

# Synaptojanin 1 (AC1): sc-56966

## BACKGROUND

The inositol polyphosphate 5-phosphatases selectively remove the phosphate from the 5-position of various phosphatidylinositols, which generate second messengers in response to extracellular signals. Synaptojanins are characterized by an N-terminal SAC1-like sequence, a central 5-phosphate domain, and a unique C-terminal sequence and have been shown to use phosphatidylinositol 4,5-bisphosphate as a substrate. Synaptojanins exist as two isoforms, synaptojanin 1 and 2, which differ in the C-terminal domain, and each isoform has multiple variants produced by alternative splicing. Synaptojanin 1 is expressed as two major forms: the shorter is found in brain while the longer is expressed in peripheral tissues. Eight splice variants of synaptojanin 2 have been detected, including a brain specific isoform. Synaptojanins are thought to participate in the endocytosis of synaptic vesicles and the regulation of the actin cytoskeleton.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SYNJ1 (human) mapping to 21q22.11; Synj1 (mouse) mapping to 16 C3.3.

## SOURCE

Synaptojanin 1 (AC1) is a mouse monoclonal antibody raised against amino acids 1156-1286 of Synaptojanin 1 of rat origin.

## PRODUCT

Each vial contains 200 µg IgG<sub>1</sub> kappa light chain in 1.0 ml of PBS with < 0.1% sodium azide and 0.1% gelatin.

## APPLICATIONS

Synaptojanin 1 (AC1) is recommended for detection of the 145 kDa isoform of Synaptojanin 1 of mouse, rat and, to a lesser extent, human origin by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000), immunoprecipitation [1-2 µg per 100-500 µg of total protein (1 ml of cell lysate)] and immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).

Suitable for use as control antibody for Synaptojanin 1 siRNA (h): sc-39079, Synaptojanin 1 siRNA (m): sc-153973, Synaptojanin 1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-39079-SH, Synaptojanin 1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-153973-SH, Synaptojanin 1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-39079-V and Synaptojanin 1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-153973-V.

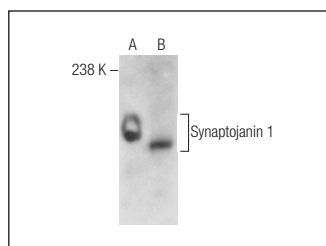
Molecular Weight of Synaptojanin 1: 145/170 kDa.

Positive Controls: rat brain extract: sc-2392 or EOC 20 whole cell lysate: sc-364187 or rat testis extract: sc-2400.

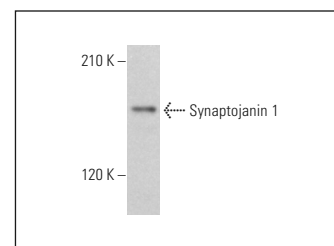
## RECOMMENDED SUPPORT REAGENTS

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgGκ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, TBS Blotto A Blocking Reagent: sc-2333 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunoprecipitation: use Protein A/G PLUS-Agarose: sc-2003 (0.5 ml agarose/2.0 ml). 3) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgGκ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

## DATA



Synaptojanin 1 (AC1): sc-56966. Western blot analysis of Synaptojanin 1 expression in EOC 20 whole cell lysate (A) and rat testis tissue extract (B).



Synaptojanin 1 (AC1): sc-56966. Western blot analysis of Synaptojanin 1 expression in SH-SY5Y whole cell lysate.

## STORAGE

Store at 4° C, \*\*DO NOT FREEZE\*\*. Stable for one year from the date of shipment. Non-hazardous. No MSDS required.

## RESEARCH USE

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.

## PROTOCOLS

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