

FAM109A siRNA (h): sc-95958

BACKGROUND

FAM109A, also known as IPIP27A (27 kDa inositol polyphosphate phosphatase interacting protein A), Sesquipedalian-1 or Ses1, is a 249 amino acid protein belonging to the sesquipedalian family and containing one PH domain and one F&H motif. FAM109A is localized to the early and recycling endosomes, the *trans*-Golgi network and macropinosomes, but is not found in late endosomes or lysosomes. FAM109A forms homodimers and heterodimers with FAM109B, and both FAM109B and FAM109B bind to the C-terminal region of the inositol polyphosphate 5-phosphatases OCRL1 and Inpp5b. Defects in the interaction of FAM109A and B with OCRL1 and Inpp5b is thought to play a role in the pathology of Lowe syndrome, characterized by ocular, renal and nervous system defects, and type 2 Dent disease, characterized by renal defects.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: FAM109A (human) mapping to 12q24.12.

PRODUCT

FAM109A 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 μ M solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see FAM109A shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-95958-SH and FAM109A shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-95958-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of FAM109A (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-95958A and sc-95958B.

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.

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

FAM109A siRNA (h) is recommended for the inhibition of FAM109A 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 FAM109A gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: FAM109A (h)-PR: sc-95958-PR (20 μ l). Annealing temperature for the primers should be 55-60° C and the extension temperature should be 68-72° C.