

ZUD siRNA (h): sc-95528

BACKGROUND

Proteins containing the death domain (DD) are involved in a wide range of cellular processes, and play an important role in apoptotic and inflammatory processes. ZUD (ZU5 and death domain-containing protein), also known as UNC5CL (protein unc-5 homolog C-like), is a 518 amino acid single-pass type III membrane protein that belongs to the unc-5 family. Containing a death domain and a ZU5 domain, ZUD plays a role in the inhibition of NF κ B-dependent transcription by inhibiting the binding of NF κ B to its target, interacting specifically with NF κ B subunits p65 and p50. The gene encoding ZUD maps to human chromosome 6, which contains 170 million base pairs and comprises nearly 6% of the human genome. Deletion of a portion of the q arm of chromosome 6 is associated with early onset intestinal cancer, suggesting the presence of a cancer susceptibility locus. Additionally, porphyria cutanea tarda, Parkinson's disease, Stickler syndrome and a susceptibility to bipolar disorder are all associated with genes that map to chromosome 6.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: UNC5CL (human) mapping to 6p21.1.

PROTOCOLS

See our web site at www.scbt.com for detailed protocols and support products.

PRODUCT

ZUD 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 ZUD shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-95528-SH and ZUD shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-95528-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of ZUD (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-95528A, sc-95528B and sc-95528C.

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

ZUD siRNA (h) is recommended for the inhibition of ZUD 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.

RT-PCR REAGENTS

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor ZUD gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: ZUD (h)-PR: sc-95528-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.