

HA-1 siRNA (m): sc-145885

BACKGROUND

Major histocompatibility complex (MHC) molecules, which include human leukocyte antigens (HLAs), form an integral part of the immune response system. They are cell-surface receptors that bind foreign peptides and present them to cytotoxic T lymphocytes (CTLs). Minor histocompatibility antigens can form an immune response upon recognition by certain T-cells when complexed with MHC molecules. HA-1 (minor histocompatibility protein HA-1), also known as HA-1, HLA-HA1 or HMHA1, is a 1,136 amino acid GTPase activator of Rho-type GTPases. Expressed in dendritic cells, epidermal Langerhans cells, hematopoietic cells, peripheral blood mononuclear cells and all leukemia and lymphoma cell lines, HA-1 is also found in various solid tissues and tumors. Highly phosphorylated, HA-1 contains one Rho-GAP domain, a single phorbol-ester/DAG-type zinc finger and is encoded by a gene located on human chromosome 19p13.3.

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PROTOCOLS

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

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Hmha1 (mouse) mapping to 10 C1.

PRODUCT

HA-1 siRNA (m) is a pool of 2 target-specific 19-25 nt siRNAs designed to knock down gene expression. Each vial contains 3.3 nmol of lyophilized siRNA, sufficient for a 10 μ M solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see HA-1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-145885-SH and HA-1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-145885-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of HA-1 (m) gene silencing results, we also provide the individual siRNA duplex components. Each is available as 3.3 nmol of lyophilized siRNA. These include: sc-145885A and sc-145885B.

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 μ l of the RNase-free water provided. Resuspension of the siRNA duplex in 330 μ l of RNase-free water makes a 10 μ M solution in a 10 μ M Tris-HCl, pH 8.0, 20 mM NaCl, 1 mM EDTA buffered solution.

APPLICATIONS

HA-1 siRNA (m) is recommended for the inhibition of HA-1 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 μ M in 66 μ 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 HA-1 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: HA-1 (m)-PR: sc-145885-PR (20 μ 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.