

**ATG12 Antibody (N-term)**  
**Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab)**  
**Catalog # AP1816a**

**Specification**

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**ATG12 Antibody (N-term) - Product Information**

Application	IF, WB, IHC-P,E
Primary Accession	<a href="#">O94817</a>
Reactivity	Human
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Isotype	Rabbit IgG
Antigen Region	1-30

**ATG12 Antibody (N-term) - Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 9140

**Other Names**

Ubiquitin-like protein ATG12, Autophagy-related protein 12, APG12-like, ATG12, APG12, APG12L

**Target/Specificity**

This ATG12 antibody is generated from rabbits immunized with a KLH conjugated synthetic peptide between 1-30 amino acids from the N-terminal region of human ATG12.

**Dilution**

IF~~1:200  
WB~~1:2000  
IHC-P~~1:50~100

**Format**

Purified polyclonal antibody supplied in PBS with 0.09% (W/V) sodium azide. This antibody is purified through a protein A column, followed by peptide affinity purification.

**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**

ATG12 Antibody (N-term) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

**ATG12 Antibody (N-term) - Protein Information**

**Name** ATG12 ([HGNC:588](#))

**Synonyms** APG12, APG12L

**Function** Ubiquitin-like protein involved in autophagy vesicles formation. Conjugation with ATG5 through a ubiquitin-like conjugating system involving also ATG7 as an E1-like activating enzyme and ATG10 as an E2-like conjugating enzyme, is essential for its function. The ATG12-ATG5 conjugate acts as an E3-like enzyme which is required for lipidation of ATG8 family proteins and their association to the vesicle membranes.

#### **Cellular Location**

Cytoplasm. Preautophagosomal structure membrane; Peripheral membrane protein. Note=TECPR1 recruits the ATG12- ATG5 conjugate to the autolysosomal membrane

#### **Tissue Location**

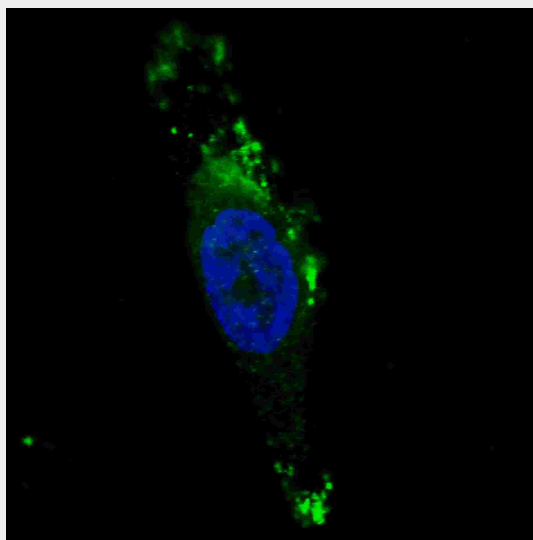
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### **ATG12 Antibody (N-term) - Protocols**

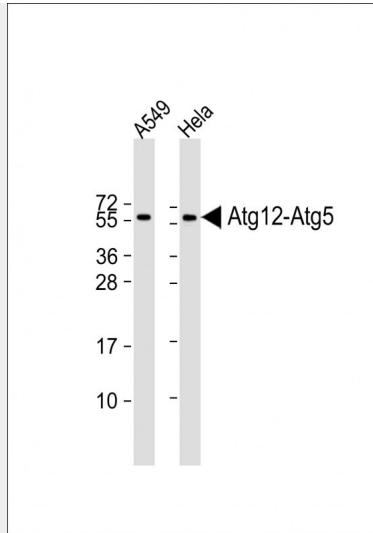
Provided below are standard protocols that you may find useful for product applications.

