

THOC4 Antibody

Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab)

Catalog # AP50789

Product Information

Application	WB
Primary Accession	Q86V81
Reactivity	Human, Mouse, Rat
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	polyclonal
Calculated MW	26888

Additional Information

Gene ID	10189
Other Names	THO complex subunit 4, Tho4, Ally of AML-1 and LEF-1, Aly/REF export factor, Transcriptional coactivator Aly/REF, bZIP-enhancing factor BEF, ALYREF, ALY, BEF, THOC4
Dilution	WB~~ 1:1000
Format	Rabbit IgG in phosphate buffered saline (without Mg2+ and Ca2+), pH 7.4, 150mM NaCl, 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide and 50% glycerol.
Storage Conditions	-20°C

Protein Information

Name	ALYREF
Synonyms	ALY, BEF, THOC4
Function	Functions as an mRNA export adapter; component of the transcription/export (TREX) complex which is thought to couple mRNA transcription, processing and nuclear export, and specifically associates with spliced mRNA and not with unspliced pre-mRNA (PubMed: 15833825 , PubMed: 15998806 , PubMed: 17190602). TREX is recruited to spliced mRNAs by a transcription-independent mechanism, binds to mRNA upstream of the exon-junction complex (EJC) and is recruited in a splicing- and cap-dependent manner to a region near the 5' end of the mRNA where it functions in mRNA export to the cytoplasm via the TAP/NXF1 pathway (PubMed: 15833825 , PubMed: 15998806 , PubMed: 17190602). Involved in the nuclear export of intronless mRNA; proposed to be recruited to intronless mRNA by ATP-bound DDX39B (PubMed: 17984224). Plays a key role in mRNP recognition and mRNA packaging by bridging the mRNP-bound EJC and the TREX core complex (PubMed: 37020021). TREX recruitment occurs via an interaction between

ALYREF/THOC4 and the cap-binding protein NCBP1 (PubMed:[15833825](#), PubMed:[15998806](#), PubMed:[17190602](#), PubMed:[37020021](#)). Required for TREX complex assembly and for linking DDX39B to the cap-binding complex (CBC) (PubMed:[15998806](#), PubMed:[17984224](#), PubMed:[37020021](#)). Binds mRNA which is thought to be transferred to the NXF1-NXT1 heterodimer for export (TAP/NXF1 pathway) (PubMed:[11675789](#), PubMed:[11707413](#), PubMed:[11979277](#), PubMed:[15833825](#), PubMed:[15998806](#), PubMed:[17190602](#), PubMed:[18364396](#), PubMed:[22144908](#), PubMed:[22893130](#), PubMed:[23222130](#), PubMed:[25662211](#)). In conjunction with THOC5 functions in NXF1-NXT1 mediated nuclear export of HSP70 mRNA; both proteins enhance the RNA binding activity of NXF1 and are required for NXF1 localization to the nuclear rim (PubMed:[19165146](#)). Involved in mRNA export of C5-methylcytosine (m5C)-containing mRNAs: specifically recognizes and binds m5C mRNAs and mediates their nucleo-cytoplasmic shuttling (PubMed:[28418038](#)). Acts as a chaperone and promotes the dimerization of transcription factors containing basic leucine zipper (bZIP) domains and thereby promotes transcriptional activation (PubMed:[10488337](#)). Involved in transcription elongation and genome stability (PubMed:[12438613](#)).

Cellular Location

Nucleus. Nucleus speckle Cytoplasm Note=Colocalizes with the core EJC, NXF1 and DDX39B in the nucleus and nuclear speckles. Travels to the cytoplasm as part of the exon junction complex (EJC) bound to mRNA (PubMed:[19324961](#)). Localizes to regions surrounding nuclear speckles known as perispeckles in which TREX complex assembly seems to occur (PubMed:[23826332](#))

Tissue Location

Expressed in a wide variety of cancer types.

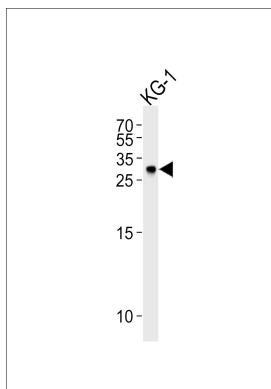
Background

Export adapter involved in nuclear export of spliced and unspliced mRNA. Binds mRNA which is thought to be transferred to the NXF1-NXT1 heterodimer for export (TAP/NXF1 pathway). Component of the TREX complex which is thought to couple mRNA transcription, processing and nuclear export, and specifically associates with spliced mRNA and not with unspliced pre-mRNA. TREX is recruited to spliced mRNAs by a transcription-independent mechanism, binds to mRNA upstream of the exon-junction complex (EJC) and is recruited in a splicing- and cap-dependent manner to a region near the 5' end of the mRNA where it functions in mRNA export to the cytoplasm. TREX recruitment occurs via an interaction between ALYREF/THOC4 and the cap-binding protein NCBP1. The TREX complex is essential for the export of Kaposi's sarcoma-associated herpesvirus (KSHV) intronless mRNAs and infectious virus production; ALYREF/THOC4 mediates the recruitment of the TREX complex to the intronless viral mRNA. Required for TREX complex assembly and for linking DDX39B to the cap-binding complex (CBC). In conjunction with THOC5 functions in NXF1-NXT1 mediated nuclear export of HSP70 mRNA; both proteins enhance the RNA binding activity of NXF1 and are required for NXF1 localization to the nuclear rim. Involved in the nuclear export of intronless mRNA; proposed to be recruited to intronless mRNA by ATP-bound DDX39B. Involved in transcription elongation and genome stability.

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Images



Western blot analysis of lysate from KG-1 cell line, using THOC4 Antibody (AP50789). AP50789 was diluted at 1:1000. A goat anti-rabbit IgG H&L (HRP) at 1:5000 dilution was used as the secondary antibody. Lysate at 35 µg.

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