

# Mouse Actl6a Antibody (C-term)

Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab) Catalog # AW5407

## **Product Information**

Application IF, WB Primary Accession Q9Z2N8

Other Accession P86173, O99MR0, O94805, A4FUX8, O4R333, O96019

**Reactivity** Human, Mouse

Host Rabbit
Clonality Polyclonal
Calculated MW 47448
Isotype Rabbit IgG
Antigen Source HUMAN

## **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 56456

Antigen Region 361-395

Other Names Actin-like protein 6A, 53 kDa BRG1-associated factor A, Actin-related protein

Baf53a, BRG1-associated factor 53A, BAF53A, Actl6a, Actl6, Baf53a

**Dilution** IF~~1:25 WB~~1:1000

**Target/Specificity** This Mouse Actl6a antibody is generated from a rabbit immunized with a KLH

conjugated synthetic peptide between 361-395 amino acids from the

C-terminal region of human Mouse Actl6a.

**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** Mouse Actl6a Antibody (C-term) is for research use only and not for use in

diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

# **Protein Information**

Name Actl6a

**Synonyms** Actl6, Baf53a

#### **Function**

Involved in transcriptional activation and repression of select genes by chromatin remodeling (alteration of DNA-nucleosome topology). Component of SWI/SNF chromatin remodeling complexes that carry out key enzymatic activities, changing chromatin structure by altering DNA-histone contacts within a nucleosome in an ATP-dependent manner. Required for maximal ATPase activity of SMARCA4/BRG1/BAF190A and for association of the SMARCA4/BRG1/BAF190A containing remodeling complex BAF with chromatin/nuclear matrix. Belongs to the neural progenitors-specific chromatin remodeling complex (npBAF complex) and is required for the proliferation of neural progenitors. During neural development a switch from a stem/progenitor to a postmitotic chromatin remodeling mechanism occurs as neurons exit the cell cycle and become committed to their adult state. The transition from proliferating neural stem/progenitor cells to postmitotic neurons requires a switch in subunit composition of the npBAF and nBAF complexes. As neural progenitors exit mitosis and differentiate into neurons, npBAF complexes which contain ACTL6A/BAF53A and PHF10/BAF45A, are exchanged for homologous alternative ACTL6B/BAF53B and DPF1/BAF45B or DPF3/BAF45C subunits in neuron-specific complexes (nBAF). The npBAF complex is essential for the self-renewal/proliferative capacity of the multipotent neural stem cells. The nBAF complex along with CREST plays a role regulating the activity of genes essential for dendrite growth (PubMed:17640523). Component of the NuA4 histone acetyltransferase (HAT) complex which is involved in transcriptional activation of select genes principally by acetylation of nucleosomal histones H4 and H2A. This modification may both alter nucleosome - DNA interactions and promote interaction of the modified histones with other proteins which positively regulate transcription. This complex may be required for the activation of transcriptional programs associated with oncogene and proto-oncogene mediated growth induction, tumor suppressor mediated growth arrest and replicative senescence, apoptosis, and DNA repair. NuA4 may also play a direct role in DNA repair when recruited to sites of DNA damage. Putative core component of the chromatin remodeling INO80 complex which is involved in transcriptional regulation, DNA replication and probably DNA repair (By similarity).

**Cellular Location** Nucleus {ECO:0000250 | UniProtKB:O96019}.

**Tissue Location** Widely expressed. Expressed selectively in neural stem and progenitor cells

(at protein level)

# **Background**

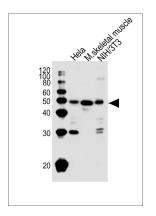
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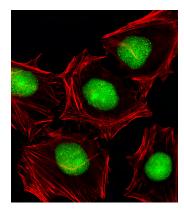
### References

Zhao K.,et al.Cell 95:625-636(1998). Carninci P.,et al.Science 309:1559-1563(2005). Lessard J.,et al.Neuron 55:201-215(2007).

# **Images**



All lanes: Anti-Actl6a Antibody (C-term) at 1:1000 dilution Lane 1: Hela whole cell lysates Lane 2: mouse skeletal muscle lysates Lane 3: NIH/3T3 whole cell lysates Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane. Secondary Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG, (H+L),Peroxidase conjugated at 1/10000 dilution Predicted band size: 47 kDa Blocking/Dilution buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST.



Fluorescent image of Hela cells stained with Mouse Actl6a Antibody (C-term)(Cat#AW5407). AW5407 was diluted at 1:25 dilution. An Alexa Fluor 488-conjugated goat anti-rabbit IgG at 1:400 dilution was used as the secondary antibody (green). Cytoplasmic actin was counterstained with Alexa Fluor® 555 conjugated with Phalloidin (red).

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