

VIP36 siRNA (m): sc-45243

BACKGROUND

Lectin mannose-binding 1, also designated vesicular integral-membrane protein (VIP36) and lectin mannose-binding 2, also designated ER-Golgi intermediate compartment 53 kDa (ERGIC-53) comprise a family of membrane-bound, ubiquitous proteins involved in the selective transport of newly synthesized glycoproteins from the endoplasmic reticulum (ER) to the ER-Golgi intermediate compartment (ERGIC). VIP36 acts as an intracellular lectin in the early secretory pathway. It is involved in the sorting and transport of glycoproteins carrying high mannose-type glycans. ERGIC-53, a mannose-specific lectin, recognizes sugar residues of glycoproteins and glycolipids. It mediates the sorting and recycling of proteins and/or lipids. Null expression of ERGIC-53, also designated LMAN1, results in a rare autosomal recessive bleeding disorder that causes combined deficiency of both coagulation factors V and VIII.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Iman2 (mouse) mapping to 13 B1.

PRODUCT

VIP36 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 μ M solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see VIP36 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-45243-SH and VIP36 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-45243-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of VIP36 (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-45243A, sc-45243B and sc-45243C.

RESEARCH USE

For research use only, not for use in diagnostic procedures.

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

VIP36 siRNA (m) is recommended for the inhibition of VIP36 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 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.

GENE EXPRESSION MONITORING

VIP36 (264C4a): sc-130026 is recommended as a control antibody for monitoring of VIP36 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).

RT-PCR REAGENTS

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor VIP36 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: VIP36 (m)-PR: sc-45243-PR (20 μ l). Annealing temperature for the primers should be 55-60° C and the extension temperature should be 68-72° C.

PROTOCOLS

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