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# ZNF446 siRNA (m): sc-155721



## BACKGROUND

Zinc-finger proteins contain DNA-binding domains and have a wide variety of functions, most of which encompass some form of transcriptional activation or repression. As a member of the Krüppel C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>-type zinc-finger protein family, ZNF446 (zinc finger protein 446), also known as zinc finger and SCAN domain-containing protein 20 (ZKSCAN20), is a 450 amino acid transcriptional regulator. ZNF446 localizes to the nucleus and is expressed in a variety of human adult tissues with the highest expression level in muscle. ZNF446 contains three C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>2</sub>-type zinc fingers, a SCAN domain and a KRAB domain. ZNF446 functions as a transcriptional repressor for SRE (serum response element) and c-Jun transcription factors and may play a critical role in cell growth and proliferation signaling pathways.

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## CHROMOSOMAL LOCATION

Genetic locus: Zfp446 (mouse) mapping to 7 A1.

## PRODUCT

ZNF446 siRNA (m) is a target-specific 19-25 nt siRNA designed to knock down gene expression. Each vial contains 3.3 nmol of lyophilized siRNA, sufficient for a 10 µM solution once resuspended using protocol below. Suitable for 50-100 transfections. Also see ZNF446 shRNA Plasmid (m): sc-155721-SH and ZNF446 shRNA (m) Lentiviral Particles: sc-155721-V as alternate gene silencing 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 µl of the RNase-free water provided. Resuspension of the siRNA duplex in 330 µl of RNase-free water makes a 10 µM solution in a 10 µM Tris-HCl, pH 8.0, 20 mM NaCl, 1 mM EDTA buffered solution.

## APPLICATIONS

ZNF446 siRNA (m) is recommended for the inhibition of ZNF446 expression in mouse 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 µM in 66 µl. 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 ZNF446 gene expression knockdown using RT-PCR Primer: ZNF446 (m)-PR: sc-155721-PR (20 µl). 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.

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