

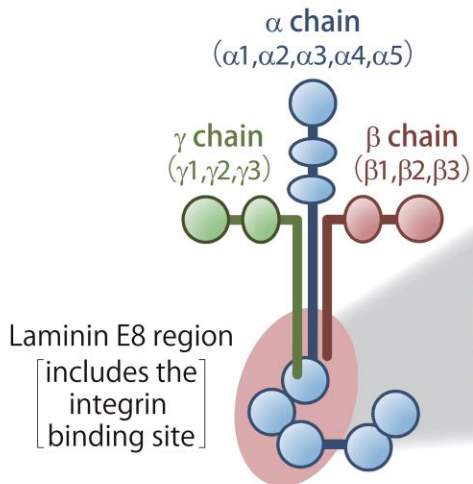


# iMatrix

PRODUCTS CATALOG

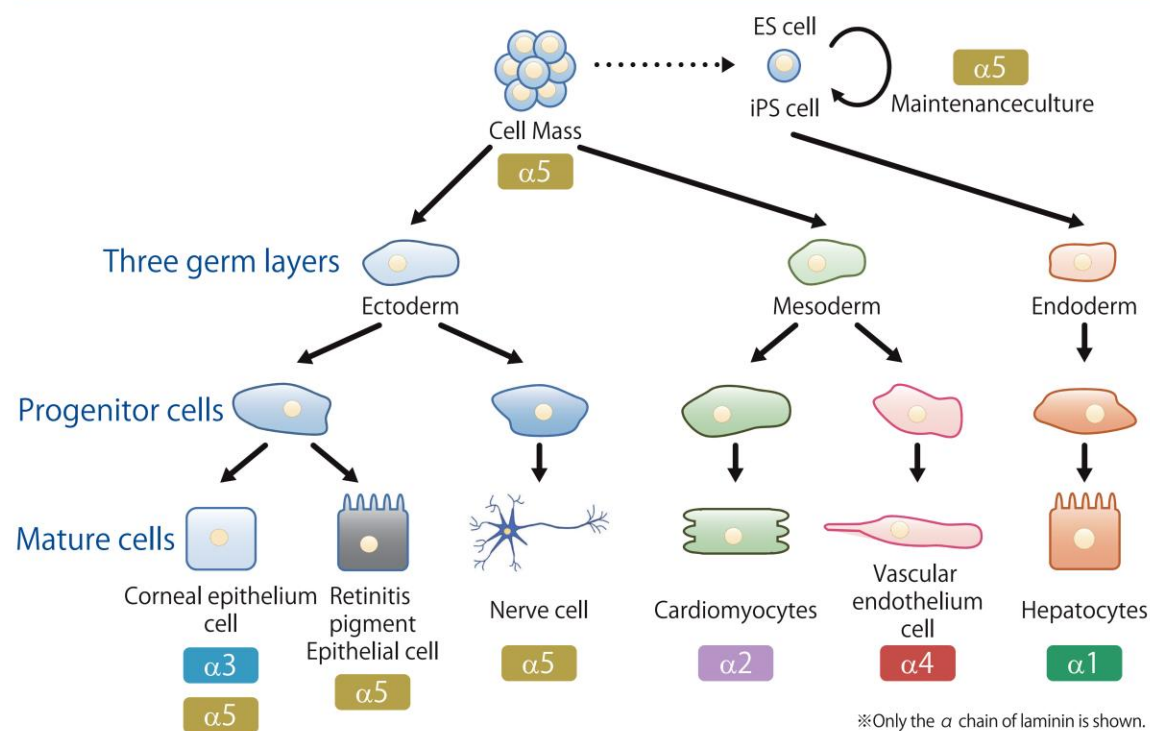
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## Laminin is a cell adhesion molecule



- Laminin is a type of extracellular matrix protein.
- A heterotrimeric molecule in which  $\alpha$ -chain,  $\beta$ -chain, and  $\gamma$ -chain are associated in a ratio of 1: 1: 1.
- Twelve isoforms have been identified.
- It functions as an adhesion molecule for various cells in the body.
- It interacts with the cell membrane receptor integrin in a region called "E8".
- Promotes cell survival and controls its behavior (migration, polarization, etc.)

