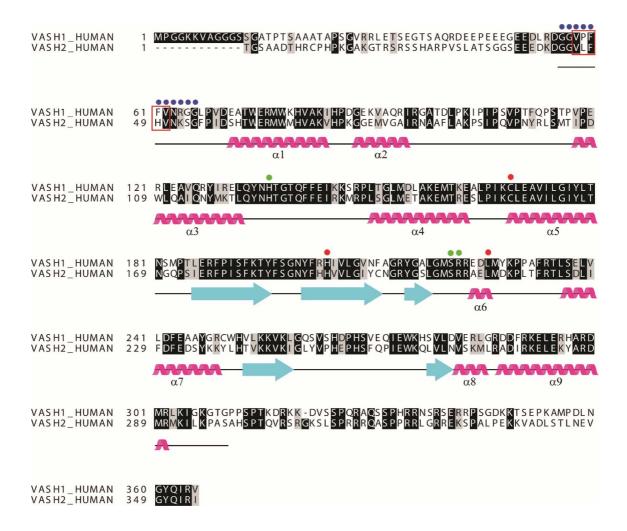


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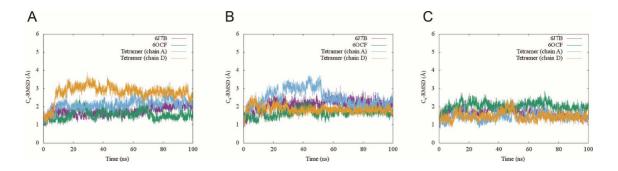
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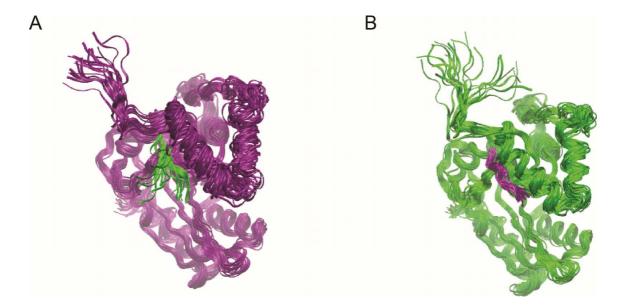
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**Figure S1** Amino acid sequence alignment of VASH1 and VASH2. The alignment was generated with CLUSTALW and highlighted by BOXSHADE. Catalytic residues are labeled by the red points, amino acids coordinating SO<sub>4</sub><sup>2-</sup> (Fig. 1C) are labeled by green points, and N-terminal ten residues are labeled by blue points above a letter. N-terminal five consecutive hydrophobic residues VPFFV are marked by the red square.



**Figure S2** Time evolution of  $C_{\alpha}$ -RMSDs of VASH1c in three independent 100-ns MD simulations of the three diffe666666666666666c complex structures.



**Figure S3** Large fluctuations of the N-terminal region of VASH1c observed in the second simulation of the heterotetramer complex. (A) 20 snapshots of structures of VASH1c/chain D (magenta) and VPFFV<sub>58-62</sub> of VASH1c/chain A (green). The structures were superimposed by chain D. (B) 20 snapshots of structures of VASH1/chain A (green) and VPFFV<sub>58-62</sub> of VASH1c/chain D (magenta). The structures were superimposed by chain A.

Supplementary Movie S1. Large fluctuations of the N-terminal region of VASH1c observed in the second MD simulation of the heterotetramer complex. Chains A and D of VASH1c are colored by green and magenta, respectively. Chains B and E of SVBP are colored by light green and pink, respectively.

Supplementary Movie S2 Changes in the relative orientation of the two dimers in the heterotetramer complex observed in the MD simulations. Chains A and D of VASH1c are colored by green and magenta, respectively. Chains B and E of SVBP are colored by light green and pink, respectively. The representative trajectory shown in this movie was taken from the first MD simulation. Front view (left) and side view (right) views of the motions of the heterotetramer are shown simultaneously in the movie.