# Villin (12): sc-136119



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#### **BACKGROUND**

Caldesmon, Filamin 1, Nebulin and Villin are differentially expressed and regulated Actin binding proteins. Both muscular (CDh) and non-muscular (CDl) forms of Caldesmon have been identified and each has been shown to bind to Actin as well as to calmodulin and myosin. CDh is expressed predominantly on thin filaments in smooth muscle, whereas CDl is widely expressed in non-muscle tissues and cells. Filamin 1, which is ubiquitously expressed and exists as a homodimer, functions to crosslink Actin to filaments. Nebulin is a large filamentous protein specific to muscle tissue that may function as a ruler for filament length. Several isoforms of Nebulin are produced by alternative exon usage. Villin is Ca<sup>2+</sup>-regulated and is the major structural component of the brush border of absorptive cells.

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## **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: VIL1 (human) mapping to 2q35.

## SOURCE

Villin (12) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1-827 representing full length Villin of bovine origin.

#### **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 50  $\mu g \ lg G_1$  in 0.5 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

#### **STORAGE**

Store at 4° C, \*\*DO NOT FREEZE\*\*. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

### **RESEARCH USE**

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures. Not for resale.

#### **APPLICATIONS**

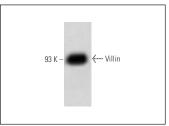
Villin (12) is recommended for detection of Villin of human and bovine origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000) and immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500); not recommended for immunoprecipitation.

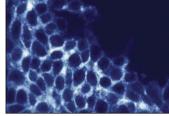
Suitable for use as control antibody for Villin siRNA (h): sc-29521, Villin shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29521-SH and Villin shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29521-V.

Molecular Weight of Villin: 93 kDa.

Positive Controls: HCT-8 cell lysate: sc-24675.

#### **DATA**





Villin (12): sc-136119. Western blot analysis of Villin

Villin (12): sc-136119. Immunofluorescence staining of HCT-8 cells showing cytoplasmic staining.

### **SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS**

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#### **PROTOCOLS**

See our web site at www.scbt.com for detailed protocols and support products.



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