



**Product Name: Phospho-PKR (T446) (4N9) Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody**  
**Catalog #: AMRe05976**

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## Summary

<b>Production Name</b>	Phospho-PKR (T446) (4N9) Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody
<b>Description</b>	Rabbit Monoclonal Antibody
<b>Host</b>	Rabbit
<b>Application</b>	WB,ELISA
<b>Reactivity</b>	Human

## Performance

<b>Conjugation</b>	Unconjugated
<b>Modification</b>	Phospho Antibody
<b>Isotype</b>	IgG
<b>Clonality</b>	Monoclonal
<b>Form</b>	Liquid
<b>Storage</b>	Store at 4°C short term. Aliquot and store at -20°C long term. Avoid freeze/thaw cycles.
<b>Buffer</b>	Rabbit IgG in phosphate buffered saline , pH 7.4, 150mM NaCl, 0.02% New type preservative N and 50% glycerol. Store at +4°C short term. Store at -20°C long term. Avoid freeze / thaw cycle.
<b>Purification</b>	Affinity purification

## Immunogen

<b>Gene Name</b>	EIF2AK2
<b>Alternative Names</b>	E2AK2;E2AK2; EIF2AK1; EIF2AK2; MGC126524; PKR p68 kinase; PKR; PRKR;
<b>Gene ID</b>	5610.0
<b>SwissProt ID</b>	P19525.

## Application

<b>Dilution Ratio</b>	WB 1:500-1:2000
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	62kDa



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## Background

PKR a protein kinase of the PEK family. Upon binding double-stranded RNA, it becomes autophosphorylated and activated. Phosphorylates and inhibits the alpha subunit of eIF2 alpha, which leads to an inhibition of the initiation of protein synthesis. IFN-induced dsRNA-dependent serine/threonine-protein kinase that phosphorylates the alpha subunit of eukaryotic translation initiation factor 2 (EIF2S1/eIF-2-alpha) and plays a key role in the innate immune response to viral infection (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/18835251" target="\_blank">18835251</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19507191" target="\_blank">19507191</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19189853" target="\_blank">19189853</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/21123651" target="\_blank">21123651</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/21072047" target="\_blank">21072047</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22948139" target="\_blank">22948139</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23229543" target="\_blank">23229543</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22381929" target="\_blank">22381929</a>). Inhibits viral replication via the integrated stress response (ISR): EIF2S1/eIF-2- alpha phosphorylation in response to viral infection converts EIF2S1/eIF-2-alpha in a global protein synthesis inhibitor, resulting to a shutdown of cellular and viral protein synthesis, while concomitantly initiating the preferential translation of ISR-specific mRNAs, such as the transcriptional activator ATF4 (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19189853" target="\_blank">19189853</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/21123651" target="\_blank">21123651</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22948139" target="\_blank">22948139</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23229543" target="\_blank">23229543</a>). Exerts its antiviral activity on a wide range of DNA and RNA viruses including hepatitis C virus (HCV), hepatitis B virus (HBV), measles virus (MV) and herpes simplex virus 1 (HHV-1) (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/11836380" target="\_blank">11836380</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19189853" target="\_blank">19189853</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20171114" target="\_blank">20171114</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19840259" target="\_blank">19840259</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/21710204" target="\_blank">21710204</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23115276" target="\_blank">23115276</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23399035" target="\_blank">23399035</a>). Also involved in the regulation of signal transduction, apoptosis, cell proliferation and differentiation: phosphorylates other substrates including p53/TP53, PPP2R5A, DHX9, ILF3, IRS1 and the HHV-1 viral protein US11 (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/11836380" target="\_blank">11836380</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22214662" target="\_blank">22214662</a>, PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/19229320" target="\_blank">19229320</a>). In addition to serine/threonine-protein kinase activity, also has tyrosine-protein kinase activity and phosphorylates CDK1 at 'Tyr-4' upon DNA damage, facilitating its ubiquitination and proteosomal degradation (PubMed:<a href="http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20395957"

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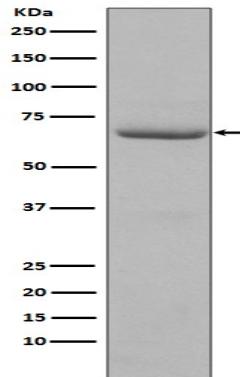
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target=\_blank">20395957). Either as an adapter protein and/or via its kinase activity, can regulate various signaling pathways (p38 MAP kinase, NF-kappa-B and insulin signaling pathways) and transcription factors (JUN, STAT1, STAT3, IRF1, ATF3) involved in the expression of genes encoding proinflammatory cytokines and IFNs (PubMed:[22948139](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22948139), PubMed:[23084476](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23084476), PubMed:[23372823](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/23372823)). Activates the NF-kappa-B pathway via interaction with IKBKB and TRAF family of proteins and activates the p38 MAP kinase pathway via interaction with MAP2K6 (PubMed:[10848580](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/10848580), PubMed:[15121867](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/15121867), PubMed:[15229216](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/15229216)). Can act as both a positive and negative regulator of the insulin signaling pathway (ISP) (PubMed:[20685959](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20685959)). Negatively regulates ISP by inducing the inhibitory phosphorylation of insulin receptor substrate 1 (IRS1) at 'Ser-312' and positively regulates ISP via phosphorylation of PPP2R5A which activates FOXO1, which in turn up-regulates the expression of insulin receptor substrate 2 (IRS2) (PubMed:[20685959](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20685959)). Can regulate NLRP3 inflammasome assembly and the activation of NLRP3, NLRP1, AIM2 and NLRC4 inflammasomes (PubMed:[22801494](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22801494)). Plays a role in the regulation of the cytoskeleton by binding to gelsolin (GSN), sequestering the protein in an inactive conformation away from actin (By similarity).

## Research Area

### Image Data



Western blot analysis of PKR phosphorylation expression in HeLa cell lysate treated with Calyculin A and TNF-alpha.



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