

FKTN / Fukutin Antibody
Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody
Catalog # ALS13654**Specification**

FKTN / Fukutin Antibody - Product Information

Application	IF, WB, IHC
Primary Accession	075072
Reactivity	Human
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Calculated MW	54kDa kDa

FKTN / Fukutin Antibody - Additional Information**Gene ID** 2218**Other Names**

Fukutin, 2.-.-., Fukuyama-type congenital muscular dystrophy protein, FKTN, FCMD

Target/Specificity

Human Fukutin. Predicted cross-reactivity based on amino acid sequence homology: mouse (90%), rat (91%).

Reconstitution & Storage

Aliquot and store at -20°C. Minimize freezing and thawing.

Precautions

FKTN / Fukutin Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

FKTN / Fukutin Antibody - Protein Information**Name** FKTN ([HGNC:3622](#))**Function**

Catalyzes the transfer of a ribitol-phosphate from CDP- ribitol to the distal N-acetylgalactosamine of the phosphorylated O- mannosyl trisaccharide (N-acetylgalactosamine-beta-3-N-acetylglucosamine-beta-4-(phosphate-6-)mannose), a carbohydrate structure present in alpha-dystroglycan (DAG1) (PubMed: [26923585](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/26923585), PubMed: [29477842](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/29477842), PubMed: [27194101](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/27194101)). This constitutes the first step in the formation of the ribitol 5-phosphate tandem repeat which links the phosphorylated O-mannosyl trisaccharide to the ligand binding moiety composed of repeats of 3-xylosyl-alpha-1,3-glucuronic acid-beta-1 (PubMed: [17034757](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/17034757), PubMed: [25279699](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/25279699), PubMed: [26923585](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/26923585), PubMed: [26923585](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/26923585), PubMed: [26923585](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/26923585)).

href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/29477842" target="_blank">29477842, PubMed:27194101). Required for normal location of POMGNT1 in Golgi membranes, and for normal POMGNT1 activity (PubMed:17034757). May interact with and reinforce a large complex encompassing the outside and inside of muscle membranes (PubMed:25279699). Could be involved in brain development (Probable).

Cellular Location

Golgi apparatus membrane; Single-pass type II membrane protein. Cytoplasm {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q8R507}. Nucleus {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q8R507}. Note=In retinal tissue, does not localize with the Golgi apparatus. {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q8R507}

Tissue Location

Expressed in the retina (at protein level) (PubMed:29416295). Widely expressed with highest expression in brain, heart, pancreas and skeletal muscle (PubMed:11115853). Expressed at similar levels in control fetal and adult brain (PubMed:11115853) Expressed in migrating neurons, including Cajal-Retzius cells and adult cortical neurons, as well as hippocampal pyramidal cells and cerebellar Purkinje cells (PubMed:11115853). No expression observed in the glia limitans, the subpial astrocytes (which contribute to basement membrane formation) or other glial cells (PubMed:11115853)

