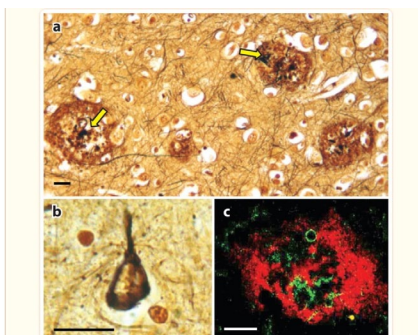


## Amyloid precursor protein processing and alzheimer's disease

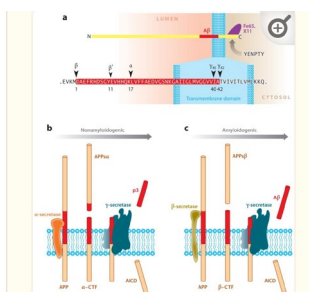
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Alzheimer's disease (AD), the leading cause of dementia worldwide, is characterized by the accumulation of the  $\beta$ -amyloid peptide ( $A\beta$ ) within the brain along with hyperphosphorylated and cleaved forms. Accumulation of cerebral amyloid-beta peptide (A $\beta$ ) is essential for developing synaptic and cognitive deficits in Alzheimer's disease.

Dementia patient's reports are taken in the given figures



Pathology of Alzheimer's disease. (a, b) Brain cut sections of a patient with dementia are stained with silver dye, revealed neuritic plaques observed in panel and neurofibrillary tangle observed in panel b. The plaques in panel a consist of an amorphous reddish protein ( $A\beta$ ) with dystrophic neurites (yellow arrows, dark black material). (c) An  $A\beta$  plaque observed with an anti- $A\beta$  antibody (red) showing infiltrating microglia stained with IBA1 antibody (green).



- a. The APP family of proteins are large, biologically active, N-terminal ectodomains and a shorter C-terminus that consist of a crucial Tyrosine–Glutamic Acid–Asparagine–Proline–Threonine–Tyrosine (YENPTY) protein-sorting domain to the adaptor proteins X11 and Fe65 bound. The A $\beta$  peptide started within the ectodomain and continued into the transmembrane region (red ).
- b. Nonamyloidogenic processing of APP involved  $\alpha$ -secretase followed by  $\gamma$ -secretase is shown.
- c. Amyloidogenic processing of APP involving BACE1 followed by  $\gamma$ -secretase is shown. Both processes generate soluble ectodomains (sAPP $\alpha$  and sAPP $\beta$ ) and identical intracellular C-terminal fragments (AICD).

APP trafficking in neurons. Newly synthesized APP (Purple) is transported from the Golgi down the axon (1) or into a cell body endosomal compartment (2). After inserting into the cell surface, some APP is cleaved by  $\alpha$ -secretase (6) generated the sAPP $\alpha$  fragment, which diffused away ( green), and some is reinternalize into endosomes (3), where A $\beta$  is generated (blue). Following proteolysis, the endosome recycles to the cell surface (4), releasing A $\beta$ (blue) and sAPP $\beta$ . Transport from endosomes to the Golgi prior to APP cleavage can also occur, mediated by retromers (5).

**Discussion:** In this research we discussed about the amyloidogenic protein synthesis and histological study and pathological study and also serum studies and neurological study and neurochemical studies.

**Conclusion:** Alzheimer's disease (AD), the leading cause of dementia worldwide, is characterized by the accumulation of the  $\beta$ -amyloid peptide (A $\beta$ ) within the brain along with hyperphosphorylated and cleaved forms.

**Keywords:** Neurodegeneration, dementia, BACE1,  $\alpha$ -secretase,  $\gamma$ -secretase, aging

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