

# C/EBP-alpha Blocking Peptide

Catalog # PBV10455b

# **Specification**

# **C/EBP-alpha Blocking Peptide - Product Information**

 Primary Accession
 P05554

 Other Accession
 NP\_036656.1

 Gene ID
 24252

 Calculated MW
 37371

## C/EBP-alpha Blocking Peptide - Additional Information

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Application & Usage The peptide is used for blocking the

antibody activity of C/EBP-alpha. It usually blocks the antibody activity completely in Western blot analysis by incubating the peptide with equal volume of antibody for

30-60 minutes at 37°C.

#### **Other Names**

CCAAT/enhancer-binding protein alpha, C/EBP alpha, Cebpa

### Target/Specificity

C/EBP-alpha

### **Formulation**

 $50~\mu g$  (0.5 mg/ml) in phosphate buffered saline (PBS), pH 7.2, containing 50% glycerol, 1% BSA and 0.02% thimerosal.

# **Reconstitution & Storage**

-20 °C

# **Background Descriptions**

## **Precautions**

C/EBP-alpha Blocking Peptide is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

### C/EBP-alpha Blocking Peptide - Protein Information

Name Cebpa {ECO:0000312|RGD:2326}

# **Function**

Transcription factor that coordinates proliferation arrest and the differentiation of myeloid progenitors, adipocytes, hepatocytes, and cells of the lung and the placenta (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/8367486" target="\_blank">8367486</a>, PubMed:<a



href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/11672531" target="\_blank">11672531</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/16735515" target="\_blank">16735515</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20176812" target="\_blank">20176812</a>). Binds directly to the consensus DNA sequence 5'-T[TG]NNGNAA[TG]-3' acting as an activator on distinct target genes. During early embryogenesis, plays essential and redundant functions with CEBPB (By similarity). Essential for the transition from common myeloid progenitors (CMP) to granulocyte/monocyte progenitors (GMP) (PubMed:<a

href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/11672531" target="\_blank">11672531</a>). Critical for the proper development of the liver and the lung (By similarity). Necessary for terminal adipocyte differentiation, is required for postnatal maintenance of systemic energy homeostasis and lipid storage (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/11672531"

target="\_blank">11672531</a>). To regulate these different processes at the proper moment and tissue, interplays with other transcription factors and modulators. Down-regulates the expression of genes that maintain cells in an undifferentiated and proliferative state through E2F1 repression, which is critical for its ability to induce adipocyte and granulocyte terminal differentiation. Reciprocally E2F1 blocks adipocyte differentiation by binding to specific promoters and repressing CEBPA binding to its target gene promoters (PubMed:<a

href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/11672531" target="\_blank">11672531</a>). Proliferation arrest also depends on a functional binding to SWI/SNF complex (By similarity). In liver, regulates gluconeogenesis and lipogenesis through different mechanisms. To regulate gluconeogenesis, functionally cooperates with FOXO1 binding to IRE-controlled promoters and regulating the expression of target genes such as PCK1 or G6PC1. To modulate lipogenesis, interacts and transcriptionally synergizes with SREBF1 in promoter activation of specific lipogenic target genes such as ACAS2. In adipose tissue, seems to act as FOXO1 coactivator accessing to ADIPOQ promoter through FOXO1 binding sites (By similarity).

**Cellular Location** Nucleus.

## **Tissue Location**

Isoform 2 and isoform 3 are expressed in liver (at protein level).

# C/EBP-alpha Blocking Peptide - Protocols

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

- Western Blot
- Blocking Peptides
- Dot Blot
- Immunohistochemistry
- Immunofluorescence
- Immunoprecipitation
- Flow Cytomety
- Cell Culture

C/EBP-alpha Blocking Peptide - Images