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GSTP1 siRNA (m): sc-72092

BACKGROUND

Glutathione S-transferases (GSTs) function in the metabolic detoxification of various environmental carcinogens and lipid hydroperoxides. In response to oxidative stress, upregulation of the GST family member GSTP1 occurs, consistent with this function. Furthermore, the GSTP1 gene is subject to CpG island hypermethylation, a state that correlates with human prostatic carcinogenesis. GSTP1 gene hypermethylation can be detected in urine, ejaculate and plasma from men with prostate cancer, potentially making GSTP1 a useful biomarker for prostate cancer screening.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Gstp1 (mouse) mapping to 19 A.

PRODUCT

GSTP1 siRNA (m) is a pool of 2 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 GSTP1 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-72092-SH and GSTP1 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-72092-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of GSTP1 (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-72092A and sc-72092B.

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.

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

GSTP1 siRNA (m) is recommended for the inhibition of GSTP1 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 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.

RT-PCR REAGENTS

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor GSTP1 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: GSTP1 (m)-PR: sc-72092-PR (20 µl). Annealing temperature for the primers should be 55-60° C and the extension temperature should be 68-72° C.