

## Anti-Phospho-Vinculin (Y821) antibody



**Description** Rabbit polyclonal to Phospho-Vinculin (Y821).

Model STJ91311

**Host** Rabbit

**Reactivity** Human, Mouse, Rat

**Applications** ELISA, IF, IHC

Immunogen Synthesized peptide derived from human Vinculin around the phosphorylation

site of Y821.

**Immunogen Region** 760-840 aa

**Gene ID** <u>7414</u>

Gene Symbol VCL

**Dilution range** IHC 1:100-1:300IF 1:200-1:1000ELISA 1:20000

**Specificity** Phospho-Vinculin (Y821) Polyclonal Antibody detects endogenous levels of

Vinculin protein only when phosphorylated at Y821.

**Tissue Specificity** Metavinculin is muscle-specific.

**Purification** The antibody was affinity-purified from rabbit antiserum by affinity-

chromatography using epitope-specific immunogen.

**Note** For Research Use Only (RUO).

Protein Name Vinculin Metavinculin MV

Molecular Weight 123 kDa

**Clonality** Polyclonal

**Conjugation** Unconjugated

**Isotype** IgG

**Formulation** Liquid in PBS containing 50% glycerol, 0.5% BSA and 0.02% sodium azide.

**Concentration** 1 mg/ml

**Storage Instruction** Store at -20°C, and avoid repeat freeze-thaw cycles.

Database Links HGNC:12665OMIM:193065

Alternative Names Vinculin Metavinculin MV

**Function** Actin filament (F-actin)-binding protein involved in cell-matrix adhesion and

cell-cell adhesion. Regulates cell-surface E-cadherin expression and potentiates mechanosensing by the E-cadherin complex. May also play

important roles in cell morphology and locomotion.

Sequence and Domain Family Exists in at least two conformations. When in the closed, 'inactive'

conformation, extensive interactions between the head and tail domains prevent detectable binding to most of its ligands. It takes on an 'active' conformation after cooperative and simultaneous binding of two different ligands. This activation involves displacement of the head-tail interactions and leads to a significant accumulation of ternary complexes. The active form then binds a number of proteins that have both signaling and structural roles that are essential for cell adhesion. The N-terminal globular head (Vh) comprises of subdomains D1-D4. The C-terminal tail (Vt) binds F-actin and cross-links actin filaments into bundles. In isoform 2 (metavinculin) a 68 residue insertion

in the tail domain promotes actin severing instead of bundling. An intramolecular interaction between Vh and Vt masks the F-actin-binding domain located in Vt. The binding of talin and alpha-actinin to the D1

subdomain of vinculin induces a helical bundle conversion of this subdomain, leading to the disruption of the intramolecular interaction and the exposure of the cryptic F-actin-binding domain of Vt. Vt inhibits actin filament barbed end elongation without affecting the critical concentration of actin assembly.

Cellular Localization Cell membrane Cell junction, adherens junction Cell junction, focal adhesion

Cytoplasm, cytoskeleton. Recruitment to cell-cell junctions occurs in a myosin

II-dependent manner. Interaction with CTNNB1 is necessary for its

localization to the cell-cell junctions.

**Post-translational** Phosphorylated; on serines, threonines and tyrosines. Phosphorylation on

Tyr-1133 in activated platelets affects head-tail interactions and cell spreading but has no effect on actin binding nor on localization to focal adhesion plaques . Acetylated; mainly by myristic acid but also by a small amount of palmitic

acid.

**Modifications**