# Tomm5 siRNA (m): sc-108162



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### **BACKGROUND**

The mitochondrial preprotein translocases of the outer membrane (Tom) form a multisubunit complex that facilitates the import of nuclear-encoded precursor proteins across the mitochondrial outer membrane. The Tom machinery consists of import receptors for the initial binding of cytosolically synthesized preproteins, and a general import pore (GIP) for the membrane translocation of various preproteins into the mitochondrion. Tomm5 (translocase of outer mitochondrial membrane 5 homolog (yeast)), also known as C9orf105, is a 51 amino acid protein that belongs to the Tom5 family. Localizing to the mitochondrial outer membrane, Tomm5 forms part of the preprotein translocase complex of the outer mitochondrial membrane (TOM complex). Tomm5 is encoded by a gene located on human chromosome 9p13.2 and mouse chromosome 4 B1.

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## **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: Tomm5 (mouse) mapping to 4 B1.

#### **PROTOCOLS**

See our web site at www.scbt.com for detailed protocols and support products.

#### **PRODUCT**

Tomm5 siRNA (m) is a target-specific 19-25 nt siRNA designed to knock down gene expression. Each vial contains 3.3 nmol of lyophilized siRNA, sufficient for a 10  $\mu$ M solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see Tomm5 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-108162-SH and Tomm5 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-108162-V as alternate gene silencing products.

### STORAGE AND RESUSPENSION

Store lyophilized siRNA duplex at -20° C with desiccant. Stable for at least one year from the date of shipment. Once resuspended, store at -20° C, avoid contact with RNAses and repeated freeze thaw cycles.

Resuspend lyophilized siRNA duplex in 330  $\mu$ l of the RNAse-free water provided. Resuspension of the siRNA duplex in 330  $\mu$ l of RNAse-free water makes a 10  $\mu$ M solution in a 10  $\mu$ M Tris-HCl, pH 8.0, 20 mM NaCl, 1 mM EDTA buffered solution.

#### **APPLICATIONS**

Tomm5 siRNA (m) is recommended for the inhibition of Tomm5 expression in mouse cells.

### **SUPPORT REAGENTS**

For optimal siRNA transfection efficiency, Santa Cruz Biotechnology's siRNA Transfection Reagent: sc-29528 (0.3 ml), siRNA Transfection Medium: sc-36868 (20 ml) and siRNA Dilution Buffer: sc-29527 (1.5 ml) are recommended. Control siRNAs or Fluorescein Conjugated Control siRNAs are available as 10  $\mu$ M in 66  $\mu$ l. Each contain a scrambled sequence that will not lead to the specific degradation of any known cellular mRNA. Fluorescein Conjugated Control siRNAs include: sc-36869, sc-44239, sc-44240 and sc-44241. Control siRNAs include: sc-37007, sc-44230, sc-44231, sc-44232, sc-44233, sc-44234, sc-44235, sc-44236, sc-44237 and sc-44238.

# **RT-PCR REAGENTS**

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor Tomm5 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: Tomm5 (m)-PR: sc-108162-PR (20  $\mu$ l). Annealing temperature for the primers should be 55-60° C and the extension temperature should be 68-72° C.

#### **RESEARCH USE**

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

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