# vanin-1 (C-20): sc-16778



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#### **BACKGROUND**

Hematopoietic precursor cells migrate to the thymus, where they differentiate into mature T lymphocytes. GPl-anchored vanin-1 protein regulates the late adhesion steps of thymus homing of bone marrow precursor cells. Vanin-1 is ubiquitously expressed as a pantetheinase enzyme and catalyzes the hydrolysis of pantetheine for vitamin B5 recycling. The hydrolytic activity of vanin-1 generates the potent antioxidant cysteamine as a metabolite. As a membrane bound pantetheinase, vanin-1 provides the main source of cysteamine under normal physiological conditions. In mice, vanin-1 is expressed specifically in male Sertoli cells of the developing testis, where it aids in cell migration. Vanin-1 is also expressed in human spleen, liver and small intestine, where it may be involved in salvaging vitamin B5. The gene encoding human vanin-1 maps to chromosome 6q23.2. Other members of the vanin family include vanin-2 and vanin-3.

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# **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: VNN1 (human) mapping to 6q23.2.

# SOURCE

vanin-1 (C-20) is an affinity purified goat polyclonal antibody raised against a peptide mapping near the C-terminus of vanin-1 of human origin.

## **PRODUCT**

Each vial contains 200  $\mu g$  lgG in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

Blocking peptide available for competition studies, sc-16778 P, (100  $\mu$ g peptide in 0.5 ml PBS containing < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.2% BSA).

#### **STORAGE**

Store at 4° C, \*\*D0 NOT FREEZE\*\*. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

#### **APPLICATIONS**

vanin-1 (C-20) is recommended for detection of vanin-1 of human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500), immunohistochemistry (including paraffin-embedded sections) (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

vanin-1 (C-20) is also recommended for detection of vanin-1 in additional species, including equine, canine, bovine and porcine.

Suitable for use as control antibody for vanin-1 siRNA (h): sc-36807, vanin-1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36807-SH and vanin-1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36807-V.

Molecular Weight of vanin-1: 70 kDa.

Positive Controls: A-431 whole cell lysate: sc-2201.

## **RECOMMENDED SECONDARY REAGENTS**

To ensure optimal results, the following support (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2020 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker™ compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:5000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, TBS Blotto A Blocking Reagent: sc-2333 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunofluorescence: use donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz™ Mounting Medium: sc-24941. 3) Immunohistochemistry: use ImmunoCruz™: sc-2053 or ABC: sc-2023 goat IgG Staining Systems.

## DATA



vanin-1 (C-20): sc-16778. Immunoperoxidase staining of formalin fixed, paraffin-embedded human kidney tissue showing apical membrane and cytoplasmic staining of cells in tubules.

## **RESEARCH USE**

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



Try vanin-1 (3-RE8): sc-135599, our highly recommended monoclonal aternative to vanin-1 (C-20).