

**APOBEC3G Antibody**  
**Catalog # ASC10229****Specification**

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**APOBEC3G Antibody - Product Information**

Application	WB, IHC
Primary Accession	<a href="#">Q9HC16</a>
Other Accession	<a href="#">NP_068594</a> , <a href="#">13399304</a>
Reactivity	Human
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Isotype	IgG
Application Notes	APOBEC3G antibody can be used for detection of APOBEC3G by Western blot at 5 µg/mL. Antibody can also be used for immunohistochemistry starting at 1 µg/mL.

**APOBEC3G Antibody - Additional Information**Gene ID **60489****Other Names**

APOBEC3G Antibody: A3G, ARCD, ARP9, ARP-9, CEM15, CEM-15, MDS019, bK150C2.7, dj494G10.1 APOBEC-related cytidine deaminase, APOBEC-related protein, apolipoprotein B mRNA editing enzyme, catalytic polypeptide-like 3G

**Target/Specificity**

APOBEC3G; APOBEC3G antibody will also detect the APOBEC3F isoform.

**Reconstitution & Storage**

APOBEC3G antibody can be stored at 4°C for three months and -20°C, stable for up to one year. As with all antibodies care should be taken to avoid repeated freeze thaw cycles. Antibodies should not be exposed to prolonged high temperatures.

**Precautions**

APOBEC3G Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

**APOBEC3G Antibody - Protein Information****Name** APOBEC3G**Function**

DNA deaminase (cytidine deaminase) which acts as an inhibitor of retrovirus replication and retrotransposon mobility via deaminase- dependent and -independent mechanisms. Exhibits potent antiviral activity against Vif-deficient HIV-1. After the penetration of retroviral nucleocapsids into target cells of infection and the initiation of reverse transcription, it can induce the conversion of cytosine to uracil in the minus-sense single-strand viral DNA, leading to G-to-A hypermutations

in the subsequent plus-strand viral DNA. The resultant detrimental levels of mutations in the proviral genome, along with a deamination-independent mechanism that works prior to the proviral integration, together exert efficient antiretroviral effects in infected target cells. Selectively targets single-stranded DNA and does not deaminate double-stranded DNA or single- or double-stranded RNA. Exhibits antiviral activity also against simian immunodeficiency viruses (SIVs), hepatitis B virus (HBV), equine infectious anemia virus (EIAV), xenotropic MuLV-related virus (XMRV) and simian foamy virus (SFV). May inhibit the mobility of LTR and non-LTR retrotransposons.

#### **Cellular Location**

Cytoplasm. Nucleus. Cytoplasm, P-body. Note=Mainly cytoplasmic. Small amount are found in the nucleus. During HIV-1 infection, virion-encapsidated in absence of HIV-1 Vif

#### **Tissue Location**

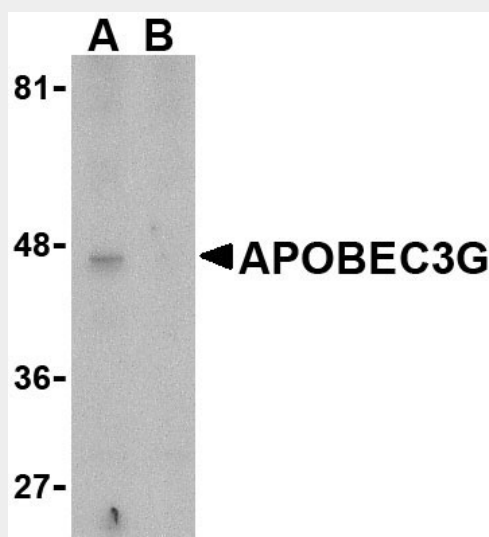
Expressed in spleen, testes, ovary and peripheral blood leukocytes and CD4+ lymphocytes. Also expressed in non-permissive peripheral blood mononuclear cells, and several tumor cell lines; no expression detected in permissive lymphoid and non-lymphoid cell lines Exists only in the LMM form in peripheral blood-derived resting CD4 T- cells and monocytes, both of which are refractory to HIV-1 infection LMM is converted to a HMM complex when resting CD4 T-cells are activated or when monocytes are induced to differentiate into macrophages. This change correlates with increased susceptibility of these cells to HIV-1 infection.

#### **APOBEC3G Antibody - Protocols**

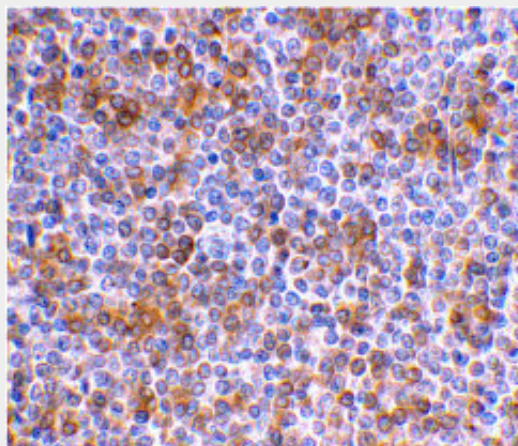
Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- [Western Blot](#)
- [Blocking Peptides](#)
- [Dot Blot](#)
- [Immunohistochemistry](#)
- [Immunofluorescence](#)
- [Immunoprecipitation](#)
- [Flow Cytometry](#)
- [Cell Culture](#)

#### **APOBEC3G Antibody - Images**



Western blot analysis of APOBEC3G expression in Caco-2 cell lysate in the (A), absence and (B) presence of blocking peptide with APOBEC3G antibody at 5 µg/mL.



Immunohistochemical staining of human spleen using APOBEC3G antibody at 1 µg/mL.

### **APOBEC3G Antibody - Background**

**APOBEC3G Antibody:** The Apolipoprotein B mRNA-editing, enzyme-catalytic, polypeptide-like (APOBEC) 3 is a multi-isoform member of the cytidine deaminase family of enzymes that act on monomeric nucleoside and nucleotide substrates. Similar to TRIM5α which targets incoming retroviral capsids, APOBEC3 plays a major role in cellular defense against retroviral infection as at least two isoforms, APOBEC3G and to a lesser extent APOBEC3F, can be incorporated HIV-1 virions and induce hypermutation in the newly synthesized viral DNA and thus destabilize the viral genome. This innate mechanism of retroviral resistance is counteracted by the HIV-1 Vif protein by inducing the ubiquitization and degradation of APOBEC3G; a single amino acid substitution (D128K) blocks APOBEC3G depletion without affecting its inhibitory activity.

### **APOBEC3G Antibody - References**

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