

[36603579](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/36603579), PubMed: [8524823](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/8524823)). Acts as a more potent activator of the IFN-beta (IFNB) gene than the IFN-alpha (IFNA) gene and plays a critical role in both the early and late phases of the IFNA/B gene induction (PubMed: [16846591](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/16846591), PubMed: [16979567](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/16979567), PubMed: [20049431](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/20049431), PubMed: [36603579](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/36603579)). Found in an inactive form in the cytoplasm of uninfected cells and following viral infection, double-stranded RNA (dsRNA), or toll-like receptor (TLR) signaling, is phosphorylated by IKKε and TBK1 kinases (PubMed: [22394562](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/22394562), PubMed: [25636800](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/25636800), PubMed: [27302953](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/27302953), PubMed: [36603579](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/36603579)). This induces a conformational change, leading to its dimerization and nuclear localization and association with CREB binding protein (CREBBP) to form dsRNA-activated factor 1 (DRAFI), a complex which activates the transcription of the type I IFN and ISG genes (PubMed: [16154084](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/16154084), PubMed: [27302953](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/27302953), PubMed: [33440148](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/33440148), PubMed: [36603579](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/36603579)). Can activate distinct gene expression programs in macrophages and can induce significant apoptosis in primary macrophages (PubMed: [16846591](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/16846591) target="_blank">16846591). In response to Sendai virus infection, is recruited by TOMM70:HSP90AA1 to mitochondrion and forms an apoptosis complex TOMM70:HSP90AA1:IRF3:BAX inducing apoptosis (PubMed: [25609812](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/25609812)). Key transcription factor regulating the IFN response during SARS-CoV-2 infection (PubMed: [33440148](http://www.uniprot.org/citations/33440148)).

Cellular Location

Cytoplasm. Nucleus Mitochondrion. Note=Shuttles between cytoplasmic and nuclear compartments, with export being the prevailing effect (PubMed:10805757, PubMed:35922005). When activated, IRF3 interaction with CREBBP prevents its export to the cytoplasm (PubMed:10805757). Recruited to mitochondria via TOMM70:HSP90AA1 upon Sendai virus infection (PubMed:25609812).

Tissue Location

Expressed constitutively in a variety of tissues.

IRF3 Rabbit mAb - Protocols

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