

Mouse Monoclonal Antibody to

VASP (phospho-Ser 239)

clone 16C2

FITC-labelled

Order No.: 0047-100FITC/VASP-16C2

Size (µg) 100

Lot No.: 0047S



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Isotype	Species Reactivity	Applications	Mol. Weight	Ref.Cell Line	Epitope	Immunogen
IgG1	human, mouse	ICC flow cytometry	46/50 kDa	none	phosphoserine 239 R K V pS K Q E	phosphopeptide conjugated to KLH

Background and Specificity:

VASP (vasodilator stimulated phosphoprotein) plays an important role in ANF / NO / cGMP Protein kinase and cAMP / cAMP Protein kinase signalling pathways. VASP is expressed in almost all human and animal cell lines; particularly high concentrations are found in thrombocytes, vascular smooth muscle cells and fibroblasts. In cultured cells VASP is associated with focal contacts, cell-cell-contacts, microfilaments and dynamic membrane regions such as the leading edge. *In vitro* binding data show that VASP binds to profilin, zyxin, vinculin, and the *Listeria spp.* surface protein ActA. Functional evidence indicates that VASP is a crucial factor involved in the enhancement of actin filament formation.

Mab VASP-16C2 recognizes VASP only, when Ser 239 is phosphorylated, a site preferred by cGMP-dependent protein kinase (PKG) but also used by cAMP-dependent protein kinase (PKA). The antibody does not crossreact with the non-phosphorylated form of VASP nor with unrelated serine-phosphorylated proteins. Therefore, antibody VASP-16C2 is able to monitor the phosphorylation state of VASP serine 239 as well as PKA activity.

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 #0085-100/VASP-5C6

mab to VASP (phospho-Ser 239)
 #0153-100/VASP-22E11

IMPORTANT!

THE USE OF ANTIBODIES SPECIFIC FOR PHOSPHORYLATED VASP FOR DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC PURPOSES IS PATENTED!

THE ANTIBODY IS SUPPLIED FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY!

Purification: The antibody was purified from serum-free cell culture supernatant by subsequent thiophilic adsorption and size exclusion chromatography.

Formulation: liquid; 0.5 mg/ml in 2 x PBS/0,09% Na-Azide/PEG/Sucrose

Reconstitution:

Stability: Aliquote and freeze in liquid nitrogen; antibody can be stored frozen at -80°C up to 1 year. Thaw aliquots at 37°C. Thawed aliquots may be stored at 4°C up to 3 months.

Avoid repeated freeze / thaw cycles.

Positive Control: none

Immunoblotting: Please use the following products:
 0047-100/VASP-16C2
 0047-100BIOTIN/VASP-16C2, biotinylated

Immunoprecipitation: Please use the following products: 0047-100/VASP-16C2
 0047-100BIOTIN/VASP-16C2, biotinylated

Immunocytochemistry: use at 1 - 10 µg/ml. Mab VASP-16C2 may tolerate 0.5 % formaldehyde fixation

ELISA: Please use the following products: 0047-100/VASP-16C2
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