

**PINK1 Antibody (Ascites)**  
**Unpurified Mouse Monoclonal Antibody (Mab)**  
**Catalog # AM6406a**

**Specification**

**PINK1 Antibody (Ascites) - Product Information**

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| Application       | WB, IHC-P,E            |
| Primary Accession | <a href="#">Q9BXM7</a> |
| Reactivity        | Human, Mouse           |
| Host              | Mouse                  |
| Clonality         | Monoclonal             |
| Isotype           | IgG1                   |
| Calculated MW     | 62769                  |

**PINK1 Antibody (Ascites) - Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 65018

**Other Names**

Serine/threonine-protein kinase PINK1,  
mitochondrial, BRPK, PTEN-induced putative  
kinase protein 1, PINK1

**Target/Specificity**

Recombinant PINK1 protein was used to  
produced this monoclonal antibody.

**Dilution**

WB~~1:500~2000

IHC-P~~1:10~50

**Format**

Mouse monoclonal antibody supplied in  
crude ascites with 0.09% (W/V) sodium  
azide.

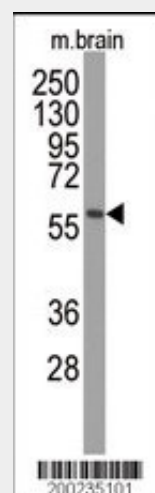
**Storage**

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.

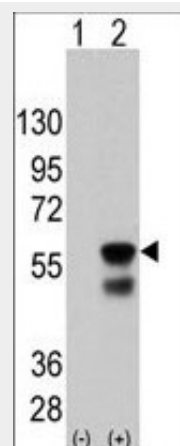
**Precautions**

PINK1 Antibody (Ascites) is for research use  
only and not for use in diagnostic or  
therapeutic procedures.

**PINK1 Antibody (Ascites) - Protein Information**



Western blot analysis of anti-PINK1  
Monoclonal Antibody (AM6406a) in mouse  
brain tissue lysates. PINK1 (arrow) was  
detected using the ascites Mab. (dilution  
1:500)



Western blot analysis of PINK (arrow) using  
mouse monoclonal PINK antibody (Ascites).  
293 cell lysates (2 µg/lane) either  
nontransfected (Lane 1) or transiently  
transfected with the PINK gene (Lane 2)  
(Origene Technologies) (1:2000)

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## Name PINK1

### Function

Serine/threonine-protein kinase which protects against mitochondrial dysfunction during cellular stress by phosphorylating mitochondrial proteins such as PRKN and DNML1, to coordinate mitochondrial quality control mechanisms that remove and replace dysfunctional mitochondrial components (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/14607334" target="\_blank">14607334</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/18957282" target="\_blank">18957282</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/18443288" target="\_blank">18443288</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/15087508" target="\_blank">15087508</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19229105" target="\_blank">19229105</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19966284" target="\_blank">19966284</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20404107" target="\_blank">20404107</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22396657" target="\_blank">22396657</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20798600" target="\_blank">20798600</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23620051" target="\_blank">23620051</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23754282" target="\_blank">23754282</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23933751" target="\_blank">23933751</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/24660806" target="\_blank">24660806</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/24898855" target="\_blank">24898855</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/24751536" target="\_blank">24751536</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/24784582" target="\_blank">24784582</a>)

Formalin-fixed and paraffin-embedded human hepatocarcinoma tissue reacted with PINK1 Monoclonal Antibody (Cat.#AM6406a), which was peroxidase-conjugated to the secondary antibody, followed by DAB staining. This data demonstrates the use of this antibody for immunohistochemistry; clinical relevance has not been evaluated.

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Formalin-fixed and paraffin-embedded human Brain Cortex tissue reacted with PINK1 Monoclonal Antibody (Cat.#AM6406a), which was peroxidase-conjugated to the secondary antibody, followed by AEC staining. This data demonstrates the use of this antibody for immunohistochemistry; clinical relevance has not been evaluated.

### PINK1 Antibody (Ascites) - Background

This gene encodes a serine/threonine protein kinase that localizes to mitochondria. It is thought to protect cells from stress-induced mitochondrial dysfunction. Mutations in this gene cause one form of autosomal recessive early-onset Parkinson disease.

