

# ALY Polyclonal Antibody

Catalog # AP68391

## Product Information

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Application	WB
Primary Accession	<a href="#">Q86V81</a>
Reactivity	Human, Mouse, Rat
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Calculated MW	26888

## Additional Information

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Gene ID	10189
Other Names	ALYREF; ALY; BEF; THOC4; THO complex subunit 4; Tho4; Ally of AML-1 and LEF-1; Aly/REF export factor; Transcriptional coactivator Aly/REF; bZIP-enhancing factor BEF
Dilution	WB~~Western Blot: 1/500 - 1/2000. ELISA: 1/10000. Not yet tested in other applications.
Format	Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, 0.5% BSA and 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide.
Storage Conditions	-20°C

## Protein Information

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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: <a href="#">15833825</a> , PubMed: <a href="#">15998806</a> , PubMed: <a href="#">17190602</a> ). 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: <a href="#">15833825</a> , PubMed: <a href="#">15998806</a> , PubMed: <a href="#">17190602</a> ). Involved in the nuclear export of intronless mRNA; proposed to be recruited to intronless mRNA by ATP-bound DDX39B (PubMed: <a href="#">17984224</a> ). Plays a key role in mRNP recognition and mRNA packaging by bridging the mRNP-bound EJC and the TREX core complex (PubMed: <a href="#">37020021</a> ). 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

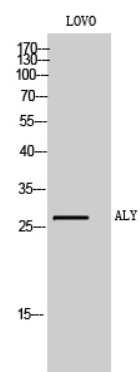
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Export adapter involved in nuclear export of spliced and unspliced mRNA. Binds mRNA which is thought to be transferred to the NXF1-NXT1 heterodimer for export (TAP/NXF1 pathway). Component of the TREX complex which is thought to couple mRNA transcription, 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.

## Images

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Western Blot analysis of LOVO cells using ALY Polyclonal Antibody



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