



Tenomodulin siRNA (m): sc-61666

BACKGROUND

Tenomodulin (TEM), also designated chondromodulin-I-like protein (CHM-1L), myodulin or tendin, acts as an angiogenesis inhibitor. It is a single-pass type II membrane protein that belongs to the chondromodulin family of proteins. The deduced 317 amino acid protein contains an N-terminal transmembrane domain and a putative antiangiogenic domain comprised of eight cysteines. Human Tenomodulin shares 96% amino acid identity with mouse Tenomodulin, and it shares 65% identity in a 65-amino acid C-terminal stretch with chondromodulin I. Tenomodulin is expressed in skeletal muscle, eye, whole rib and dense connective tissues, such as epimysium and tendon.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Tnmd (mouse) mapping to X E3.

PRODUCT

Tenomodulin 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 Tenomodulin shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-61666-SH and Tenomodulin shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-61666-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of Tenomodulin (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-61666A, sc-61666B and sc-61666C.

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

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

RT-PCR REAGENTS

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor Tenomodulin gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: Tenomodulin (m)-PR: sc-61666-PR (20 μ l, 519 bp). 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.