

# **ISG15** Antibody

Rabbit mAb Catalog # AP92181

### **Product Information**

Application WB, IF, ICC
Primary Accession P05161
Reactivity Human
Clonality Monoclonal

Other Names G1P2; hUCRP; IFI15; IP17; ISG15; UCRP;

IsotypeRabbit IgGHostRabbitCalculated MW17888

## **Additional Information**

**Dilution** WB 1:500~1:2000 ICC/IF 1:50~1:200

**Purification** Affinity-chromatography

**Immunogen** A synthesized peptide derived from human ISG15

**Description** Ubiquitin-like protein that is conjugated to intracellular target proteins after

IFN-alpha or IFN-beta stimulation. Its enzymatic pathway is partially distinct from that of ubiquitin, differing in substrate specificity and interaction with

ligating enzymes.

Storage Condition and Buffer Rabbit IgG in phosphate buffered saline, pH 7.4, 150mM NaCl, 0.02% sodium

azide and 50% glycerol. Store at +4°C short term. Store at -20°C long term.

Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.

#### **Protein Information**

Name ISG15 ( HGNC:4053)

**Synonyms** G1P2, UCRP

**Function** Ubiquitin-like protein which plays a key role in the innate immune response

to viral infection either via its conjugation to a target protein (ISGylation) or via its action as a free or unconjugated protein (PubMed:27564865, PubMed:39465252). ISGylation involves a cascade of enzymatic reactions involving E1, E2, and E3 enzymes which catalyze the conjugation of ISG15 to a lysine residue in the target protein (PubMed:33727702). Its target proteins include IFIT1, MX1/MxA, PPM1B, UBE2L6, UBA7, CHMP5, CHMP2A, CHMP4B and CHMP6. Isgylation of the viral sensor IFIH1/MDA5 promotes IFIH1/MDA5 oligomerization and triggers activation of innate immunity against a range of

viruses, including coronaviruses, flaviviruses and picornaviruses

(PubMed:<u>33727702</u>). Can also isgylate: EIF2AK2/PKR which results in its activation, RIGI which inhibits its function in antiviral signaling response,

EIF4E2 which enhances its cap structure-binding activity and

translation-inhibition activity, UBE2N and UBE2E1 which negatively regulates their activity, IRF3 which inhibits its ubiquitination and degradation and FLNB which prevents its ability to interact with the upstream activators of the JNK cascade thereby inhibiting IFNA-induced INK signaling. Exhibits antiviral activity towards both DNA and RNA viruses, including influenza A, HIV-1 and Ebola virus. Restricts HIV-1 and ebola virus via disruption of viral budding. Inhibits the ubiquitination of HIV-1 Gag and host TSG101 and disrupts their interaction, thereby preventing assembly and release of virions from infected cells. Inhibits Ebola virus budding mediated by the VP40 protein by disrupting ubiquitin ligase activity of NEDD4 and its ability to ubiquitinate VP40. ISGylates influenza A virus NS1 protein which causes a loss of function of the protein and the inhibition of virus replication. The secreted form of ISG15 can: induce natural killer cell proliferation, act as a chemotactic factor for neutrophils and act as a IFN-gamma-inducing cytokine playing an essential role in antimycobacterial immunity. The secreted form acts through the integrin ITGAL/ITGB2 receptor to initiate activation of SRC family tyrosine kinases including LYN, HCK and FGR which leads to secretion of IFNG and IL10; the interaction is mediated by ITGAL (PubMed:29100055).

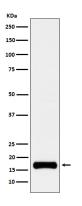
#### **Cellular Location**

Cytoplasm. Secreted Note=Exists in three distinct states: free within the cell, released into the extracellular space, or conjugated to target proteins

#### **Tissue Location**

Detected in lymphoid cells, striated and smooth muscle, several epithelia and neurons. Expressed in neutrophils, monocytes and lymphocytes. Enhanced expression seen in pancreatic adenocarcinoma, endometrial cancer, and bladder cancer, as compared to non-cancerous tissue. In bladder cancer, the increase in expression exhibits a striking positive correlation with more advanced stages of the disease.

## **Images**



Western blot analysis of ISG15 expression in HeLa cell treated with 10 ng/ml IFN-a lysate.

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