Volume

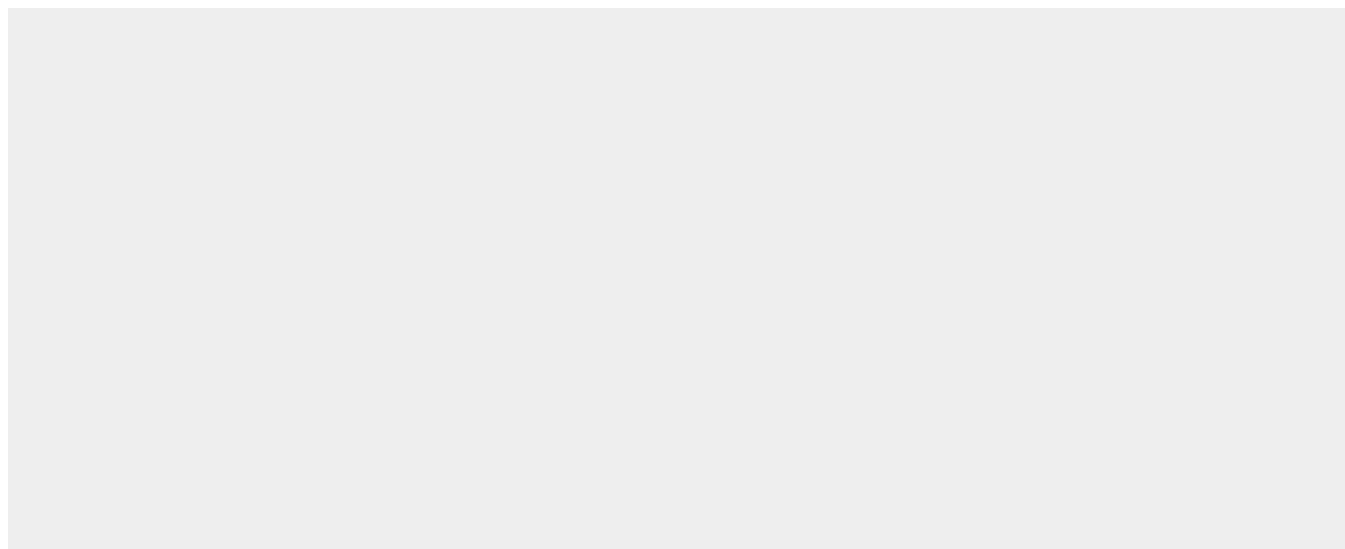
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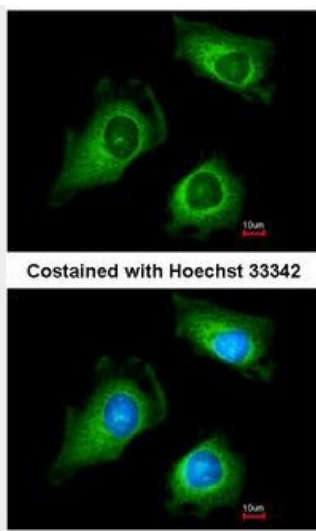
FKTN / Fukutin Antibody - Protocols

Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

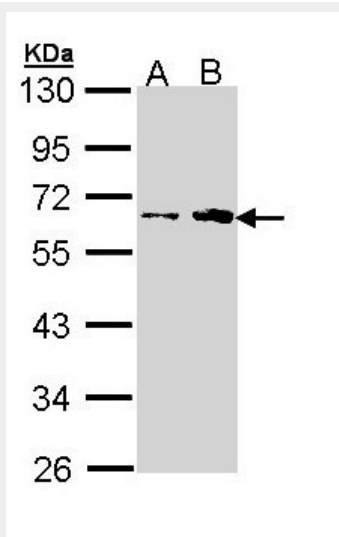
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FKTN / Fukutin Antibody - Images

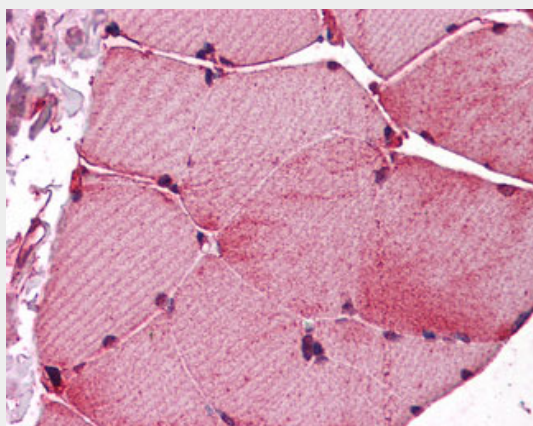




Immunofluorescence of methanol-fixed HeLa, using Fukutin antibody at 1:200 dilution.



Sample (30 ug of whole cell lysate).



Anti-FKTN / Fukutin antibody IHC of human skeletal muscle.

FKTN / Fukutin Antibody - Background

Glycosyltransferase involved in the biosynthesis of the phosphorylated O-mannosyl trisaccharide

(N-acetylgalactosamine- beta-3-N-acetylglucosamine-beta-4-(phosphate-6-)mannose), a carbohydrate structure present in alpha-dystroglycan (DAG1), which is required for binding laminin G-like domain-containing extracellular proteins with high affinity. May interact with and reinforce a large complex encompassing the outside and inside of muscle membranes. Could be involved in brain development.

FKTN / Fukutin Antibody - References

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