

# eIF2α (phospho Ser51) Polyclonal Antibody

Catalog # AP67025

### **Product Information**

ApplicationWB, IHC-P, IFPrimary AccessionP05198

Reactivity Human, Mouse, Rat

HostRabbitClonalityPolyclonalCalculated MW36112

### **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 1965

**Other Names** EIF2S1; EIF2A; Eukaryotic translation initiation factor 2 subunit 1; Eukaryotic

translation initiation factor 2 subunit alpha; eIF-2-alpha; eIF-2A; eIF-2alpha

**Dilution** WB~~1:1000 IHC-P~~N/A IF~~IF: 1:50-200 Western Blot: 1/500 - 1/2000.

Immunohistochemistry: 1/100 - 1/300. ELISA: 1/10000. Not yet tested in other

applications.

Format Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, 0.5% BSA and 0.09% (W/V) sodium

azide.

Storage Conditions -20°C

#### **Protein Information**

Name EIF2S1 ( HGNC:3265)

Synonyms EIF2A

**Function** Member of the eIF2 complex that functions in the early steps of protein

synthesis by forming a ternary complex with GTP and initiator tRNA (PubMed:16289705, PubMed:38340717). This complex binds to a 40S ribosomal subunit, followed by mRNA binding to form a 43S pre- initiation complex (43S PIC) (PubMed:16289705). Junction of the 60S ribosomal subunit to form the 80S initiation complex is preceded by hydrolysis of the GTP bound to eIF2 and release of an eIF2-GDP binary complex (PubMed:16289705). In order for eIF2 to recycle and catalyze another round of initiation, the GDP bound to eIF2 must exchange with GTP by way of a reaction catalyzed by eIF2B (PubMed:16289705). EIF2S1/eIF2-alpha is a key component of the integrated stress response (ISR), required for adaptation to various stress: phosphorylation by metabolic-stress sensing protein kinases (EIF2AK1/HRI, EIF2AK2/PKR, EIF2AK3/PERK and EIF2AK4/GCN2) in response to stress converts EIF2S1/eIF2-alpha in a global protein synthesis inhibitor, leading to

an 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:19131336, PubMed:33384352, PubMed:38340717). EIF2S1/eIF2-alpha also acts as an activator of mitophagy in response to mitochondrial damage: phosphorylation by EIF2AK1/HRI promotes relocalization to the mitochondrial surface, thereby triggering PRKN-independent mitophagy (PubMed:38340717).

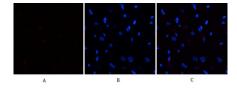
#### **Cellular Location**

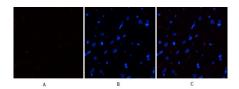
Cytoplasm, Stress granule {ECO:0000250 | UniProtKB:Q6ZWX6}. Cytoplasm, cytosol {ECO:0000250 | UniProtKB:P56286}. Mitochondrion. Note=Colocalizes with NANOS3 in the stress granules (By similarity). Relocalizes to the surface of mitochondria in response to mitochondrial damage and phosphorylation by EIF2AK1/HRI (PubMed:38340717). {ECO:0000250 | UniProtKB:Q6ZWX6, ECO:0000269 | PubMed:38340717}

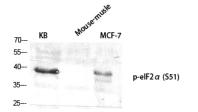
## Background

Functions in the early steps of protein synthesis by forming a ternary complex with GTP and initiator tRNA. This complex binds to a 40S ribosomal subunit, followed by mRNA binding to form a 43S pre-initiation complex. Junction of the 60S ribosomal subunit to form the 80S initiation complex is preceded by hydrolysis of the GTP bound to eIF-2 and release of an eIF-2- GDP binary complex. In order for eIF-2 to recycle and catalyze another round of initiation, the GDP bound to eIF-2 must exchange with GTP by way of a reaction catalyzed by eIF-2B.

## **Images**





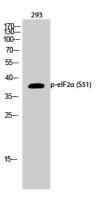


Immunofluorescence analysis of rat-heart tissue. 1,eIF2α (phospho Ser51) Polyclonal Antibody(red) was diluted at 1:200(4°C,overnight). 2, Cy3 labled Secondary antibody was diluted at 1:300(room temperature, 50min).3, Picture B: DAPI(blue) 10min. Picture A:Target. Picture B: DAPI. Picture C: merge of A+B

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Western Blot analysis of various cells using Phospho-eIF2 $\alpha$  (S51) Polyclonal Antibody diluted at 1 : 2000

Western Blot analysis of 293 cells using Phospho-eIF2α (S51) Polyclonal Antibody diluted at 1: 2000



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