

## eIF2 $\alpha$ Polyclonal Antibody

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| <b>Catalog No :</b>          | YT1507  |
| <b>Reactivity :</b>          | Human;Mouse;Rat;Monkey;Fish   |
| <b>Applications :</b>        | IF;WB;IHC;ELISA   |
| <b>Target :</b>              | eIF2 $\alpha$   |
| <b>Fields :</b>              | >>Autophagy - animal;>>Protein processing in endoplasmic reticulum;>>Apoptosis;>>Non-alcoholic fatty liver disease;>>Alzheimer disease;>>Parkinson disease;>>Amyotrophic lateral sclerosis;>>Prion disease;>>Pathways of neurodegeneration - multiple diseases;>>Hepatitis C;>>Measles;>>Influenza A;>>Herpes simplex virus 1 infection;>>Lipid and atherosclerosis |
| <b>Gene Name :</b>           | EIF2S1  |
| <b>Protein Name :</b>        | Eukaryotic translation initiation factor 2 subunit 1  |
| <b>Human Gene Id :</b>       | 1965  |
| <b>Human Swiss Prot No :</b> | P05198  |
| <b>Mouse Gene Id :</b>       | 13665   |
| <b>Mouse Swiss Prot No :</b> | Q6ZWX6  |
| <b>Rat Gene Id :</b>         | 54318   |
| <b>Rat Swiss Prot No :</b>   | P68101  |
| <b>Immunogen :</b>           | The antiserum was produced against synthesized peptide derived from human eIF2 alpha. AA range:21-70  |
| <b>Specificity :</b>         | eIF2 $\alpha$ Polyclonal Antibody detects endogenous levels of eIF2 $\alpha$ protein.   |
| <b>Formulation :</b>         | Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, 0.5% BSA and 0.02% sodium azide.   |

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| <b>Source :</b>               | Polyclonal, Rabbit,IgG   |
| <b>Dilution :</b>             | IF 1:50-200 WB 1:500 - 1:2000. IHC 1:100 - 1:300. ELISA: 1:10000. Not yet tested in other applications.  |
| <b>Purification :</b>         | The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity-chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen.  |
| <b>Concentration :</b>        | 1 mg/ml  |
| <b>Storage Stability :</b>    | -15°C to -25°C/1 year(Do not lower than -25°C)   |
| <b>Observed Band :</b>        | 38kD   |
| <b>Background :</b>           | The translation initiation factor EIF2 catalyzes the first regulated step of protein synthesis initiation, promoting the binding of the initiator tRNA to 40S ribosomal subunits. Binding occurs as a ternary complex of methionyl-tRNA, EIF2, and GTP. EIF2 is composed of 3 nonidentical subunits, the 36-kD EIF2-alpha subunit (EIF2S1), the 38-kD EIF2-beta subunit (EIF2S2; MIM 603908), and the 52-kD EIF2-gamma subunit (EIF2S3; MIM 300161). The rate of formation of the ternary complex is modulated by the phosphorylation state of EIF2-alpha (Ernst et al., 1987 [PubMed 2948954]).[supplied by OMIM, Feb 2010],  |
| <b>Function :</b>             | function:Functions in the early steps of protein synthesis by forming a ternary complex with GTP and initiator tRNA. This complex binds to a 40S ribosomal subunit, followed by mRNA binding to form a 43S preinitiation complex. Junction of the 60S ribosomal subunit to form the 80S initiation complex is preceded by hydrolysis of the GTP bound to eIF-2 and release of an eIF-2-GDP binary complex. In order for eIF-2 to recycle and catalyze another round of initiation, the GDP bound to eIF-2 must exchange with GTP by way of a reaction catalyzed by eIF-2B.,PTM:Substrate for at least 4 kinases: EIF2AK3/PERK, GCN2, HRI and PKR. Phosphorylation stabilizes the eIF-2/GDP/eIF-2B complex and prevents GDP/GTP exchange reaction, thus impairing the recycling of eIF-2 between successive rounds of initiation and leading to global inhibition of translation. In case of infection by vaccinia virus or rotavirus |
| <b>Subcellular Location :</b> | Cytoplasm, Stress granule . Colocalizes with NANOS3 in the stress granules. .  |
| <b>Expression :</b>           | B cells,Brain,Fibroblast,Placenta,   |
| <b>Sort :</b>                 | 1  |
| <b>No3 :</b>                  | ab169528   |
| <b>No4 :</b>                  | 1  |

**Host :** Rabbit**Modifications :** Unmodified

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