

**PLAUR Antibody (Center) Blocking Peptide**  
**Synthetic peptide**  
**Catalog # BP8156c****Specification**

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**PLAUR Antibody (Center) Blocking Peptide - Product Information**Primary Accession [Q03405](#)**PLAUR Antibody (Center) Blocking Peptide - Additional Information****Gene ID** 5329**Other Names**

Urokinase plasminogen activator surface receptor, U-PAR, uPAR, Monocyte activation antigen Mo3, CD87, PLAUR, MO3, UPAR

**Target/Specificity**

The synthetic peptide sequence used to generate the antibody [AP8156c](/product/products/AP8156c) was selected from the Center region of human PLAUR. A 10 to 100 fold molar excess to antibody is recommended. Precise conditions should be optimized for a particular assay.

**Format**

Peptides are lyophilized in a solid powder format. Peptides can be reconstituted in solution using the appropriate buffer as needed.

**Storage**

Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store at -20°C.

**Precautions**

This product is for research use only. Not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

**PLAUR Antibody (Center) Blocking Peptide - Protein Information****Name** PLAUR**Synonyms** MO3, UPAR**Function**

Acts as a receptor for urokinase plasminogen activator. Plays a role in localizing and promoting plasmin formation. Mediates the proteolysis-independent signal transduction activation effects of U-PA. It is subject to negative-feedback regulation by U-PA which cleaves it into an inactive form.

**Cellular Location**

Cell membrane. Cell projection, invadopodium membrane Note=Colocalized with FAP (seprase) preferentially at the cell surface of invadopodia membrane in a cytoskeleton-, integrin- and vitronectin- dependent manner. [Isoform 2]: Secreted {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:P49616}

**Tissue Location**

Expressed in neurons of the rolandic area of the brain (at protein level). Expressed in the brain

**PLAUR Antibody (Center) Blocking Peptide - Protocols**

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

- [Blocking Peptides](#)

**PLAUR Antibody (Center) Blocking Peptide - Images****PLAUR Antibody (Center) Blocking Peptide - Background**

The urokinase-type plasminogen activator receptor is a key molecule in the regulation of cell-surface plasminogen activation and plays an important role in many normal as well as pathologic processes. The human PLAUR cDNA encodes 335 amino acids including a predicted signal peptide of 22 residues and a hydrophobic C-terminal portion.<sup>1</sup> It produces a highly glycosylated protein of about 50 kD in monocytes where it is anchored to the plasma membrane by glycosyl-phosphatidylinositol linkage. PLAUR, also known as UPAR, is directly associated with the carbohydrate-binding domain of SELL in the membrane of neutrophils, an association analogous to that between PLAUR and beta-2 integrins.<sup>2</sup> PLAUR-mediated calcium mobilization is SELL dependent. UPAR mRNA levels correlate with the invasive potential of endometrial carcinomas and show a 33-fold increase in UPAR mRNA levels in advanced clinical stage endometrial tumors compared with normal endometrial tissue.<sup>3</sup> Furthermore, the increase in UPAR mRNA levels correlated linearly with the progression of disease stage. UPAR protein expression correlated positively with rate of recurrence and mortality in patients with endometrial cancer.<sup>4</sup> UPAR appears to be a useful prognostic marker for advanced endometrial cancer.

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