

# Pellino 2 siRNA (m): sc-44940

## BACKGROUND

Mammalian Pellino proteins 1-3 (Pellino *Drosophila* homolog 1-3) are scaffolding components within Toll-like receptor (TLR) and interleukin-1 (IL-1) receptor signaling cascades. Pellino 1 and 3 interact with complexes that also contain IL-1R-associated kinase 4 (IRAK-4) and tumor necrosis factor receptor-associated factor-6 (TRAF6). Pellino 1, 2 and 3 interact with TAK1 (TGF $\beta$  activated kinase 1). Pellino 2 can initiate mitogen activated protein kinase pathways leading to activation of AP-1 and Elk-1. Pellino 3 promotes translocation of MAPK-activated protein kinase 2 from the nucleus to the cytoplasm and activates transcription factor CREB in a p38 MAPK-dependent manner. Pellino 3 physically interacts with NF $\kappa$ B-inducing kinase (NIK) in an IL-1-dependent manner and leads to activation of c-Jun, Elk-1 and c-Jun N-terminal kinase.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Peli2 (mouse) mapping to 14 C1.

## PRODUCT

Pellino 2 siRNA (m) 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 Pellino 2 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-44940-SH and Pellino 2 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44940-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of Pellino 2 (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-44940A, sc-44940B and sc-44940C.

## 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

Pellino 2 siRNA (m) is recommended for the inhibition of Pellino 2 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  $\mu$ 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.

## GENE EXPRESSION MONITORING

Pellino 1/2 (F-7): sc-271065 is recommended as a control antibody for monitoring of Pellino 2 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-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker<sup>™</sup> Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgG $\kappa$  BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz<sup>®</sup> Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

## RT-PCR REAGENTS

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor Pellino 2 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: Pellino 2 (m)-PR: sc-44940-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.

## PROTOCOLS

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