## Combination of laminin and cells in vivo



## Cell Culture iMatrix-series

iMatrix-511

[ $\alpha 5, \beta 1, \gamma 1$ ]

$\alpha 5$



iMatrix-511 silk

$\alpha 5$



iMatrix-411

[ $\alpha 4, \beta 1, \gamma 1$ ]

$\alpha 4$



iMatrix-332

[ $\alpha 3, \beta 3, \gamma 2$ ]

$\alpha 3$



iMatrix-221

[ $\alpha 2, \beta 2, \gamma 1$ ]

$\alpha 2$



iMatrix-111

[ $\alpha 1, \beta 1, \gamma 1$ ]

$\alpha 1$



- ← The function of laminin to control cell behavior and fate mainly depends on the  $\alpha$  chain (5 types).
- ← Laminin changes during the differentiation stage of cells.

By utilizing the combination of laminin and cells in vivo for cell culture, it is possible to efficiently induce differentiation of pluripotent stem cells.



# iMatrix-511

World's First  
Laminin-511 E8 Fragment  
High-purity product



USE Maintenance and expansion culture of pluripotent stem cells

# iMatrix-511 silk

Laminin-511 E8 Fragment  
High-purity product


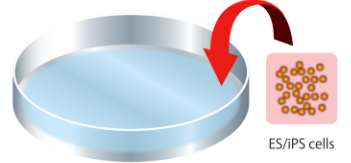
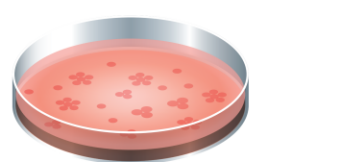

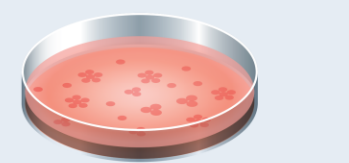


Same performance of Matrix-511 at a lower cost

## Methods for culturing ES/iPS cells

New culture method, no coating required

Products  
iMatrix-511 • iMatrix-511silk

Coating Method	iMatrix-511/iMatrix-511silk concentration: <b>0.5 μg/cm<sup>2</sup></b>	Pre-mix Method	iMatrix-511/iMatrix-511silk concentration: <b>0.25 μg/cm<sup>2</sup></b>
<p><b>STEP 1</b></p>  <p>iMatrix-511/iMatrix-511silk to coat &lt;Coating Times&gt; 4°C : overnight / room temp : 3 hours / 37°C : 1 hour</p> <p><b>STEP 2</b></p>  <p>Seed cells</p> <p><b>STEP 3</b></p> 		<p><b>STEP 1</b></p>  <p>Mix iMatrix-511/iMatrix-511silk and cells and add to plate</p> <p><b>STEP 2</b></p> 	
		<p><b>Method Benefits</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. No coating curing time</li> <li>2. No wasted cells or plates</li> <li>3. Half the amount used</li> </ol> <p>※The conditions for the pre-mix method may differ depending on the combination of cells and medium. Please contact Matrixome Co., Ltd. for consultation on culture conditions.</p>	

•Coating method: 1 mg of iMatrix-511/iMatrix-511silk is enough for ~35 6-well plates

•Pre-mix method: 1 mg of iMatrix-511/iMatrix-511silk is enough for ~70 6-well plates

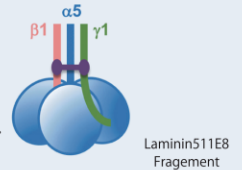
Reference: Miyazaki et al. *Sci Rep.* 7, 41165, (2017)

Catalog #	Product Name	Package Sizes	Manufacturing Raw Material	Refined Raw Materials	Product Grade
892 011	iMatrix-511	350 μg : 175 μg × 2 pcs.	Gene Recombination CHO-S cells	CHO-S cell culture	Research Grade
892 012		1,050 μg : 175 μg × 6 pcs.			
892 021	iMatrix-511silk	1,050 μg : 175 μg × 6 pcs.	Gene Recombination Silkworm production system	Silkworm cocoon	Research Grade

### How to Use:

**STEP 1** Dilute iMatrix-511 with PBS (-) and coat the culture vessel at \*0.5 μg/cm<sup>2</sup>  
※The optimum coating concentration depends on the cell type and the medium used.

