Synapsin III siRNA (h): sc-36584



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BACKGROUND

Synapsins are synaptic vesicle-associated phosphoproteins that regulate synaptic vesicle exocytosis and may be involved in synaptogenesis. Evidence suggests that Synapsin I, Synapsin II and Synapsin IIIa are ATP-binding proteins that are regulated by Ca²⁺ and calmodulin binding. Ca²⁺ has been shown to stimulate ATP binding to Synapsin I, to have no effect on Synapsin II and to inhibit Synapsin III. Synapsin I and Synapsin II both undergo alternative splicing to produce two forms of each protein, Synapsin Ia and Ib and Synapsin III and IIIb, respectively. Synapsin III gives rise to at least three isoforms: Synapsin IIIa, IIIb and IIIc. Synapsin III plays unique roles both in early axon outgrowth and in the regulation of synaptic vesicle trafficking. In cultured mouse hippocampal neurons, Synapsin III is expressed early during development, with levels peaking seven days after plating and declining thereafter. Synapsin III is highly concentrated in growth cones.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SYN3 (human) mapping to 22q12.3.

PROTOCOLS

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

PRODUCT

Synapsin III siRNA (h) 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 Synapsin III shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-36584-SH and Synapsin III shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-36584-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of Synapsin III (h) gene silencing results, we also provide the individual siRNA duplex components. Each is available as 3.3 nmol of lyophilized siRNA. These include: sc-36584A, sc-36584B and sc-36584C.

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

Synapsin III siRNA (h) is recommended for the inhibition of Synapsin III expression in human 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 Synapsin III gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: Synapsin III (h)-PR: sc-36584-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.

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