

TXR1 siRNA (h): sc-95688

BACKGROUND

TXR1, also known as PRR13 (proline rich 13), is a 148 amino acid protein that contains a proline-rich N-terminus and a histidine- and lysine-rich C-terminus. Expressed as multiple alternatively spliced isoforms that are present in heart and kidney tissue, TXR1 is thought to downregulate the production of Thrombospondin 1, a protein that exhibits antiangiogenic and proapoptotic properties and functions to impeded taxane-induced apoptosis. Through its ability to downregulate Thrombospondin 1 expression, TXR1 increases the rate of taxane-associated apoptosis in tumor cells. The gene encoding human TXR1 maps to chromosome 12, which encodes over 1,100 genes and comprises approximately 4.5% of the human genome. Chromosome 12 is associated with a variety of diseases and afflictions, including hypochondrogenesis, achondrogenesis, Kniest dysplasia, Noonan syndrome and Trisomy 12p, which causes facial developmental defects and seizure disorders.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: PRR13 (human) mapping to 12q13.13.

PROTOCOLS

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

PRODUCT

TXR1 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 TXR1 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-95688-SH and TXR1 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-95688-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of TXR1 (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-95688A, sc-95688B and sc-95688C.

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

TXR1 siRNA (h) is recommended for the inhibition of TXR1 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 TXR1 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: TXR1 (h)-PR: sc-95688-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.