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# CYP3A5 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles: sc-44703-V

## BACKGROUND

CYP3A genes encode monooxygenases, enzymes which catalyze drug metabolism and the synthesis of cholesterol, steroids and other lipids. CYP3A (cytochrome P450, family 3, subfamily A), the most abundant p450 enzyme in human liver, is responsible for the metabolism of more than 50% of all clinical drugs. CYP3A members localize in organs that associate with drug disposition, including the liver, gastrointestinal tract and kidney. The CYP3A cluster consists of four genes: CYP3A43, CYP3A4, CYP3A7 and CYP3A5, and two pseudogenes: CYP3A5P1 and CYP3A5P2. The CYP3A cluster maps to gene locus 7q22.1.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: CYP3A5 (human) mapping to 7q22.1.

## PRODUCT

CYP3A5 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles is a pool of concentrated, transduction-ready 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  $1.0 \times 10^6$  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 CYP3A5 siRNA (h): sc-44703 and CYP3A5 shRNA Plasmid (h): sc-44703-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](http://www.scbt.com) or our catalog for detailed protocols and support products.

## APPLICATIONS

CYP3A5 shRNA (h) Lentiviral Particles is recommended for the inhibition of CYP3A5 expression in human cells.

## SUPPORT REAGENTS

Control shRNA Lentiviral Particles: sc-108080. Available as 200 µl frozen viral stock containing  $1.0 \times 10^6$  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

CYP3A5 (D-13): sc-33247 is recommended as a control antibody for monitoring of CYP3A5 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 CYP3A5 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: CYP3A5 (h)-PR: sc-44703-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.

## RESEARCH USE

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