

## Anti-β-Dystroglycan (Tyr-892), Phosphospecific Antibody

Catalog # AN1751

## **Product Information**

ApplicationWBPrimary AccessionQ14118HostMouse

**Clonality** Mouse Monoclonal

IsotypeIgG1Clone NamesM117Calculated MW97441

## **Additional Information**

**Gene ID** 1605

Other Names Dystroglycan 1 {ECO:0000312 | HGNC:HGNC:2666}, Dystroglycan,

Dystrophin-associated glycoprotein 1 {ECO:0000312 | HGNC:HGNC:2666},

Alpha-dystroglycan, Alpha-DG, Beta-dystroglycan, Beta-DG, DAG1

(HGNC:2666)

**Target/Specificity** Dystroglycans are essential elements of the neuromuscular junction (NMJ).

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post-translationally cleaved into a 156 kDa extracellular peripheral membrane

protein called  $\alpha$ -dystroglycan and a 43 kDa transmembrane protein,  $\beta$ -Dystroglycan. The latter protein contains a PPxY motif that promotes binding to WW domain-containing proteins, such as utrophin and dystrophin. Phosphorylation at tyrosine 892 within the PPxY motif may regulate c-Src interactions with  $\beta$ -Dystroglycan, as well as inhibit interactions with WW domain proteins. In skeletal muscle,  $\beta$ -Dystroglycan is normally localized to the plasma membrane, however phosphorylation of Tyr-892 leads to localization of  $\beta$ -Dystroglycan to endosomal compartments along with c-Src. Thus, phosphorylation at Tyr-892 may have important roles in altering the

localization of β-Dystroglycan during NMJ formation.

**Dilution** WB~~1:1000

**Storage** Maintain refrigerated at 2-8°C for up to 6 months. For long term storage store

at -20°C in small aliquots to prevent freeze-thaw cycles.

**Precautions** Anti-β-Dystroglycan (Tyr-892), Phosphospecific Antibody is for research use

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**Shipping** Blue Ice

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