



ALCAM siRNA (bovine): sc-270374

BACKGROUND

Activated leukocyte cell adhesion molecule (ALCAM), expressed on activated leukocytes T cells, B cells and monocytes, is a member of the immunoglobulin superfamily (IgSF) and identified as a CD6 ligand. CD6 is a type I membrane protein in the scavenger receptor cysteine rich protein superfamily that acts in T cell adhesion and costimulation. ALCAM mediates thymocyte-thymic epithelial cell adhesion via homophilic (ALCAM-ALCAM) and heterophilic (ALCAM-CD6) interactions involving a previously undescribed protein-protein interaction between a member of the scavenger receptor cysteine rich protein superfamily and the immunoglobulin superfamily.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: ALCAM (bovine) mapping to 1.

PRODUCT

ALCAM siRNA (bovine) 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 μ M solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see ALCAM shRNA Plasmid (bovine): sc-270374-SH and ALCAM shRNA (bovine) Lentiviral Particles: sc-270374-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of ALCAM (bovine) gene silencing results, we also provide the individual siRNA duplex components. Each is available as 3.3 nmol of lyophilized siRNA. These include: sc-270374A, sc-270374B and sc-270374C.

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

ALCAM siRNA (bovine) is recommended for the inhibition of ALCAM expression in 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 ALCAM gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: ALCAM (bovine)-PR: sc-270374-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.

PROTOCOLS

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