**STEP 2** After coating, remove the iMatrix-511 solution & quickly seed the cells without drying.



## For use in ES/iPS cell culture EDTA cell detachment method

A new cell detachment method that doesn't require a scraper or enzymes

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### For 6-well plates

- 1 Culture ES/iPS cells on iMatrix-511 to 80-90% confluency
- 2 Aspirate the old medium
- 3 Wash twice with 2ml/well of 5mM EDTA/PBS (-)
- 4 1ml/well 5mM EDTA/PBS (-) at 37°C for 10-15 minutes \*Detachment phase
- 5 Aspirate the 5mM EDTA/PBS (-)
- 6 Add 1 ml / well Y27632 medium and remove cells by pipetting 5-10 times.  
And dispersed in a single cell  
※Adjust the incubation time depending on the cell condition.

Cells are thought to accumulate the damage they receive. Cell scrapers and enzymes for detachment used in passaging damage cells.



Makes efficient and low cost cell culture possible!

# iMatrix-411

Laminin-411 E8 Fragment  
High-purity product

**USE** Induction of differentiation of vascular endothelial cells from ES / iPS cells.



- Laminin-411 is abundant in the basement membrane of blood vessels and is thought to be involved in maintaining vascular homeostasis by binding to the integrin  $\alpha 6 \beta 1$  protein on the cell surface of vascular endothelial cells. It is also known to adhere to leukocytes and platelets, which is important for the immune system.
- iMatrix-411 is a substrate that has been reported to efficiently induce pluripotent stem cells to vascular endothelial cells and bile duct epithelial cells by binding to the integrin  $\alpha 6 \beta 1$  protein.

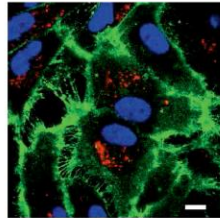


Fig. Vascular endothelial cells derived from ES cells [KhES-1]

CD31: Vascular endothelial cells  
Ac-LDL: Cholesterol taken up by vascular endothelial cells  
DAPI: Nucleus

Reference: Ohta et al. *Sci Rep.* 6, 35680, (2016)

Catalog #	Product Name	Product Sizes	Product Grade
892 041	iMatrix-411	350 $\mu$ g:175 $\mu$ g $\times$ 2pcs.	RUO
892 042		1,050 $\mu$ g:175 $\mu$ g $\times$ 6pcs.	RUO

# iMatrix-332

Laminin-332 E8 Fragment  
High-purity product

**USE** Induction of differentiation from iPS cells to corneal epithelial cells.



- iMatrix-332 is the highly purified E8 region (including the integrin binding site) of human laminin-332.
- Laminin-332 is present in keratinocytes and cornea and is known to bind to integrin  $\alpha 3 \beta 1$  and  $\alpha 6 \beta 4$  proteins.

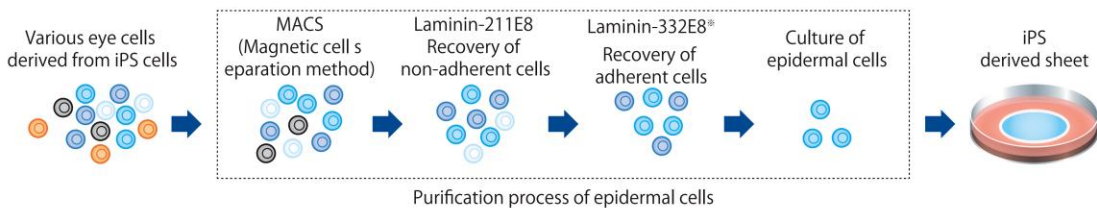


Fig. How to purify only corneal epithelial cells from various iPS cell-derived eye cells

Catalog #	Product Name	Product Size	Product Grade
892 031	iMatrix-332	350 $\mu$ g:175 $\mu$ g $\times$ 2pcs.	RUO
892 032		1,050 $\mu$ g:175 $\mu$ g $\times$ 6pcs.	RUO

\*Laminin-332E8 is the main component of iMatrix-332.

