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Product datasheet

Anti-VASP (phospho S157) antibody ab47268

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Overview

Product name Anti-VASP (phospho S157) antibody

Description Rabbit polyclonal to VASP (phospho S157)

Host species Rabbit

Tested applications Suitable for: ELISA, ICC/IF, WB, IHC-P

Species reactivity Reacts with: Mouse, Human

Predicted to work with: Rat

Immunogen Synthetic peptide corresponding to Human VASP aa 100-200 (phospho S157).

Database link: P50552

General notes

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Properties

Form Liquid

Storage instructions Shipped at 4°C. Store at -20°C. Stable for 12 months at -20°C.

Storage buffer pH: 7.40

Preservative: 0.02% Sodium azide

Constituents: PBS, 50% Glycerol (glycerin, glycerine), 0.87% Sodium chloride

Without Mg+2 and Ca+2

Purity Immunogen affinity purified

Purification notes This antibody was affinity purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity chromatography using epitope

specific phosphopeptide. The antibody against non-phosphopeptide was removed by chromatography using non-phosphopeptide corresponding to the phosphorlyation site.

Clonality Polyclonal

Isotype IgG

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Applications

The Abpromise quarantee

Our Abpromise guarantee covers the use of ab47268 in the following tested applications.

The application notes include recommended starting dilutions; optimal dilutions/concentrations should be determined by the end user.

Application	Abreviews	Notes
ELISA		Use at an assay dependent concentration.
ICC/IF	★★★★ <u>(1)</u>	Use at an assay dependent concentration.
WB	★★★★ ☆ (1)	1/500 - 1/1000. Detects a band of approximately 46 kDa (predicted molecular weight: 42 kDa).
IHC-P		Use at an assay dependent concentration.

Target

Function

Ena/VASP proteins are actin-associated proteins involved in a range of processes dependent on cytoskeleton remodeling and cell polarity such as axon guidance, lamellipodial and filopodial dynamics, platelet activation and cell migration. VASP promotes actin filament elongation. It protects the barbed end of growing actin filaments against capping and increases the rate of actin polymerization in the presence of capping protein. VASP stimulates actin filament elongation by promoting the transfer of profilin-bound actin monomers onto the barbed end of growing actin filaments. Plays a role in actin-based mobility of Listeria monocytogenes in host cells. Regulates actin dynamics in platelets and plays an important role in regulating platelet aggregation.

Tissue specificity

Highly expressed in platelets.

Sequence similarities Belongs to the Ena/VASP family.

Contains 1 WH1 domain.

Domain

The EVH2 domain is comprised of 3 regions. Block A is a thymosin-like domain required for G-actin binding. The KLKR motif within this block is essential for the G-actin binding and for actin polymerization. Block B is required for F-actin binding and subcellular location, and Block C for tetramerization.

The WH1 domain mediates interaction with XIRP1.

Post-translational modifications

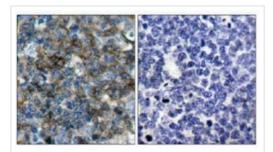
Major substrate for cAMP-dependent (PKA) and cGMP-dependent protein kinase (PKG) in platelets. The preferred site for PKA is Ser-157, the preferred site for PKG, Ser-239. In ADP-activated platelets, phosphorylation by PKA or PKG on Ser-157 leads to fibrinogen receptor inhibition. Phosphorylation on Thr-278 requires prior phosphorylation on Ser-157 and Ser-239. In response to phorbol ester (PMA) stimulation, phosphorylated by PKC/PRKCA. In response to thrombin, phosphorylated by both PKC and ROCK1. Phosphorylation at Thr-278 by AMPK does not require prior phosphorylation at Ser-157 or Ser-239. Phosphorylation modulates F-actin binding, actin filament elongation and platelet activation. Carbon monoxide (CO) promotes phosphorylation at Ser-157, while nitric oxide (NO) promotes phosphorylation at Ser-157, but also at Ser-239. Response to NO and CO is blunted in platelets from diabetic patients, and VASP is not phosphorylated efficiently at Ser-157 and Ser-239.

Cellular localization

Cytoplasm. Cytoplasm > cytoskeleton. Cell junction > focal adhesion. Cell projection > lamellipodium membrane. Cell projection > filopodium membrane. Targeted to stress fibers and

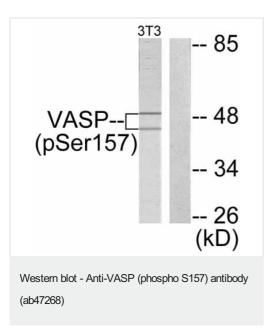
focal adhesions through interaction with a number of proteins including MRL family members. Localizes to the plasma membrane in protruding lamellipodia and filopodial tips. Stimulation by thrombin or PMA, also translocates VASP to focal adhesions. Localized along the sides of actin filaments throughout the peripheral cytoplasm under basal conditions.

Images



Immunohistochemistry (Formalin/PFA-fixed paraffinembedded sections) - Anti-VASP (phospho S157) antibody (ab47268)

ab47268, at 1/50 dilution, staining VASP in Human tonsil tissue by Immunohistochemistry, Paraffin-embedded tissue. Left panel: no peptide; right panel: with immunizing phosphopeptide.



All lanes: Anti-VASP (phospho S157) antibody (ab47268)

Lane 1: NIH/3T3 cell extract treated with forskolin (40µM, 30 min)

Lane 2: NIH/3T3 cell extract

Predicted band size: 42 kDa

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