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# HEC-GlcNAc6ST siRNA (h): sc-60776



#### BACKGROUND

The GlcNAc-6-sulfotransferases are a family of Golgi-resident proteins that regulate glycan function. HEC-GlcNAc6ST is greatly limited in its expression at the protein level. Detection of protein expression is observed in HEVs (high endothelial venules) in lymph nodes and HEV-like vessels in instances of lymphoid neogenesis. The other members of the GlcNAc6ST family differ from HEC-GlcNAc6ST in that they are presumed to have a wider tissue distribution based on Northern analysis. HEC-GlcNAc6ST is not expressed in the HEVs of PPs (Peyer's patches), and as an HEV-localized sulfotransferase, it is essential for the elaboration of functional ligands within lymph nodes, as well as the generation of the MECA-79 defined luminal ligands.

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#### CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CHST4 (human) mapping to 16q22.2.

#### PRODUCT

HEC-GlcNAc6ST 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  $\mu$ M solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see HEC-GlcNAc6ST shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-60776-SH and HEC-GlcNAc6ST shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-60776-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of HEC-GlcNAc6ST (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-60776A, sc-60776B and sc-60776C.

#### 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**

HEC-GIcNAc6ST siRNA (h) is recommended for the inhibition of HEC-GIcNAc6ST 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  $\mu$ 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.

#### **RT-PCR REAGENTS**

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor HEC-GlcNAc6ST gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: HEC-GlcNAc6ST (h)-PR: sc-60776-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 for detailed protocols and support products.