# Rpp21 siRNA (h): sc-95356



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## **BACKGROUND**

Ribonuclease P (RNase P) and Ribonuclease MRP (RNase MRP) are small nuclear ribonucleoproteins (snRNPs) that act on RNA substrates *in vitro*. RNase P and RNase MRP, which accumulate in the nucleolus, have a similar RNA component and also have several protein subunits in common. RNase P, which consists of a complex of an RNA species, POP1, POP5, and at least seven Rpps, removes the 5' leader sequences from precursor tRNA molecules. Rpp21 (ribonuclease P/MRP 21 kDa subunit), also known as CAT60 or ribonucleoprotein V, is a 154 amino acid nuclear protein that functions as a component of RNase P. Existing as three alternatively spliced isoforms, Rpp21 is encoded by a gene that maps to human chromosome 6p22.1 and mouse chromosome 17 B1.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: RPP21 (human) mapping to 6p22.1.

#### **PRODUCT**

Rpp21 siRNA (h) 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  $\mu M$  solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see Rpp21 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-95356-SH and Rpp21 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-95356-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of Rpp21 (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-95356A and sc-95356B.

#### 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**

Rpp21 siRNA (h) is recommended for the inhibition of Rpp21 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 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 Rpp21 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: Rpp21 (h)-PR: sc-95356-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**

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