

CYP26A1 Antibody (Center)

Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab)

Catalog # AP2754c

Product Information

Application	WB, E
Primary Accession	O43174
Other Accession	Q5VXI0
Reactivity	Human
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Isotype	Rabbit IgG
Clone Names	RB15025
Calculated MW	56199
Antigen Region	118-147

Additional Information

Gene ID	1592
Other Names	Cytochrome P450 26A1, 114--, Cytochrome P450 retinoic acid-inactivating 1, Cytochrome P450RAI, hP450RAI, Retinoic acid 4-hydroxylase, Retinoic acid-metabolizing cytochrome, CYP26A1, CYP26, P450RAI1
Target/Specificity	This CYP26A1 antibody is generated from rabbits immunized with a KLH conjugated synthetic peptide between 118-147 amino acids from the Central region of human CYP26A1.
Dilution	WB~~1:1000 E~~Use at an assay dependent concentration.
Format	Purified polyclonal antibody supplied in PBS with 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide. This antibody is prepared by Saturated Ammonium Sulfate (SAS) precipitation followed by dialysis against PBS.
Storage	Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 2 weeks. For long term storage store at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.
Precautions	CYP26A1 Antibody (Center) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

Protein Information

Name	CYP26A1 {ECO:0000303 PubMed:26937021, ECO:0000312 HGNC:HGNC:2603}
Function	A cytochrome P450 monooxygenase involved in the metabolism of

retinoates (RAs), the active metabolites of vitamin A, and critical signaling molecules in animals (PubMed:[22020119](#), PubMed:[9228017](#), PubMed:[9716180](#)). RAs exist as at least four different isomers: all- trans-RA (atRA), 9-cis-RA, 13-cis-RA, and 9,13-dicis-RA, where atRA is considered to be the biologically active isomer, although 9-cis-RA and 13-cis-RA also have activity (Probable). Catalyzes the hydroxylation of atRA primarily at C-4 and C-18, thereby contributing to the regulation of atRA homeostasis and signaling (PubMed:[22020119](#), PubMed:[9228017](#), PubMed:[9716180](#)). Hydroxylation of atRA limits its biological activity and initiates a degradative process leading to its eventual elimination (Probable). Involved in the conversion of atRA to all-trans-4-oxo-RA. Able to metabolize other RAs such as 9-cis, 13-cis and 9,13-di-cis RA (By similarity) (PubMed:[9228017](#)). Can oxidize all-trans-13,14- dihydroretinoate (DRA) to metabolites which could include all-trans-4- oxo-DRA, all-trans-4-hydroxy-DRA, all-trans-5,8-epoxy-DRA, and all-trans-18-hydroxy-DRA (By similarity). May play a role in the oxidative metabolism of xenobiotics such as tazarotenic acid (PubMed:[26937021](#)).

Cellular Location

Endoplasmic reticulum membrane; Peripheral membrane protein. Microsome membrane; Peripheral membrane protein

Tissue Location

Expressed in most fetal and adult tissues with highest levels in adult liver, heart, pituitary gland, adrenal gland, placenta and regions of the brain (PubMed:[9826557](#)). Expressed at high levels in lung, pancreas, skin and uterus (at protein level) (PubMed:[22020119](#)). Lower expression level is detected in spleen, kidney, intestine and adipose tissue (at protein level) (PubMed:[22020119](#)).

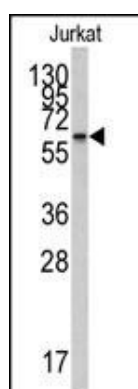
Background

CYP26A1 is a member of the cytochrome P450 superfamily of enzymes. The cytochrome P450 proteins are monooxygenases which catalyze many reactions involved in drug metabolism and synthesis of cholesterol, steroids and other lipids. This endoplasmic reticulum protein acts on retinoids, including all-trans-retinoic acid (RA), with both 4-hydroxylation and 18-hydroxylation activities. This enzyme regulates the cellular level of retinoic acid which is involved in regulation of gene expression in both embryonic and adult tissues.

References

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Images



Western blot analysis of anti-CYP26A1 Antibody (Center) (Cat.#AP2754c) in Jurkat cell line lysates (35ug/lane). CYP26A1 (arrow) was detected using the purified Pab.

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