



Human ATF6 peptide (DAG-P0114)

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PRODUCT INFORMATION

Antigen Description

This gene encodes a transcription factor that activates target genes for the unfolded protein response (UPR) during endoplasmic reticulum (ER) stress. Although it is a transcription factor, this protein is unusual in that it is synthesized as a transmembrane protein that is embedded in the ER. It functions as an ER stress sensor/transducer, and following ER stress-induced proteolysis, it functions as a nuclear transcription factor via a cis-acting ER stress response element (ERSE) that is present in the promoters of genes encoding ER chaperones. This protein has been identified as a survival factor for quiescent but not proliferative squamous carcinoma cells. There have been conflicting reports about the association of polymorphisms in this gene with diabetes in different populations, but another polymorphism has been associated with increased plasma cholesterol levels. This gene is also thought to be a potential therapeutic target for cystic fibrosis. [provided by RefSeq, Aug 2011]

Specificity	Ubiquitous.
Purity	70 - 90% by HPLC.
Conjugate	Unconjugated
Sequence Similarities	Belongs to the bZIP family. ATF subfamily. Contains 1 bZIP domain.
Format	Liquid
Preservative	None
Storage	Shipped at 4°C. Upon delivery aliquot and store at -20°C or -80°C. Avoid repeated freeze / thaw cycles. Information available upon request.

GENE INFORMATION

Gene Name ATF6 activating transcription factor 6 [Homo sapiens (human)]

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Official Symbol	ATF6
Synonyms	ATF6; activating transcription factor 6; ATF6A; cyclic AMP-dependent transcription factor ATF-6 alpha; cAMP-dependent transcription factor ATF-6 alpha;
Entrez Gene ID	22926
mRNA Refseq	NM 007348.3
Protein Refseq	NP 031374.2
UniProt ID	A8K383
Chromosome Location	1q22-q23
Pathway	Activation of Chaperone Genes by ATF6-alpha, organism-specific biosystem; Activation of Chaperones by ATF6-alpha, organism-specific biosystem; Activation of Genes by ATF4, organism-specific biosystem; Alzheimers disease, organism-specific biosystem; Alzheimers disease, conserved biosystem; Alzheimers Disease, organism-specific biosystem; Metabolism of proteins, organism-specific biosystem; PERK regulated gene expression, organism-specific biosystem; Protein processing in endoplasmic reticulum, o
Function	protein binding; sequence-specific DNA binding; sequence-specific DNA binding transcription factor activity; transcription coactivator activity;