

G6PT siRNA (h): sc-97011

BACKGROUND

G6PT (glucose-6-phosphate translocase), also known as G6PT1, G6PT2, G6PT3, GSD1b, GSD1c, GSD1d, TRG19 or SLC37A4 (solute carrier family 37, member 4), is a 429 amino acid endoplasmic reticulum multi-pass membrane protein belonging to the SLC37A family (also known as SLC37A sugar transporter family) of the major facilitator superfamily. Highly expressed in liver and kidney, G6PT is involved in the transport of glucose-6-phosphate (G6P) from the cytoplasm to the lumen of the endoplasmic reticulum. G6PT plays a critical role in glycogenolysis and gluconeogenesis, which are metabolic pathways involved in the regulation of blood glucose levels. G6PT also plays a role in ATP-mediated calcium sequestration in the lumen of the endoplasmic reticulum. Mutation in the gene encoding G6PT causes glycogen storage disease type 1B (GSD1B), a disorder characterized by impairment of terminal steps of glycogenolysis and gluconeogenesis.

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CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: SLC37A4 (human) mapping to 11q23.3.

PRODUCT

G6PT 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 G6PT shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-97011-SH and G6PT shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-97011-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of G6PT (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-97011A, sc-97011B and sc-97011C.

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

G6PT siRNA (h) is recommended for the inhibition of G6PT 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

G6PT (7B9): sc-293321 is recommended as a control antibody for monitoring of G6PT 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 reagents are recommended: 1) Western Blotting: use m-IgG κ BP-HRP: sc-516102 or m-IgG κ BP-HRP (Cruz Marker): sc-516102-CM (dilution range: 1:1000-1:10000), Cruz Marker™ Molecular Weight Standards: sc-2035, UltraCruz® Blocking Reagent: sc-516214 and Western Blotting Luminol Reagent: sc-2048. 2) Immunofluorescence: use m-IgG κ BP-FITC: sc-516140 or m-IgG κ BP-PE: sc-516141 (dilution range: 1:50-1:200) with UltraCruz® Mounting Medium: sc-24941 or UltraCruz® Hard-set Mounting Medium: sc-359850.

RT-PCR REAGENTS

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor G6PT gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: G6PT (h)-PR: sc-97011-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.