Reference: Shibata et al. *Stem Cell Reports.* 14(4), 663-676, (2020)

# iMatrix-221

Laminin-221 E8 Fragment  
High-purity product

**USE** Purification / maintenance culture of cardiomyocytes / skeletal muscle cells



- Laminin-221 is abundant in the basement membrane of muscle tissues such as myocardium and skeletal muscle, and binds to the integrin  $\alpha 7 \times 2 \beta 1$  protein specifically expressed in this muscle tissue. It is thought that it is involved in the differentiation and function maintenance of muscle cells.
- iMatrix-221 is a substrate that exhibits high adhesive activity and selectivity as a culture medium for cardiomyocytes and skeletal muscle cells.

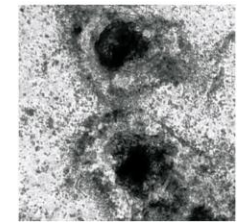


Fig. iPSC-derived cardiomyocytes cultured on iMatrix-221



Catalog #	Product Name	Product Size	Product Grade
892 061	iMatrix-221	350 $\mu$ g:175 $\mu$ g $\times$ 2pcs.	RUO
892 062		1,050 $\mu$ g:175 $\mu$ g $\times$ 6pcs.	RUO

# iMatrix-111

Laminin-111 E8 Fragment  
High-purity product

**USE** Induction of differentiation from human iPS cells to hepatoblast-like cells.



- iMatrix-111 is the highly purified E8 region (including the integrin binding site) of human laminin-111.
- Laminin-111 is known to be present in the liver and bind to integrin  $\alpha 7 \times 2 \beta 1$  and  $\alpha 6 \beta 1$  proteins, and is thought to be involved in the maintenance of liver tissue function.

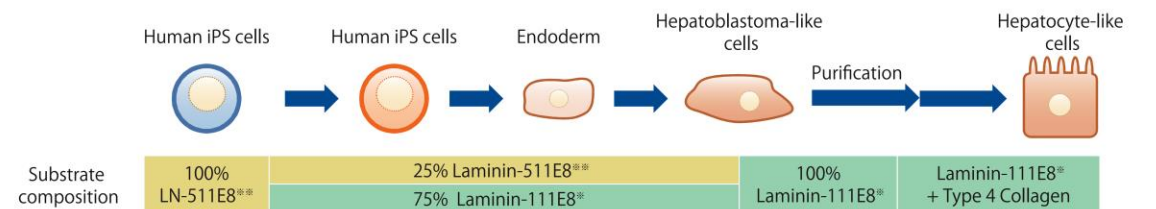


Fig. How to efficiently induce human iPS cells to hepatoblast-like cells and hepatocyte-like cells

Catalog #	Product Name	Product Size	Product Grade
892 071	iMatrix-111	350 $\mu$ g:175 $\mu$ g $\times$ 2pcs.	RUO
892 072		1,050 $\mu$ g:175 $\mu$ g $\times$ 6pcs.	RUO

\*Laminin-111E8 is the main component of iMatrix-111.

\*\*Laminin-511E8 is the main component of iMatrix-511

Reference: Takayama et al. *Hepato Comm.* 1(10), 1058-1069,



## Clinical Grade Products for Culture of Clinical Cells

### Biological Raw Material Standards Confirmed

# iMatrix-511 MG

Please contact Matrixome directly for product details and prices.

※This product is not a drug or end-use product.

This product is a recombinant protein created based on the gene of the human laminin 511E8 fragment.

