

## **BRAL1 Antibody**

Catalog # ASC10655

## **Specification**

## **BRAL1 Antibody - Product Information**

Application
Primary Accession
Other Accession
Reactivity
Host
Clonality
Isotype
Application Notes

WB, IHC, IF Q9GZV7

NP\_068589, 11141887 Human, Mouse, Rat

Rabbit Polyclonal

IgG

BRAL1 antibody can be used for the detection of BRAL1 by Western blot at 1 - 2  $\mu$ g/mL. Antibody can also be used for immunohistochemistry starting at 2.5  $\mu$ g/mL. For immunofluorescence start at 20

μg/mL.

#### **BRAL1 Antibody - Additional Information**

Gene ID **60484** 

Target/Specificity

HAPLN2:

## **Reconstitution & Storage**

BRAL1 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**

BRAL1 Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

## **BRAL1 Antibody - Protein Information**

Name HAPLN2

**Synonyms BRAL1** 

#### **Function**

Mediates a firm binding of versican V2 to hyaluronic acid. May play a pivotal role in the formation of the hyaluronan-associated matrix in the central nervous system (CNS) which facilitates neuronal conduction and general structural stabilization. Binds to hyaluronic acid (By similarity).

## **Cellular Location**

Secreted, extracellular space, extracellular matrix {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q9ESM3}

**Tissue Location** 



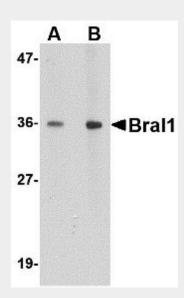
Expressed only in adult brain.

# **BRAL1 Antibody - Protocols**

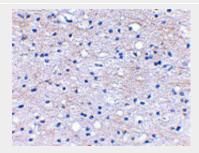
Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- Western Blot
- Blocking Peptides
- Dot Blot
- <u>Immunohistochemistry</u>
- Immunofluorescence
- <u>Immunoprecipitation</u>
- Flow Cytomety
- Cell Culture

# **BRAL1 Antibody - Images**



Western blot analysis of BRAL1 in human brain tissue lysate with BRAL1 antibody at (A) 1 and (B)  $2 \mu g/mL$ .



Immunohistochemical staining of human brain tissue using BRAL1 antibody at 2.5 μg/mL.





Immunofluorescence of BRAL1 in Human Brain cells with BRAL1 antibody at 20 µg/mL.

## **BRAL1 Antibody - Background**

BRAL1 Antibody: BRAL1 is a member a superfamily consisting of several highly homologous hyaluronan and proteoglycan binding link proteins. BRAL1 is predominantly expressed in brain tissue and spinal cord. Like other members in the link-module superfamily, BRAL1 contains an immunoglobulin-like fold and two proteoglycan tandem repeats (PTRs). Its mRNA expression pattern is similar to other lectican proteoglycans, suggesting that BRAL1 may act to stabilize the binding between the extracellular matrix molecule hyaluronan and brevican. Immunostaining of mouse brain showed BRAL1 expression at P20 in the white matter of the developing cerebellum and in myelinated fiber tracts in the adult brain, suggesting that expression starts when axonal myelination occurs.

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