

# BLVRB Antibody (C-term)

Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab) Catalog # AW5035

## **Product Information**

Application WB Primary Accession P30043

Other Accession Q923D2, P52556
Reactivity Human, Mouse

Predicted Bovine
Host Rabbit
Clonality polyclonal
Calculated MW 22119
Isotype Rabbit IgG
Antigen Source HUMAN

# **Additional Information**

Gene ID 645

Antigen Region 161-175

Other Names Flavin reductase (NADPH), FR, Biliverdin reductase B, BVR-B, Biliverdin-IX

beta-reductase, Green heme-binding protein, GHBP, NADPH-dependent

diaphorase, NADPH-flavin reductase, FLR, BLVRB, FLR

**Dilution** WB~~1:1000

Target/Specificity This BLVRB antibody is generated from a rabbit immunized with a KLH

conjugated synthetic peptide between 161-175 amino acids from the

C-terminal region of human BLVRB.

**Format** Purified polyclonal antibody supplied in PBS with 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide.

This antibody is purified through a protein A column, followed by peptide

affinity purification.

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

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

**Precautions**BLVRB Antibody (C-term) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic

or therapeutic procedures.

## **Protein Information**

Name BLVRB ( HGNC:1063)

#### **Function**

Enzyme that can both act as a NAD(P)H-dependent reductase and a S-nitroso-CoA-dependent nitrosyltransferase (PubMed: 10620517, PubMed: 18241201, PubMed: 27207795, PubMed: 38056462, PubMed:7929092). Promotes fetal heme degradation during development (PubMed: 10858451, PubMed: 18241201, PubMed: 7929092). Also expressed in adult tissues, where it acts as a regulator of hematopoiesis, intermediary metabolism (glutaminolysis, glycolysis, TCA cycle and pentose phosphate pathway) and insulin signaling (PubMed:27207795, PubMed:29500232, PubMed:38056462). Has a broad specificity oxidoreductase activity by catalyzing the NAD(P)H-dependent reduction of a variety of flavins, such as riboflavin, FAD or FMN, biliverdins, methemoglobin and PQQ (pyrroloquinoline quinone) (PubMed: 10620517, PubMed: 18241201, PubMed:7929092). Contributes to fetal heme catabolism by catalyzing reduction of biliverdin IXbeta into bilirubin IXbeta in the liver (PubMed: 10858451, PubMed: 18241201, PubMed: 7929092). Biliverdin IXbeta, which constitutes the major heme catabolite in the fetus is not present in adult (PubMed:10858451, PubMed:18241201, PubMed:7929092). Does not reduce bilirubin IXalpha (PubMed: 10858451, PubMed: 18241201, PubMed:7929092). Can also reduce the complexed Fe(3+) iron to Fe(2+) in the presence of FMN and NADPH (PubMed: 10620517). Acts as a protein nitrosyltransferase by catalyzing nitrosylation of cysteine residues of target proteins, such as HMOX2, INSR and IRS1 (PubMed;38056462). Snitroso-CoA-dependent nitrosyltransferase activity is mediated via a 'ping-pong' mechanism: BLVRB first associates with both S-nitroso-CoA and protein substrate, nitric oxide group is then transferred from S- nitroso-CoA to Cys-109 and Cys-188 residues of BLVRB and from S- nitroso-BLVRB to the protein substrate (PubMed:38056462). Inhibits insulin signaling by mediating nitrosylation of INSR and IRS1, leading to their inhibition (PubMed:38056462).

**Cellular Location** 

Cytoplasm

**Tissue Location** 

Predominantly expressed in liver and erythrocytes (PubMed:7929092). At lower levels in heart, lung, adrenal gland and cerebrum (PubMed:7929092). Expressed in adult red blood cells (PubMed:29932944).

# **Background**

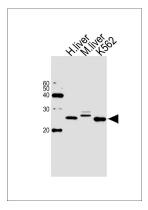
Broad specificity oxidoreductase that catalyzes the NADPH-dependent reduction of a variety of flavins, such as riboflavin, FAD or FMN, biliverdins, methemoglobin and PQQ (pyrroloquinoline quinone). Contributes to heme catabolism and metabolizes linear tetrapyrroles. Can also reduce the complexed Fe(3+) iron to Fe(2+) in the presence of FMN and NADPH. In the liver, converts biliverdin to bilirubin.

### References

Chikuba K.,et al.Biochem. Biophys. Res. Commun. 198:1170-1176(1994). Komuro A.,et al.Biol. Pharm. Bull. 19:796-804(1996). Ota T.,et al.Nat. Genet. 36:40-45(2004). Grimwood J.,et al.Nature 428:529-535(2004). Mural R.J.,et al.Submitted (JUL-2005) to the EMBL/GenBank/DDBJ databases.

# **Images**

Western blot analysis of lysates from human liver, mouse liver tissue and K562 cell line (from left to right), using BLVRB Antibody (C-term)(Cat. #AW5035). AW5035 was diluted at 1:1000 at each lane. A goat anti-rabbit IgG



H&L(HRP) at 1:10000 dilution was used as the secondary antibody.

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