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# Ox-LDL R-1 siRNA (r): sc-156076

## BACKGROUND

The oxidized low density lipoprotein (lectin-like) receptor-1, Ox-LDL R-1, is a type II membrane protein that is a member of the C-type lectin family and acts as a cell-surface receptor for oxidized low density lipoprotein (Ox-LDL). Ox-LDL plays a role in early atherosclerosis, which includes the transformation of monocyte-derived macrophages to foam cells in atherosclerotic lesions. The binding of Ox-LDL to Ox-LDL R-1 may also trigger the activation of the NF $\kappa$ B signal transduction pathway. Ox-LDL R-1, also designated scavenger receptor class E, member 1 (SCARE1); lectin-type oxidized LDL receptor 1 (LOX-1); and CLEC8A, is expressed by vascular endothelial cells, smooth muscle cells and macrophages. It is expressed endogenously as a precursor form with N-linked high mannose carbohydrate chains and as a mature form due to further glycosylation. The N-linked glycosylation of Ox-LDL R-1 appears to be necessary for adequate transportation to the cell surface and efficient ligand binding.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Olr1 (rat) mapping to 4q42.

## PRODUCT

Ox-LDL R-1 siRNA (r) 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  $\mu$ M solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see Ox-LDL R-1 shRNA Plasmid (r): sc-156076-SH and Ox-LDL R-1 shRNA (r) Lentiviral Particles: sc-156076-V as alternate gene silencing products.

For independent verification of Ox-LDL R-1 (r) gene silencing results, we also provide the individual siRNA duplex components. Each is available as 3.3 nmol of lyophilized siRNA. These include: sc-156076A, sc-156076B and sc-156076C.

## 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  $\mu$ l of the RNase-free water provided. Resuspension of the siRNA duplex in 330  $\mu$ l of RNase-free water makes a 10  $\mu$ M solution in a 10  $\mu$ M Tris-HCl, pH 8.0, 20 mM NaCl, 1 mM EDTA buffered solution.

## APPLICATIONS

Ox-LDL R-1 siRNA (r) is recommended for the inhibition of Ox-LDL R-1 expression in rat 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  $\mu$ M in 66  $\mu$ 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 Ox-LDL R-1 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: Ox-LDL R-1 (r)-PR: sc-156076-PR (20  $\mu$ l, 485 bp). Annealing temperature for the primers should be 55-60° C and the extension temperature should be 68-72° C.

## SELECT PRODUCT CITATIONS

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## RESEARCH USE

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## PROTOCOLS

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