

FRA10AC1 siRNA (h): sc-90422

BACKGROUND

C10orf4 (chromosome 10 open reading frame 4), also known as FRA10A or FRA10AC1, is a 315 amino acid nuclear protein that is expressed strongly in kidney, liver, heart, brain and skeletal muscle. Defects in the gene encoding C10orf4 are characterized by an expansion of a polymorphic CGG repeat within the 5'-UTR of the gene; an event that is thought to cause folate-sensitive fragile site FRA10A expression. Expression of this mutated FRA10A protein may be associated with tumorigenesis, neurological disorders and mental retardation. C10orf4 is believed to be conserved between species. Five isoforms of C10orf4, all of which differ in their C-termini, are expressed due to alternative splicing events.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: FRA10AC1 (human) mapping to 10q23.33.

PRODUCT

FRA10AC1 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 FRA10AC1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-90422-SH and FRA10AC1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-90422-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of FRA10AC1 (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-90422A, sc-90422B and sc-90422C.

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

FRA10AC1 siRNA (h) is recommended for the inhibition of FRA10AC1 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

FRA10AC1 (732.1): sc-81858 is recommended as a control antibody for monitoring of FRA10AC1 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 FRA10AC1 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: FRA10AC1 (h)-PR: sc-90422-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.