

Rab 18 Polyclonal Antibody

Catalog # AP72103

Product Information

Application	WB
Primary Accession	Q9NP72
Reactivity	Human, Mouse, Rat
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Calculated MW	22977

Additional Information

Gene ID	22931
Other Names	RAB18; Ras-related protein Rab-18
Dilution	WB--Western Blot: 1/500 - 1/2000. 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	RAB18 (HGNC:14244)
Function	<p>The small GTPases Rab are key regulators of intracellular membrane trafficking, from the formation of transport vesicles to their fusion with membranes (PubMed:24891604, PubMed:30970241). Rabs cycle between an inactive GDP-bound form and an active GTP-bound form that is able to recruit to membranes different sets of downstream effectors directly responsible for vesicle formation, movement, tethering and fusion (PubMed:24891604, PubMed:30970241). RAB18 is required for the localization of ZFYVE1 to lipid droplets and for its function in mediating the formation of endoplasmic reticulum-lipid droplets (ER-LD) contacts (PubMed:30970241). Also required for maintaining endoplasmic reticulum structure (PubMed:24891604). Plays a role in apical endocytosis/recycling (By similarity). Plays a key role in eye and brain development and neurodegeneration (PubMed:21473985).</p>
Cellular Location	<p>Endoplasmic reticulum membrane. Golgi apparatus, cis-Golgi network membrane Lipid droplet. Apical cell membrane {ECO:0000250 UniProtKB:P35293}. Note=Localized to the ER membrane as well as to the cis-Golgi in fibroblasts.</p>

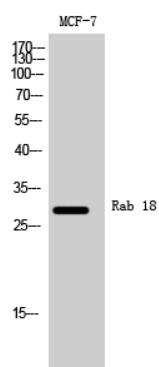
Tissue Location

Ubiquitous.

Background

Plays a role in apical endocytosis/recycling. May be implicated in transport between the plasma membrane and early endosomes. Plays a key role in eye and brain development and neurodegeneration.

Images



Western Blot analysis of MCF-7 cells using Rab 18 Polyclonal Antibody

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