

## **MAP1LC3A Antibody**

Catalog # ASC11726

#### **Specification**

# **MAP1LC3A Antibody - Product Information**

Application WB, IHC, IF Primary Accession Q9H492

Other Accession NP\_852610, 31563518

Reactivity
Host
Clonality
Polyclonal
Isotype
Human
Rabbit
Polyclonal

Calculated MW Predicted: 14 kDa

Observed: 21 kDa KDa

Application Notes

MAP1LC3A antibody can be used for detection of MAP1LC3A by Western blot at 1 - 2 µg/ml. Antibody can also be used for

Immunohistochemistry starting at 5  $\mu$ g/mL. For immunofluorescence start at 20  $\mu$ g/mL.

## **MAP1LC3A Antibody - Additional Information**

Gene ID **84557** 

**Target/Specificity** 

MAP1LC3A; MAP1LC3A antibody is human specific. At least two isoforms of MAP1LC3A are known to exist. MAP1LC3A antibody is predicted to not cross-react with MAP1LC3B or MAP1LC3C.

## **Reconstitution & Storage**

MAP1LC3A antibody can be stored at 4°C for three months and -20°C, stable for up to one year.

#### **Precautions**

MAP1LC3A Antibody is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

## **MAP1LC3A Antibody - Protein Information**

## Name MAP1LC3A

#### **Function**

Ubiquitin-like modifier involved in formation of autophagosomal vacuoles (autophagosomes) (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20713600" target="\_blank">20713600</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/24290141" target="\_blank">24290141</a>). While LC3s are involved in elongation of the phagophore membrane, the GABARAP/GATE-16 subfamily is essential for a later stage in autophagosome maturation (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20713600" target="\_blank">20713600</a>). Through its interaction with the reticulophagy receptor TEX264, participates in the remodeling of subdomains of the endoplasmic reticulum into autophagosomes upon nutrient stress, which then fuse with



lysosomes for endoplasmic reticulum turnover (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/31006537" target="\_blank">31006537</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/31006538" target="\_blank">31006538</a>).

#### **Cellular Location**

Cytoplasmic vesicle, autophagosome membrane; Lipid-anchor. Endomembrane system; Lipid-anchor. Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q91VR7}. Note=LC3-II binds to the autophagic membranes.

#### **Tissue Location**

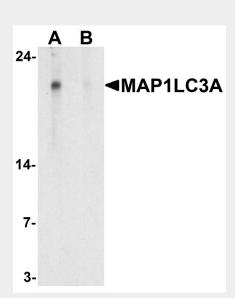
Most abundant in heart, brain, liver, skeletal muscle and testis but absent in thymus and peripheral blood leukocytes

## **MAP1LC3A Antibody - Protocols**

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

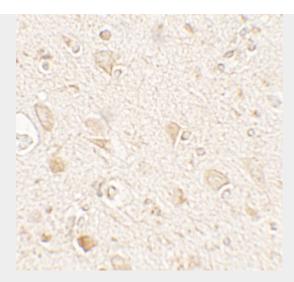
- Western Blot
- Blocking Peptides
- Dot Blot
- Immunohistochemistry
- Immunofluorescence
- <u>Immunoprecipitation</u>
- Flow Cytomety
- Cell Culture

## **MAP1LC3A Antibody - Images**

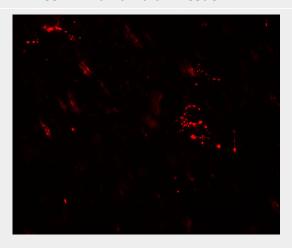


Western blot analysis of MAP1LC3A in HeLa cell lysate with MAP1LC3A antibody at 1  $\mu$ g/ml in (A) the absence and (B) the presence of blocking peptide.





Immunohistochemistry of MAP1LC3A in human brain tissue with MAP1LC3A antibody at 5 μg/mL.



Immunofluorescence of MAP1LC3A in human brain tissue with MAP1LC3A antibody at 20 µg/mL.

## MAP1LC3A Antibody - Background

Microtubule-associated proteins (MAPs) regulate microtubule stability and play critical roles in neuronal development and plasticity (1). MAP1LC3A belongs to the MAP1 LC3 family of proteins that form mature complexes with MAP1A and MAP1B which are thought to be important in the formation and development of axons and dendrites (2). MAP1LC3A is one of three isoforms of MAP1LC3, the mammalian homolog of yeast ATG8, an essential autophagy protein. These isoforms exhibit distinct expression patterns and MAP1LC3A, like MAP1LC3A but not MAP1LC3B, is post-translationally modified, suggesting the three isoforms may have different physiological functions (3).

## **MAP1LC3A Antibody - References**

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