

# PERK Rabbit mAb

Catalog # AP75893

### **Product Information**

Application WB Primary Accession Q9NZJ5

**Reactivity** Human, Mouse, Rat

**Host** Rabbi

**Clonality** Monoclonal Antibody

Calculated MW 125216

### **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 9451

Other Names EIF2AK3

**Dilution** WB~~1/500-1/1000

Format 50mM Tris-Glycine(pH 7.4), 0.15M NaCl, 40%Glycerol, 0.01% sodium azide and

0.05% BSA.

**Storage** Store at 4°C short term. Aliquot and store at -20°C long term. Avoid

freeze/thaw cycles.

# **Protein Information**

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).

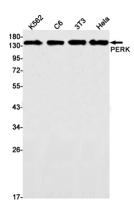
#### **Cellular Location**

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.

# **Images**



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