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# EMBP shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44577-V



#### BACKGROUND

The eosinophil major basic protein (EMBP), also designated MBP, PRG2, proteoglycan 2, BMPG, or bone marrow natural killer cell activator, is a constituent of the crystalline core of the eosinophil granule. High levels of the pro-EMBP are present in placenta and pregnancy serum, where it exists as a complex with several other proteins including pregnancy-associated plasma protein A (PAPPA), angiotensinogen (AGT) and C3dg. EMBP may influence antiparasitic defense mechanisms as a cytotoxin and helminthotoxin, and may play a role in immune hypersensitivity reactions. EMBP stimulates an Src kinase-dependent activation of class I (A) phosphoinositide 3-kinase and, in turn, activation of protein kinase C  $\zeta$  in neutrophils. EMBP transcription is under regulation by novel combinatorial interactions of GATA-1, PU.1, and C/EBPE isoforms.

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#### **CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION**

Genetic locus: PRG2 (human) mapping to 11q12.1.

#### PRODUCT

EMBP shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles is a pool of concentrated, transductionready viral particles containing 3 target-specific constructs that encode 19-25 nt (plus hairpin) shRNA designed to knock down gene expression. Each vial contains 200 µl frozen stock containing 1.0 x 10<sup>6</sup> infectious units of virus (IFU) in Dulbecco's Modified Eagle's Medium with 25 mM HEPES pH 7.3. Suitable for 10-20 transductions. Also see EMBP siRNA (h): sc-44577 and EMBP shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-44577-SH as alternate gene silencing products.

#### **STORAGE**

Store lentiviral particles at -80° C. Stable for at least one year from the date of shipment. Once thawed, particles can be stored at 4° C for up to one week. Avoid repeated freeze thaw cycles.

#### PROTOCOLS

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

#### **APPLICATIONS**

EMBP shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles is recommended for the inhibition of EMBP expression in human cells.

#### SUPPORT REAGENTS

Control shRNA Lentiviral Particles: sc-108080. Available as 200 µl frozen viral stock containing 1.0 x 10<sup>6</sup> infectious units of virus (IFU); contains an shRNA construct encoding a scrambled sequence that will not lead to the specific degradation of any known cellular mRNA.

#### GENE EXPRESSION MONITORING

EMBP (F-2): sc-365702 is recommended as a control antibody for monitoring of EMBP 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 goat anti-mouse IgG-HRP: sc-2005 (dilution range: 1:2000-1:32,000) or Cruz Marker<sup>™</sup> compatible goat antimouse IgG-HRP: sc-2031 (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 goat anti-mouse IgG-FITC: sc-2010 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) or goat anti-mouse IgG-TR: sc-2781 (dilution range: 1:100-1:400) with UltraCruz<sup>™</sup> Mounting Medium: sc-24941.

#### **RT-PCR REAGENTS**

Semi-quantitative RT-PCR may be performed to monitor EMBP gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: EMBP (h)-PR: sc-44577-PR (20 µl). Annealing temperature for the primers should be 55-60° C and the extension temperature should be 68-72° C.

#### **BIOSAFETY**

Lentiviral particles can be employed in standard Biosafety Level 2 tissue culture facilities (and should be treated with the same level of caution as with any other potentially infectious reagent). Lentiviral particles are replication-incompetent and are designed to self-inactivate after transduction and integration of shRNA constructs into genomic DNA of target cells.

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