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PTP-PEST siRNA (h): sc-39207

BACKGROUND

Protein tyrosine phosphatases (PTPs) and protein tyrosine kinases (PTKs) play an ubiquitous role in the regulation of tyrosine phosphorylation-mediated signaling pathways. Tyrosine-phosphorylated proteins can be dephosphorylated through the action of PTPs, which are likely to play a regulatory role in the control of cellular growth and differentiation. The gene encoding human PTP-PEST maps to chromosome 7q11.23 and encodes a 780 amino acid cytosolic nonreceptor protein. PTP-PEST is expressed abundantly in a wide variety of hemopoietic cell types, including B cells and T cells. PTP-PEST may constitutively associate with several signalling molecules, including Shc, paxillin, Csk and Cas. In addition, PTP-PEST can induce dephosphorylation of Shc, Pyk2, Fak and Cas, and inactivate the Ras pathway. Dephosphorylation of c-Abl by PTP-PEST represents a novel mechanism by which c-Abl activity is regulated. PTP-PEST can also influence cytoskeletal organization by promoting the turn-over of focal adhesions required for cell migration, and through regulation of the proline, serine, threonine phosphatase interacting protein (PSTPIP)-mediated cleavage furrow formation or disassembly during normal cell division.

REFERENCES

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2. Yang, Q., et al. 1993. Cloning and expression of PTP-PEST. A novel, human, nontransmembrane protein tyrosine phosphatase. J. Biol. Chem. 268: 6622-6628.

CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PTPN12 (human) mapping to 7q11.23.

PRODUCT

PTP-PEST 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 µM solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see PTP-PEST shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-39207-SH and PTP-PEST shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-39207-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of PTP-PEST (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-39207A, sc-39207B and sc-39207C.

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

PTP-PEST siRNA (h) is recommended for the inhibition of PTP-PEST 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.

GENE EXPRESSION MONITORING

PTP-PEST (H-11): sc-271351 is recommended as a control antibody for monitoring of PTP-PEST gene expression knockdown by Western Blotting (starting dilution 1:200, dilution range 1:100-1:1000) or immunofluorescence (starting dilution 1:50, dilution range 1:50-1:500).

To ensure optimal results, the following support reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgGκ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgGκ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgGκ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgGκ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

RT-PCR REAGENTS

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor PTP-PEST gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: PTP-PEST (h)-PR: sc-39207-PR (20 µl, 371 bp). Annealing temperature for the primers should be 55-60° C and the extension temperature should be 68-72° C.

SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

1. Lee, K.J., et al. 2020. CD99-PTPN12 axis suppresses Actin cytoskeleton-mediated dimerization of epidermal growth factor receptor. Cancers 12: E2895.

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.