

**MAPK15 Antibody (N-term) Blocking peptide**  
**Synthetic peptide**  
**Catalog # BP7554a****Specification**

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**MAPK15 Antibody (N-term) Blocking peptide - Product Information**Primary Accession [Q8TD08](#)**MAPK15 Antibody (N-term) Blocking peptide - Additional Information**

Gene ID 225689

**Other Names**

Mitogen-activated protein kinase 15, MAP kinase 15, MAPK 15, Extracellular signal-regulated kinase 7, ERK-7, Extracellular signal-regulated kinase 8, ERK-8, MAPK15, ERK7, ERK8

**Target/Specificity**

The synthetic peptide sequence used to generate the antibody [AP7554a](/product/products/AP7554a) was selected from the N-term region of human ERK8. A 10 to 100 fold molar excess to antibody is recommended. Precise conditions should be optimized for a particular assay.

**Format**

Peptides are lyophilized in a solid powder format. Peptides can be reconstituted in solution using the appropriate buffer as needed.

**Storage**

Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store at -20°C.

**Precautions**

This product is for research use only. Not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

**MAPK15 Antibody (N-term) Blocking peptide - Protein Information**Name MAPK15 ([HGNC:24667](#))**Function**

Atypical MAPK protein that regulates several process such as autophagy, ciliogenesis, protein trafficking/secretion and genome integrity, in a kinase activity-dependent manner (PubMed:[20733054](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20733054), PubMed:[21847093](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/21847093), PubMed:[22948227](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22948227), PubMed:[24618899](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/24618899), PubMed:[29021280](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/29021280)). Controls both, basal and starvation-induced autophagy through its interaction with GABARAP, MAP1LC3B and GABARAPL1 leading to autophagosome formation, SQSTM1 degradation and reduced MAP1LC3B inhibitory phosphorylation (PubMed:[22948227](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22948227)). Regulates

primary cilium formation and the localization of ciliary proteins involved in cilium structure, transport, and signaling (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/29021280" target="\_blank">29021280</a>). Prevents the relocation of the sugar-adding enzymes from the Golgi to the endoplasmic reticulum, thereby restricting the production of sugar-coated proteins (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/24618899" target="\_blank">24618899</a>). Upon amino-acid starvation, mediates transitional endoplasmic reticulum site disassembly and inhibition of secretion (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/21847093" target="\_blank">21847093</a>). Binds to chromatin leading to MAPK15 activation and interaction with PCNA, that which protects genomic integrity by inhibiting MDM2-mediated degradation of PCNA (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20733054" target="\_blank">20733054</a>). Regulates DA transporter (DAT) activity and protein expression via activation of RhoA (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/28842414" target="\_blank">28842414</a>). In response to H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> treatment phosphorylates ELAVL1, thus preventing it from binding to the PDCD4 3'UTR and rendering the PDCD4 mRNA accessible to miR-21 and leading to its degradation and loss of protein expression (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/26595526" target="\_blank">26595526</a>). Also functions in a kinase activity-independent manner as a negative regulator of growth (By similarity). Phosphorylates in vitro FOS and MBP (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/11875070" target="\_blank">11875070</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/16484222" target="\_blank">16484222</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19166846" target="\_blank">19166846</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20638370" target="\_blank">20638370</a>). During oocyte maturation, plays a key role in the microtubule organization and meiotic cell cycle progression in oocytes, fertilized eggs, and early embryos (By similarity). Interacts with ESRRA promoting its re-localization from the nucleus to the cytoplasm and then prevents its transcriptional activity (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/21190936" target="\_blank">21190936</a>).

#### Cellular Location

Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton, cilium basal body. Cell junction, tight junction. Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton, microtubule organizing center, centrosome, centriole Cytoplasmic vesicle, autophagosome. Golgi apparatus. Nucleus. Cytoplasm. Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton, spindle {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q80Y86}. Note=Co-localizes to the cytoplasm only in presence of ESRRA (PubMed:21190936) Translocates to the nucleus upon activation (PubMed:20638370). At prometaphase I, metaphase I (MI), anaphase I, telophase I, and metaphase II (MII) stages, is stably detected at the spindle (By similarity). {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q80Y86, ECO:0000269|PubMed:20638370, ECO:0000269|PubMed:21190936}

#### Tissue Location

Widely expressed with a maximal expression in lung and kidney.

#### MAPK15 Antibody (N-term) Blocking peptide - Protocols

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

- [Blocking Peptides](#)

#### MAPK15 Antibody (N-term) Blocking peptide - Images

#### MAPK15 Antibody (N-term) Blocking peptide - Background

The ERKs are a subfamily of the MAPKs that have been implicated in cell growth and differentiation. Extracellular signal-regulated kinase 8 (Erk8) is a large MAP kinase whose activity is controlled by serum and the c-Src non-receptor tyrosine kinase. ERK8 down-regulates transactivation of the glucocorticoid receptor through Hic-5 and can negatively regulate transcriptional co-activation of androgen receptor and GR $\alpha$  by Hic-5 in a kinase-independent manner, suggesting a broader role for ERK8 in the regulation of nuclear receptors beyond estrogen

receptor alpha. Erk8 is a novel effector of RET/PTC3 and, therefore, RET biological functions.

#### **MAPK15 Antibody (N-term) Blocking peptide - References**

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