



# Sulf-1 siRNA (r): sc-270229

## BACKGROUND

Sulf-1 (sulfatase 1), also known as HSulf-1, is an 871 amino acid protein that localizes to both the endoplasmic reticulum and the Golgi apparatus and belongs to the sulfatase family. Members of the sulfatase family each contain a conserved active site with a posttranslationally generated  $\alpha$ -formylglycine that is essential for their catalytic activity. These enzymes are responsible for the hydrolysis of sulfate ester bonds. Sulf-1 and Sulf-2 (sulfatase 2) specifically interact with heparin sulfate proteoglycans (HSPGs) and hydrolyze glucosamine-6-sulfate modifications, thus regulating the interactions of HSPGs with a variety of signaling molecules. As key components of cell surfaces and extracellular matrices, HSPGs modulate growth factor activities and thereby influence cell growth and differentiation. Additionally, HSPGs play a critical role in regulating tumor cell metastasis by mediating cell adhesion and the activities of growth and angiogenic factors. This suggests an important role for Sulf-1 and Sulf-2 in tumor progression.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Sulf1 (rat) mapping to 5q11.

## PROTOCOLS

See our web site at [www.scbt.com](http://www.scbt.com) for detailed protocols and support products.

## PRODUCT

Sulf-1 siRNA (r) is a pool of 3 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  $\mu$ M solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see Sulf-1 shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-270229-SH and Sulf-1 shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-270229-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of Sulf-1 (r) gene silencing results, we also provide the individual siRNA duplex components. Each is available as 3.3 nmol of lyophilized siRNA. These include: sc-270229A, sc-270229B and sc-270229C.

## 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

Sulf-1 siRNA (r) is recommended for the inhibition of Sulf-1 expression in rat 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 Sulf-1 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: Sulf-1 (r)-PR: sc-270229-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.