

RAB8A

Reactivity:Human Mouse Rat

Tested applications:WB

Recommended Dilution:WB 1:500 - 1:2000

Calculated MW:24kDa

Observed MW:Refer to figures

Immunogen:

A synthetic Peptide of human RAB8A

Storage Buffer:

Store at -20. Avoid freeze / thaw cycles. Buffer: PBS with 0.02% sodium azide, 50% glycerol, pH7.3.

Concentration:

1 mg/ml

Synonym:

MEL; RAB8;

Catalog #:A2810

Antibody Type:

Polyclonal Antibody

Species:Rabbit

Gene ID:4218

Isotype:IgG

Swiss Prot:P61006

Purity:Affinity purification

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Background:

The protein encoded by this gene is a member of the RAS superfamily which are small GTP/GDP-binding proteins with an average size of 200 amino acids. The RAS-related proteins of the RAB/YPT family may play a role in the transport of proteins from the endoplasmic reticulum to the Golgi and the plasma membrane. This protein shares 97%, 96%, and 51% similarity with the dog RAB8, mouse MEL, and mouse YPT1 proteins, respectively and contains the 4 GTP/GDP-binding sites that are present in all the RAS proteins. The putative effector-binding site of this protein is similar to that of the RAB/YPT proteins. However, this protein contains a C-terminal CAAX motif that is characteristic of many RAS superfamily members but which is not found in YPT1 and the majority of RAB proteins. Although this gene was isolated as a transforming gene from a melanoma cell line, no linkage between MEL and malignant melanoma has been demonstrable. This oncogene is located 800 kb distal to MY09B on chromosome 19p13.1.

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