* Supplemental Data (Sato et al.)



FIGURE S1. Multiple sequence alignment of the integrin-binding site of nephronectins from different vertebrate species. Amino acid sequences in the RGD-containing linker segment of nephronectins from various vertebrate species were aligned by Clustal W (Ref. 1). The RGD and EIE motifs are highlighted in *black* and *dark gray boxes*, respectively. Two phenylalanine residues are labeled in *light gray boxes*.

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FIGURE S2. Effect of alanine substitutions within the LFEIFEIER sequence on the $\alpha V\beta 3$ integrin binding activity. Microtiter plates were coated with the alanine substituted mutants and incubated with $\alpha V\beta 3$ integrin (1 or 3 nM) in the presence of 1 mM Mn²⁺. Bound integrins were quantified as described in the Experimental Procedures. The results represent the means of duplicate determinations.



FIGURE S3. *Trans*-complementation assays of recombinant nephronectin fragments. *A*, 96-well microtiter plates were coated with LS/378-407 (*closed squares*), LS/378-393 (*open squares*) and GST (*open triangles*), washed with PBS, and then coated a second time with increasing concentrations of LS/395-407 lacking the RGD motif. The plates were subjected to integrin binding assays using 1 nM $\alpha V\beta$ 3 integrin as described in the Experimental Procedures. *B*, microtiter plates were coated with 10 nM LS/378-393, washed with PBS, and then coated a second time with increasing concentrations of LS/395-407(E400/402A) (*closed squares*) and GST (*open triangles*). The plates were subjected to integrin binding assays using 1 nM $\alpha V\beta$ 3 integrin as described in the Experimental Procedures) and GST (*open triangles*). The plates were subjected to integrin binding assays using 1 nM $\alpha V\beta$ 3 integrin as described in the Experimental Procedures. The results represent the means of duplicate determinations.



FIGURE S4. Multiple sequence alignment of the β -propeller domain of RGD-binding integrin α subunits. Amino acid sequences of the β -propeller domain of human integrin $\alpha 8$, αV , $\alpha 5$, and α IIb subunits were aligned by Clustal W (Ref. 1). Helices (*cylinders*) and strands (*arrows*) are predicted based on the secondary structure of αV integrin (Ref. 2). *Brackets* and an *arc* above the sequences indicate the loops located in the upper and side faces of the β -propeller, respectively. Loops that exhibit significant divergence in amino acid sequences among different α subunits are indicated by *asterisks*. Basic and acidic residues are boxed in *black* and *gray*, respectively.

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