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Applications: W	Reactivity: M R	Sensitivity: Endogenous	MW (kDa): 35-45, 85-100	Source/Isotype: Rabbit	UniProt ID: #P29533	Entrez-Gene Id: 22329
Product Usage Information		Application Western Blotting			Dilution 1:1000	
Storage		Supplied in 10 mM sodium HEPES (pH 7.5), 150 mM NaCl, 100 μg/ml BSA and 50% glycerol. Store at – 20°C. Do not aliquot the antibody.				
Specificity/Sensitivity		VCAM-1 Antibody recognizes endogenous levels of total VCAM-1 protein. This antibody recognizes both long and short isoforms of VCAM-1 protein.				
Source / Purification		Polyclonal antibodies are produced by immunizing animals with a synthetic peptide corresponding to residues surrounding Gln203 of mouse VCAM-1 protein. Antibodies are purified by protein A and peptide affinity chromatography.				
Background		VCAM-1 (vascular cell adhesion molecule-1) is a transmembrane glycoprotein containing multiple amino-terminal extracellular Ig-like domains, a transmembrane domain, and a short carboxy-terminal cytoplasmic domain (1). Alternative splicing generates two isoforms of VCAM-1 (2). The role of VCAM-1 during infection and inflammatory diseases is well characterized. Expression of VCAM-1 is induced in endothelial cells by inflammatory cytokines including TNF- α and IL-1 β (1). VCAM-1 on endothelial cells interacts with the integrin VLA-4 (α 4 β 1) on leukocytes to mediate migration of circulating leukocytes from the blood across the endothelium and into tissues (3).				
Background References		1. Osborn, L. et al. (1989) <i>Cell</i> 59, 1203-11. 2. Hession, C. et al. (1991) <i>J Biol Chem</i> 266, 6682-5. 3. Elices, M.J. et al. (1990) <i>Cell</i> 60, 577-84.				
Species Reacti	vity	Species reactivity is d	etermined by testing	in at least one approve	ed application (e.g.,	western blot).
Western Blot Buffer		IMPORTANT: For western blots, incubate membrane with diluted primary antibody in 5% w/v BSA, 1X TBS, 0.1% Tween® 20 at 4°C with gentle shaking, overnight.				
Applications Key		W: Western Blotting				
Cross-Reactivity Key		M: Mouse R: Rat				
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