

# ULK2 Antibody

Catalog # ASC11654

# Specification

# ULK2 Antibody - Product Information

Application Primary Accession Other Accession Reactivity Host Clonality Isotype Calculated MW

WB, IHC, IF <u>O8IYT8</u> <u>NP\_055498</u>, <u>217330557</u> Human Rabbit Polyclonal IgG Predicted: 105, 114 kDa

Application Notes

Observed: 100 kDa KDa ULK2 Antibody can be used for detection of ULK2 by Western blot at 1  $\mu$ g/mL.

# ULK2 Antibody - Additional Information

Gene ID

9706

Target/Specificity

ULK2; At least two isoforms of ULK2 are known to exist; this antibody will detect both isoforms. ULK2 antibody is predicted to not cross-react with ULK1.

**Reconstitution & Storage** 

ULK2 antibody can be stored at 4°C for three months and -20°C, stable for up to one year.

### Precautions

ULK2 Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

### **ULK2 Antibody - Protein Information**

Name ULK2

Synonyms KIAA0623

#### Function

Serine/threonine-protein kinase involved in autophagy in response to starvation. Acts upstream of phosphatidylinositol 3-kinase PIK3C3 to regulate the formation of autophagophores, the precursors of autophagosomes. Part of regulatory feedback loops in autophagy: acts both as a downstream effector and a negative regulator of mammalian target of rapamycin complex 1 (mTORC1) via interaction with RPTOR. Activated via phosphorylation by AMPK, also acts as a negative regulator of AMPK through phosphorylation of the AMPK subunits PRKAA1, PRKAB2 and PRKAG1. May phosphorylate ATG13/KIAA0652, FRS2, FRS3 and RPTOR; however such data need additional evidences. Not involved in ammonia-induced autophagy or in autophagic response of cerebellar granule neurons (CGN) to low potassium concentration. Plays a role early in neuronal differentiation and is required for granule cell axon formation: may govern axon formation via



Ras-like GTPase signaling and through regulation of the Rab5-mediated endocytic pathways within developing axons.

**Cellular Location** 

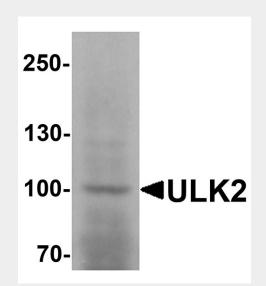
Cytoplasmic vesicle membrane; Peripheral membrane protein. Note=Localizes to pre-autophagosomal membrane

### **ULK2 Antibody - Protocols**

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

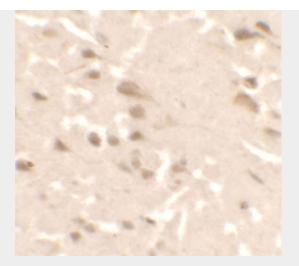
- <u>Western Blot</u>
- Blocking Peptides
- Dot Blot
- Immunohistochemistry
- Immunofluorescence
- Immunoprecipitation
- Flow Cytomety
- <u>Cell Culture</u>

### **ULK2 Antibody - Images**

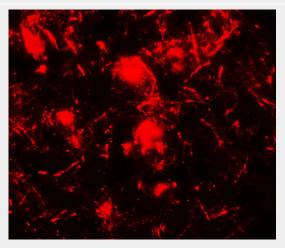


Western blot analysis of ULK2 in human brain tissue lysate with ULK2 antibody at 1 µg/mL.





Immunohistochemistry of ULK2 in human brain tissue with ULK2 antibody at 2.5  $\mu$ g/ml.



Immunofluorescence of ULK2 in human brain tissue with ULK2 antibody at 20  $\mu$ g/ml.

# ULK2 Antibody - Background

ULK2 Antibody: ULK2, also known as ATG1B, is a key serine/threonine protein kinase probably acting at the most upstream step of autophagosome formation. Knockout of ULK2 results in a severe defect in the autophagy pathway. ULK2 is highly conserved among eukaryotes and shows high homology with its related protein ULK1. Both ULK1 and ULK2 form a complex with ATG13 and FIP200 that mediates TOR signaling and is essential for autophagy. Like ULK1, ULK2 is also thought to be involved in early neuronal growth and differentiation.

# ULK2 Antibody - References

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