### PINK1 Antibody (Ascites) - References

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Depending on the severity of mitochondrial damage and/or dysfunction, activity ranges from preventing apoptosis and stimulating mitochondrial biogenesis to regulating mitochondrial dynamics and eliminating severely damaged mitochondria via mitophagy (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/18443288"  
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OMM of damaged mitochondria,  
phosphorylates pre-existing polyubiquitin  
chains at 'Ser-65', the  
PINK1-phosphorylated polyubiquitin then  
recruits PRKN from the cytosol to the OMM  
where PRKN is fully activated by  
phosphorylation at 'Ser-65' by PINK1  
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decision between mitophagy or preventing apoptosis by promoting PRKN-dependent poly- or monoubiquitination of VDAC1; polyubiquitination of VDAC1 by PRKN promotes mitophagy, while monoubiquitination of VDAC1 by PRKN decreases mitochondrial calcium influx which ultimately inhibits apoptosis (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/32047033" target="\_blank">32047033</a>). When cellular stress results in irreversible mitochondrial damage, functions with PRKN to promote clearance of damaged mitochondria via selective autophagy (mitophagy) (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/14607334" target="\_blank">14607334</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20798600" target="\_blank">20798600</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20404107" target="\_blank">20404107</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19966284" target="\_blank">19966284</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23933751" target="\_blank">23933751</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/15087508" target="\_blank">15087508</a>). The PINK1-PRKN pathway also promotes fission of damaged mitochondria by phosphorylating and thus promoting the PRKN-dependent degradation of mitochondrial proteins involved in fission such as MFN2 (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/18443288" target="\_blank">18443288</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23620051" target="\_blank">23620051</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/24898855" target="\_blank">24898855</a>). This prevents the refusion of unhealthy mitochondria with the mitochondrial network or initiates mitochondrial fragmentation facilitating their later engulfment by autophagosomes (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/18443288" target="\_blank">18443288</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23620051" target="\_blank">23620051</a>).

target="\_blank">23620051</a>). Also promotes mitochondrial fission independently of PRKN and ATG7-mediated mitophagy, via the phosphorylation and activation of DNM1L (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/18443288" target="\_blank">18443288</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/32484300" target="\_blank">32484300</a>). Regulates motility of damaged mitochondria by promoting the ubiquitination and subsequent degradation of MIRO1 and MIRO2; in motor neurons, this likely inhibits mitochondrial intracellular anterograde transport along the axons which probably increases the chance of the mitochondria undergoing mitophagy in the soma (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22396657" target="\_blank">22396657</a>). Required for ubiquinone reduction by mitochondrial complex I by mediating phosphorylation of complex I subunit NDUFA10 (By similarity).

#### **Cellular Location**

Mitochondrion outer membrane; Single-pass membrane protein. Mitochondrion inner membrane {ECO:0000250|UniProtKB:Q99MQ3}; Single-pass membrane protein. Cytoplasm, cytosol. Note=Localizes mostly in mitochondrion and the two smaller proteolytic processed fragments localize mainly in cytosol (PubMed:19229105). When mitochondria lose mitochondrial membrane potential following damage, PINK1 import is arrested, which induces its accumulation in the outer mitochondrial membrane, where it acquires kinase activity (PubMed:18957282)

#### **Tissue Location**

Highly expressed in heart, skeletal muscle and testis, and at lower levels in brain, placenta, liver, kidney, pancreas, prostate, ovary and small intestine. Present in the embryonic testis from an early stage of development

#### **PINK1 Antibody (Ascites) - Protocols**

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

- [Western Blot](#)
- [Blocking Peptides](#)
- [Dot Blot](#)
- [Immunohistochemistry](#)
- [Immunofluorescence](#)
- [Immunoprecipitation](#)
- [Flow Cytometry](#)
- [Cell Culture](#)

**PINK1 Antibody (Ascites) - Citations**

- [PINK1-mediated phosphorylation of LETM1 regulates mitochondrial calcium transport and protects neurons against mitochondrial stress.](#)
- [Mitochondrially localized PKA reverses mitochondrial pathology and dysfunction in a cellular model of Parkinson's disease.](#)