

**RXRA Antibody (Center)**  
**Affinity Purified Rabbit Polyclonal Antibody (Pab)**  
**Catalog # AP4920C****Specification**

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**RXRA Antibody (Center) - Product Information**

Application	WB, IHC-P,E
Primary Accession	<a href="#">P19793</a>
Other Accession	<a href="#">Q05343</a> , <a href="#">P28700</a>
Reactivity	Human
Predicted	Mouse, Rat
Host	Rabbit
Clonality	Polyclonal
Isotype	Rabbit IgG
Antigen Region	196-224

**RXRA Antibody (Center) - Additional Information****Gene ID** 6256**Other Names**

Retinoic acid receptor RXR-alpha, Nuclear receptor subfamily 2 group B member 1, Retinoid X receptor alpha, RXRA, NR2B1

**Target/Specificity**

This RXRA antibody is generated from rabbits immunized with a KLH conjugated synthetic peptide between 196-224 amino acids from the Central region of human RXRA.

**Dilution**

WB~~1:1000

IHC-P~~1:50~100

E~~Use at an assay dependent concentration.

**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**

RXRA Antibody (Center) is for research use only and not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

**RXRA Antibody (Center) - Protein Information****Name** RXRA

## Synonyms NR2B1

**Function** Receptor for retinoic acid that acts as a transcription factor (PubMed:[10874028](#), PubMed:[11162439](#), PubMed:[11915042](#), PubMed:[37478846](#)). Forms homo- or heterodimers with retinoic acid receptors (RARs) and binds to target response elements in response to their ligands, all-trans or 9-cis retinoic acid, to regulate gene expression in various biological processes (PubMed:[10195690](#), PubMed:[11162439](#), PubMed:[11915042](#), PubMed:[16107141](#), PubMed:[17761950](#), PubMed:[18800767](#), PubMed:[19167885](#), PubMed:[28167758](#), PubMed:[37478846](#)). The RAR/RXR heterodimers bind to the retinoic acid response elements (RARE) composed of tandem 5'-AGGTCA-3' sites known as DR1-DR5 to regulate transcription (PubMed:[10195690](#), PubMed:[11162439](#), PubMed:[11915042](#), PubMed:[17761950](#), PubMed:[28167758](#)). The high affinity ligand for retinoid X receptors (RXRs) is 9-cis retinoic acid (PubMed:[1310260](#)). In the absence of ligand, the RXR-RAR heterodimers associate with a multiprotein complex containing transcription corepressors that induce histone deacetylation, chromatin condensation and transcriptional suppression (PubMed:[20215566](#)). On ligand binding, the corepressors dissociate from the receptors and coactivators are recruited leading to transcriptional activation (PubMed:[20215566](#), PubMed:[37478846](#), PubMed:[9267036](#)). Serves as a common heterodimeric partner for a number of nuclear receptors, such as RARA, RARB and PPARA (PubMed:[10195690](#), PubMed:[11915042](#), PubMed:[28167758](#), PubMed:[29021580](#)). The RXRA/RARB heterodimer can act as a transcriptional repressor or transcriptional activator, depending on the RARE DNA element context (PubMed:[29021580](#)). The RXRA/PPARA heterodimer is required for PPARA transcriptional activity on fatty acid oxidation genes such as ACOX1 and the P450 system genes (PubMed:[10195690](#)). Together with RARA, positively regulates microRNA-10a expression, thereby inhibiting the GATA6/VCAM1 signaling response to pulsatile shear stress in vascular endothelial cells (PubMed:[28167758](#)). Acts as an enhancer of RARA binding to RARE DNA element (PubMed:[28167758](#)). May facilitate the nuclear import of heterodimerization partners such as VDR and NR4A1 (PubMed:[12145331](#), PubMed:[15509776](#)). Promotes myelin debris phagocytosis and remyelination by macrophages (PubMed:[26463675](#)). Plays a role in the attenuation of the innate immune system in response to viral infections, possibly by negatively regulating the transcription of antiviral genes such as type I IFN genes (PubMed:[25417649](#)). Involved in the regulation of calcium signaling by repressing ITPR2 gene expression, thereby controlling cellular senescence (PubMed:[30216632](#)).

