

## Aph-1b Polyclonal Antibody

Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab) Catalog # AP54574

## **Product Information**

**Application** IHC-P, IHC-F, IF, ICC, E

Primary Accession Q8WW43

**Reactivity** Rat, Pig, Dog, Bovine

Host Rabbit
Clonality Polyclonal
Calculated MW 28460
Physical State Liquid

Immunogen KLH conjugated synthetic peptide derived from human Aph-1b

**Epitope Specificity** 51-150/257 **Isotype** IgG

**Purity** affinity purified by Protein A

**Buffer** 0.01M TBS (pH7.4) with 1% BSA, 0.02% Proclin300 and 50% Glycerol.

**SUBCELLULAR LOCATION** Membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein

**SIMILARITY** Belongs to the APH-1 family.

**SUBUNIT** Probable component of the gamma-secretase complex, a complex composed

of a presenilin homodimer (PSEN1 or PSEN2), nicastrin (NCSTN), APH1 (APH1A or APH1B) and PEN2. Such minimal complex is sufficient for secretase activity, although other components may exist (By similarity). Interacts with PSEN1

and PSEN2.

**Important Note** This product as supplied is intended for research use only, not for use in

human, therapeutic or diagnostic applications.

**Background Descriptions** Anterior pharynx defective 1 (Aph-1) is a polytopic, seven-pass membrane

protein that functions as one of the four essential components in the presenilin-Gamma-secretase enzyme complex. This enzyme complex is necessary for the intra-membrane proteolysis of several different membrane proteins, including the beta-Amyloid precursor protein, and is involved in multiple neurodevelopmental signaling pathways. Aph-1b and Aph-1a are splice variants of Aph-1. Aph-1b specifically lacks exon 4, which encodes for

the entire fourth transmembrane domain, causing the protein to be destabilized. Deficiency of Aph-1a causes a reduction in Gamma-secretase activity, however deficiency of Aph-1b does not; thus, Aph-1b may execute redundant functions in the cell. Aph-1b expression and Gamma-secretase activity may be implicated in neurodevelopmental disorders, such as

schizophrenia.

## **Additional Information**

Gene ID 83464

Other Names Gamma-secretase subunit APH-1B, APH-1b, Aph-1beta, Presenilin-stabilization

factor-like, APH1B, PSFL

**Target/Specificity** Weakly or not expressed in leukocytes, lung, placenta, small intestine, liver,

kidney, spleen thymus, colon, skeletal muscle, heart and brain.

Dilution IHC-P=1:100-500,IHC-F=1:100-500,ICC=1:100-500,IF=1:100-500,ELISA=1:5000-

10000

Format 0.01M TBS(pH7.4) with 1% BSA, 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide and 50% Glyce

**Storage** Store at -20 °C for one year. Avoid repeated freeze/thaw cycles. When

reconstituted in sterile pH 7.4 0.01M PBS or diluent of antibody the antibody

is stable for at least two weeks at 2-4 °C.

## **Protein Information**

Name APH1B

Synonyms PSFL

**Function** Probable subunit of the gamma-secretase complex, an endoprotease

complex that catalyzes the intramembrane cleavage of integral proteins such as Notch receptors and APP (amyloid-beta precursor protein). It probably represents a stabilizing cofactor for the presenilin homodimer that promotes

the formation of a stable complex. Probably present in a minority of

gamma-secretase complexes compared to APH1A.

**Cellular Location** Membrane; Multi-pass membrane protein

**Tissue Location** Weakly or not expressed in leukocytes, lung, placenta, small intestine, liver,

kidney, spleen thymus, colon, skeletal muscle, heart and brain.

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