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Atlastin-2 siRNA (m): sc-141328

BACKGROUND

Atlastin-2, also known as ATL2 (atlastin GTPase 2), ARL3IP2 or ARL6IP2 (ADP-ribosylation factor-like protein 6-interacting protein 2), is a 583 amino acid multi-pass membrane protein that belongs to the GBP family and the Atlastin subfamily. Atlastin-2 contains GTP-binding motifs in its N-terminal half and two transmembrane domains in its C-terminal half. Encoded by a gene that maps to human chromosome 2p22.2, Atlastin-2 exists as three alternatively spliced isoforms and is conserved in chimpanzee, canine, mouse, rat, zebrafish, fruit fly, mosquito and *Caenorhabditis elegans*. Expressed in peripheral tissues and localizing to endoplasmic reticulum membrane, Atlastin-2 participates in tethering GTPase membranes during trans-homooligomer formation and mediating homotypic fusion of endoplasmic reticulum membranes. Atlastin-2 also interacts with REEP5 and Rtn-3, and plays a role in endoplasmic reticulum tubular network biogenesis.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Atl2 (mouse) mapping to 17 E3.

PROTOCOLS

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

PRODUCT

Atlastin-2 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 µM solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see Atlastin-2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-141328-SH and Atlastin-2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-141328-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 µl of the RNAse-free water provided. Resuspension of the siRNA duplex in 330 µl of RNAse-free water makes a 10 µM solution in a 10 µM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0, 20 mM NaCl, 1 mM EDTA buffered solution.

APPLICATIONS

Atlastin-2 siRNA (m) is recommended for the inhibition of Atlastin-2 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 µM in 66 µl. 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 Atlastin-2 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: Atlastin-2 (m)-PR: sc-141328-PR (20 µl). 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.