## Cellular Location

Nucleus {ECO:0000255|PROSITE-ProRule:PRU00407, ECO:0000269|PubMed:10874028, ECO:0000269|PubMed:11915042, ECO:0000269|PubMed:12145331, ECO:0000269|PubMed:15509776, ECO:0000269|PubMed:17761950, ECO:0000269|PubMed:28167758}. Cytoplasm Mitochondrion. Note=Localization to the nucleus is enhanced by vitamin D3 (PubMed:15509776). Nuclear localization may be enhanced by the interaction with heterodimerization partner VDR (PubMed:12145331). Translocation to the mitochondrion upon interaction with NR4A1 (PubMed:15509776, PubMed:17761950). Increased nuclear localization upon pulsatile shear stress (PubMed:28167758)

## Tissue Location

Expressed in lung fibroblasts (at protein level) (PubMed:30216632). Expressed in monocytes (PubMed:26463675). Highly expressed in liver, also found in kidney and brain (PubMed:14702039, PubMed:2159111, PubMed:24275569).

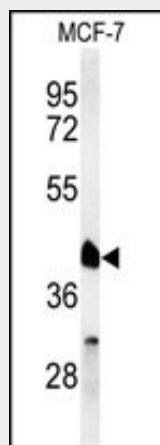
## RXRA Antibody (Center) - Protocols

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

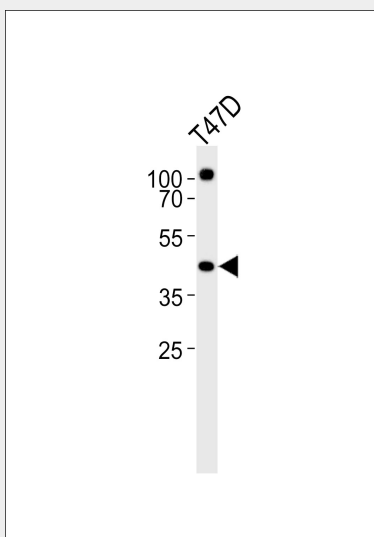
- [Western Blot](#)
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- [Immunofluorescence](#)
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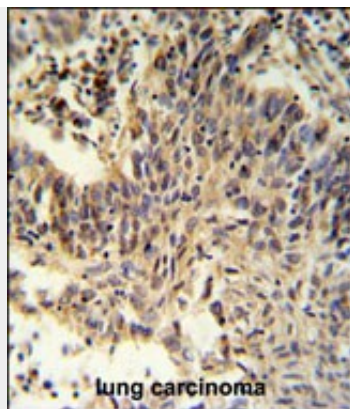
## RXRA Antibody (Center) - Images



Western blot analysis of RXRA Antibody (Center) (Cat. #AP4920c) in MCF-7 cell line lysates (35ug/lane). RXRA (arrow) was detected using the purified Pab.



Western blot analysis of lysate from T47D cell line, using RXRA Antibody (Center) (Cat. #AP4920c). AP4920c 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 35ug.



RXRA Antibody (Center) (Cat. #AP4920c) IHC analysis in formalin fixed and paraffin embedded lung carcinoma followed by peroxidase conjugation of the secondary antibody and DAB staining. This data demonstrates the use of the RXRA Antibody (Center) for immunohistochemistry. Clinical relevance has not been evaluated.

#### **RXRA Antibody (Center) - Background**

Retinoid X receptors (RXRs) and retinoic acid receptors (RARs), are nuclear receptors that mediate the biological effects of retinoids by their involvement in retinoic acid-mediated gene activation. These receptors exert their action by binding, as homodimers or heterodimers, to specific sequences in the promoters of target genes and regulating their transcription. The protein encoded by this gene is a member of the steroid and thyroid hormone receptor superfamily of transcriptional regulators.

#### **RXRA Antibody (Center) - References**

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