The amino acid sequence is the same as that of iMatrix-511 and iMatrix-511Silk.



	iMatrix-511silk	iMatrix-511	iMatrix-511MG
Product Grade	Research Use Only	Research Use Only	Clinical Application
Conformity with Biological Raw Material Standards	—	—	Confirmed
Production Method	Silkworm Cocoon	CHO-S Cells	CHO-S Cells
MCB/WCB/CAL Virus-Free Confirmation	—	Performed	Performed
Virus-Free Testing for Unrefined Bulk for Each Lot	—	—	Performed
Virus Removal Filtering in Manufacturing Process	—	—	Yes
Manufacturing Process Virus Clearance Test	—	—	Performed

### Regenerative Medicine Product Material Eligibility Confirmation Has Been Obtained

# iMatrix-221 MG

Please contact Matrixome directly for product details and prices.

※This product is not a drug or end-use product.

This product is a recombinant protein created based on the gene of the human laminin 221E8 fragment.

It has the same amino acid sequence as iMatrix-221.



	iMatrix-221	iMatrix-221MG
Product Grade	Research Use Only	Clinical Application
Material Eligibility for Products for Regenerative Medicine	—	Acquired
Production Method	CHO-S Cells	CHO-S Cells
MCB/WCB/CAL Virus-Free Confirmation	Performed	Performed
Virus-Free Testing for Unrefined Bulk for Each Lot	—	Performed
Virus Removal Filtering in Manufacturing Process	—	Yes
Manufacturing Process Virus Clearance Test	—	Performed

## Laminin and Integrin Interactions

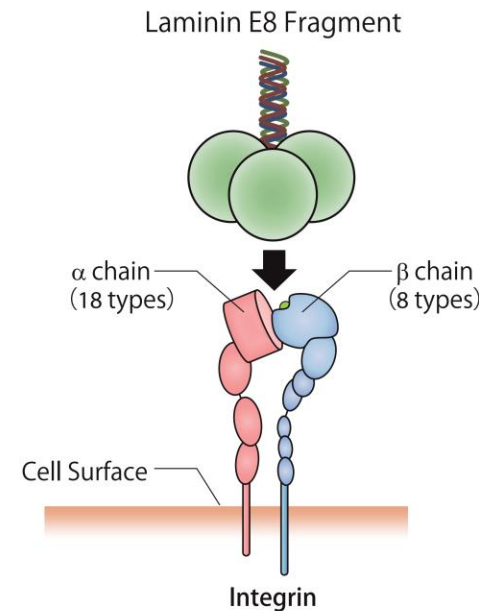


Table. Binding specificity of integrins with fragments of laminin E8 region

Laminin E8 Region		Integrin	
$\alpha$	Compatible Products	$\alpha, \beta$	Cell Expression
1	iMatrix-111	$\alpha 6\beta 1$ $\alpha 7X2\beta 1$	Liver Cells
2	iMatrix-221 iMatrix-221MG	$\alpha 7X2\beta 1$	Cardiomyocytes Skleral Muscle Cells
3	iMatrix-332	$\alpha 3\beta 1$ $\alpha 6\beta 1$ $\alpha 6\beta 4$	Skin Corneal Epithelial Cells
4	iMatrix-411	$\alpha 3\beta 1$ $\alpha 6\beta 1$	Vascular Endothelial Cells
5	iMatrix-511 iMatrix-511silk iMatrix-511MG	$\alpha 3\beta 1$ $\alpha 6\beta 1$ $\alpha 6\beta 4$	Pluripotent Stem Caell Inner Call Mass Nervr Cells Retinal Plgmet Cells Corneal Epithelial Cells

Fig. Integrin is a heterodimer protein consisting of  $\alpha$  and  $\beta$  chains, which is expressed on the surface of cells and specifically binds to the laminin protein.

## iMatrix™ Products Available Globally

Our RUO iMatrix™ products are available globally via numerous distributors located all around the world. The products are sold exclusively via these distributors. To find out more please visit our website or scan the QR code below.

Our Clinical Grade products are sold directly through Matrixome. To learn more please contact us directly.



※Scan the QR code for a list of distributors

iMatrix-series

Matrixome web site



## What is Matrixome?

M a t r i x + o m e

Extracellular matrix

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Matrixome comes to represent the study of the extracellular matrix by combining the word "matrix" to represent the ECM and the suffix "-ome" meaning part of the whole.

## Company Profile (As of April 2022)

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