

p-VASP (5C6): sc-101440

BACKGROUND

The Wiskott-Aldrich syndrome (WAS) is characterized by thrombocytopenia, eczema, defects in cell-mediated and humoral immunity and a propensity for lymphoproliferative diseases. The syndrome is the result of a mutation in the gene encoding a proline-rich protein termed WASP. A distantly related protein, VASP (vasodilator-stimulated phosphoprotein), is involved in the maintenance of cytoarchitecture by interacting with Actin-like filaments. VASP shares a limited degree of homology with the amino-terminus of WASP, which is frequently mutated in WAS patients. An established substrate of cAMP and cGMP dependent kinases, VASP is phosphorylated on a regulatory serine residue 157 and localizes to focal adhesions, microfilaments and highly active regions of the plasma membrane. VASP is also phosphorylated on Serine 239 by cGMP-dependent protein kinase.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: VASP (human) mapping to 19q13.32; Vasp (mouse) mapping to 7 A3.

SOURCE

p-VASP (5C6) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against synthetic VASP of human origin, phosphorylated at serine 157.

PRODUCT

Each vial contains 50 µg IgG₁ in 0.5 ml of 2 x PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide, 0.1% gelatin, PEG, and sucrose.

STORAGE

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

APPLICATIONS

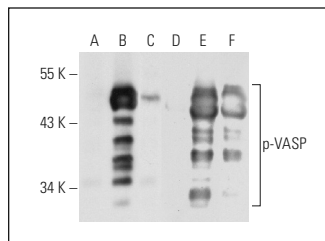
p-VASP (5C6) is recommended for detection of Ser 157 phosphorylated VASP of mouse, rat and human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)], immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500), flow cytometry (1 µg per 1 x 10⁶ cells) and solid phase ELISA (starting dilution 1:30, dilution range 1:30-1:3000).

Suitable for use as control antibody for VASP siRNA (h): sc-29516, VASP siRNA (m): sc-36809, VASP shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-29516-SH, VASP shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-36809-SH, VASP shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-29516-V and VASP shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36809-V.

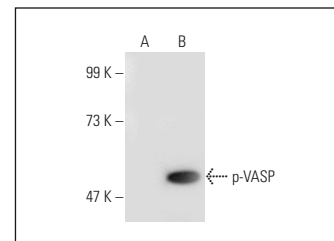
Molecular Weight of p-VASP: 50 kDa.

Positive Controls: VASP (h): 293T Lysate: sc-114829, NIH/3T3 + forskolin cell lysate: sc-24741 or VASP (m): 293T Lysate: sc-127758.

DATA



Western blot analysis of VASP phosphorylation in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A, D), untreated human VASP transfected: sc-114829 (B, E) and lambda protein phosphatase (sc-200312A) treated human VASP transfected: sc-114829 (C, F) 293T whole cell lysates. Antibodies tested include p-VASP (5C6): sc-101440 (A, B, C) and VASP (A-11): sc-46668 (D, E, F).



p-VASP (5C6): sc-101440. Western blot analysis of VASP phosphorylation in non-transfected: sc-117752 (A) and mouse VASP transfected: sc-127759 (B) 293T whole cell lysates.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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PROTOCOLS

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