

ARL6IP4 siRNA (h): sc-96185

BACKGROUND

ARL6IP4 (ADP-ribosylation-like factor 6 interacting protein 4), also known as SR-25 or SRp25, is a widely expressed, 360 amino acid, hydrophilic nuclear protein with predominant expression in testis and thymus. ARL6IP4 is a binding partner of ARF6 and is also believed to function in RNA splicing, as is suggested by its serine-arginine repeat (SR) domain, a domain that is characteristic of many pre-mRNA splicing factors. ARL6IP4 also contains at least fifteen putative phosphorylation sites. In addition, ARL6IP4 functionally interacts with Rac 1, a GTP binding protein of the Ras superfamily, and may play a role regulating Rac 1-dependent signaling pathways. At the amino acid level, the human and mouse ARL6IP4 proteins show 77.7% identity.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: ARL6IP4 (human) mapping to 12q24.31.

PRODUCT

ARL6IP4 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 ARL6IP4 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-96185-SH and ARL6IP4 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-96185-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of ARL6IP4 (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-96185A and sc-96185B.

PROTOCOLS

See our web site at www.scbt.com or our catalog 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

ARL6IP4 siRNA (h) is recommended for the inhibition of ARL6IP4 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

ARL6IP4 (G-16): sc-167132 is recommended as a control antibody for monitoring of ARL6IP4 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 (secondary) reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2020 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:100,000) or Cruz Marker[™] compatible donkey anti-goat IgG-HRP: sc-2033 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:5000), Cruz Marker[™] Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, TBS Blotto A Blocking Reagent: sc-2333 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunofluorescence: use donkey anti-goat IgG-FITC: sc-2024 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or donkey anti-goat IgG-TR: sc-2783 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz[™] Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

RT-PCR REAGENTS

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor ARL6IP4 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: ARL6IP4 (h)-PR: sc-96185-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.