- [Western Blot](#)
- [Blocking Peptides](#)
- [Dot Blot](#)
- [Immunohistochemistry](#)
- [Immunofluorescence](#)
- [Immunoprecipitation](#)
- [Flow Cytometry](#)
- [Cell Culture](#)

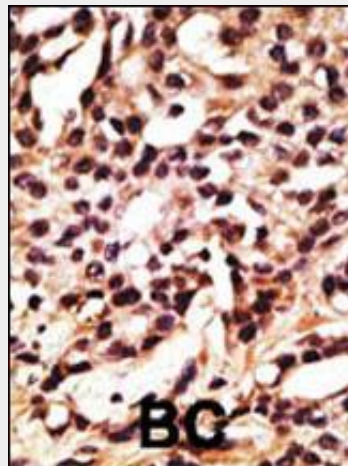
### **ATG12 Antibody (N-term) - Images**



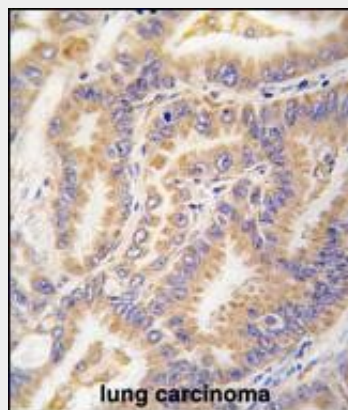
Fluorescent image of U251 cells stained with ATG12 (N-term) antibody. U251 cells were treated with Chloroquine (50  $\mu$ M, 16h), then fixed with 4% PFA (20 min), permeabilized with Triton X-100 (0.2%, 30 min). Cells were then incubated with AP1816a ATG12 (N-term) primary antibody (1:200, 2 h at room temperature). For secondary antibody, Alexa Fluor® 488 conjugated donkey anti-rabbit antibody (green) was used (1:1000, 1h). Nuclei were counterstained with Hoechst 33342 (blue) (10  $\mu$ g/ml, 5 min). ATG12 immunoreactivity is localized to autophagic vacuoles in the cytoplasm of U251 cells.



All lanes : Anti-APG12L Antibody (E3) at 1:2000 dilution Lane 1: A549 whole cell lysate Lane 2: HeLa whole cell lysate Lysates/proteins at 20 µg per lane. Secondary Goat Anti-Rabbit IgG, (H+L), Peroxidase conjugated at 1/10000 dilution. Predicted band size : 15 kDa Blocking/Dilution buffer: 5% NFDM/TBST.



Formalin-fixed and paraffin-embedded human cancer tissue reacted with the primary antibody, which was peroxidase-conjugated to the secondary antibody, followed by DAB staining. This data demonstrates the use of this antibody for immunohistochemistry; clinical relevance has not been evaluated. BC = breast carcinoma; HC = hepatocarcinoma.



Formalin-fixed and paraffin-embedded human lung carcinoma tissue reacted with Autophagy

APG12L antibody (N-term) (Cat.#AP1816a), which was peroxidase-conjugated to the secondary antibody, followed by DAB staining. This data demonstrates the use of this antibody for immunohistochemistry; clinical relevance has not been evaluated.

### **ATG12 Antibody (N-term) - Background**

Macroautophagy is the major inducible pathway for the general turnover of cytoplasmic constituents in eukaryotic cells, it is also responsible for the degradation of active cytoplasmic enzymes and organelles during nutrient starvation. Macroautophagy involves the formation of double-membrane bound autophagosomes which enclose the cytoplasmic constituent targeted for degradation in a membrane bound structure, which then fuse with the lysosome (or vacuole) releasing a single-membrane bound autophagic bodies which are then degraded within the lysosome (or vacuole).

APG12L is the human homolog of yeast APG12, a ubiquitin-activating enzyme E1-like protein essential for the conjugation system that mediates membrane fusion in autophagy.

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References for U251 cell line:

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### **ATG12 Antibody (N-term) - Citations**

- [Deficient tRNA posttranscription modification dysregulated the mitochondrial quality controls and apoptosis](#)
- [WIPI3 and WIPI4  \$\beta\$ -propellers are scaffolds for LKB1-AMPK-TSC signalling circuits in the control of autophagy.](#)
- [HMG2 plays an important role in Cr \(VI\)-induced autophagy.](#)
- [Interaction of caveolin-1 with ATG12-ATG5 system suppresses autophagy in lung epithelial cells.](#)
- [Activation of autophagy in mesenchymal stem cells provides tumor stromal support.](#)
- [PUMA- and Bax-induced autophagy contributes to apoptosis.](#)
- [Absence of the type I IFN system in EC cells: transcriptional activator \(IRF-1\) and repressor \(IRF-2\) genes are developmentally regulated.](#)