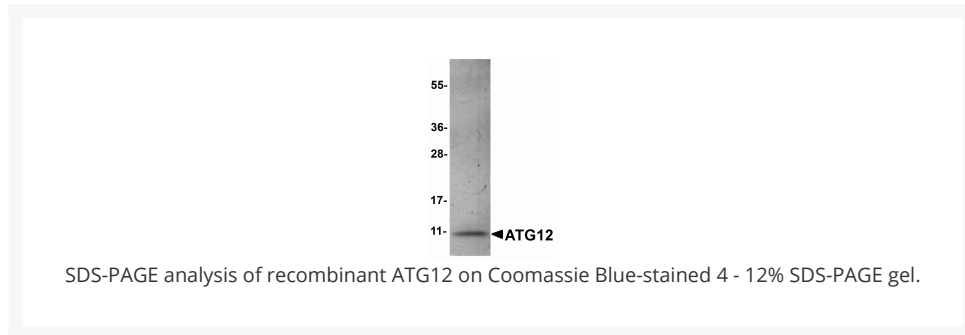




ATG12 Recombinant Protein

Cat. No.: 95-125



Ψ Specifications

SPECIES:	Mouse
SOURCE SPECIES:	E. coli
SEQUENCE:	aa 101 - 141
FUSION TAG:	Fusion Partner: C-terminal His-tag
TESTED APPLICATIONS:	ELISA, WB
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PREDICTED MOLECULAR WEIGHT:	10 kDa (Calculated)

Ψ Properties

PURITY:	~95%
PHYSICAL STATE:	Liquid
BUFFER:	1X PBS containing 0.1% SDS
STORAGE CONDITIONS:	Store in working aliquots at -70 °C. Avoid freeze/thaw cycles. When working with proteins care should be taken to keep recombinant protein at a cool and stable temperature.

OFFICIAL SYMBOL:	ATG12
ALTERNATE NAMES:	ATG12 Antibody: APG12, FBR93, APG12L, HAPG12, APG12, Ubiquitin-like protein ATG12, Autophagy-related protein 12, APG12-like
ACCESSION NO.:	Q9CQY1
PROTEIN GI NO.:	17366729
GENE ID:	9140

Background and References

BACKGROUND:	Autophagy, the process of bulk degradation of cellular proteins through an autophagosomic-lysosomal pathway is important for normal growth control and may be defective in tumor cells. It is involved in the preservation of cellular nutrients under starvation conditions as well as the normal turnover of cytosolic components (1,2). This process is negatively regulated by TOR (Target of rapamycin) through phosphorylation of autophagy protein APG1 (3). ATG12, another member of the autophagy protein family, forms a conjugate with ATG5; this conjugate has a ubiquitin-protein ligase (E3)-like activity for protein lipidation in autophagy (4). This conjugate also associates with innate immune response proteins such as RIG-I and VISA (also known as IPS-1), inhibiting type I interferon production and permitting viral replication in host cells (5). ATG12 has also been shown to interact with ATG10 in human embryonic kidney cells in the presence of ATG7 (6).
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