

Sec24D siRNA (h): sc-89055

BACKGROUND

Sec24D (Sec24-related protein D) is ubiquitously expressed but exhibits predominant expression in heart, placenta, liver and pancreas. Sec24D belongs to the Sec24 subfamily of the Sec23/Sec24 family of proteins. Members of this family participate in vesicle trafficking from the endoplasmic reticulum (ER) to the Golgi apparatus. Sec24D is one of four mammalian proteins, namely Sec24A, Sec24B, Sec24C and Sec24D, that are highly related to the *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* protein Sec24, a component of the coat protein complex COPII that mediates the selective export of membrane proteins from the ER. Similar to its yeast counterpart, Sec24D functions as a component of the cytoplasmic COPII complex. The COPII complex acts as a coat, covering ER-derived transport vesicles and promoting the transport of secretory proteins to the Golgi apparatus. Sec24D shares 50% amino acid identity with the ubiquitously expressed Sec24C protein.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SEC24D (human) mapping to 4q26.

PRODUCT

Sec24D 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 μ M solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see Sec24D shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-89055-SH and Sec24D shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-89055-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of Sec24D (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-89055A, sc-89055B and sc-89055C.

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

Sec24D siRNA (h) is recommended for the inhibition of Sec24D 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 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

Sec24D (34.1): sc-101268 is recommended as a control antibody for monitoring of Sec24D 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 κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG κ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker[™] Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz[®] Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgG κ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgG κ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz[®] Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz[®] Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

RT-PCR REAGENTS

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor Sec24D gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: Sec24D (h)-PR: sc-89055-PR (20 μ 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.