasmic reticulum and the mitochondria (By similarity). {ECO:0000250 | UniProtKB:P24643, ECO:0000269 | PubMed:12643545, ECO:0000269 | PubMed:17081065, ECO:0000269 | PubMed:22314232}

# References

1. Science. 2003 Feb 28;299(5611):1394-7. 2. Exp Cell Res. 2004 Mar 10;294(1):244-53. 3. Science. 2004 Apr 23;304(5670):600-2.

# **Images**

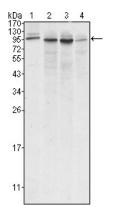


Figure 1: Western blot analysis using Calnexin mouse mAb against A431 (1), Hela (2), MCF-7 (3) and A549 (4) cell lysate.

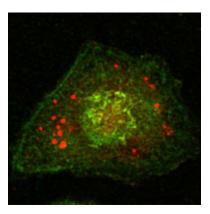


Figure 2: Confocal immunofluorescence analysis of Hela cells using Calnexin mouse mAb (green).

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