

Lincode™ siRNA Reagents

Product Description:

- Pooled and individual siRNAs designed using the SMARTselection™ algorithm to silence long noncoding RNAs (lncRNAs)
- Lincode siRNA reagents are modified with a proprietary dual-strand modification to enhance specificity
- Annealed double-stranded RNA oligonucleotides
- 3'-UU overhangs on both strands
- 5'-Phosphate on antisense strand
- Mass of each strand confirmed by MALDI-TOF mass spectrometry

Product	Description	Cat. #
Lincode SMARTpool™ Reagent	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One tube containing a mixture of four SMARTselection-designed siRNAs targeting one gene • Sequence information provided 	R-XXXXXX-XX
Lincode Set of 4 Upgrade Lincode Individual siRNA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Four individual SMARTselection - designed siRNAs from corresponding SMARTpool reagent • Sequence information provided 	RU-XXXXXX-XX N-XXXXXX-XX

Shipping and Storage:

- siRNA reagents are shipped as dry pellets at room temperature (23 °C). Under these conditions, they are stable for at least four weeks.
- Upon receipt, siRNA reagents should be stored at -20 °C to -80 °C. Under these conditions, they are stable for at least one year.
- siRNA should be resuspended in RNase-free solutions. We recommend 1x siRNA buffer (diluted from 5x siRNA buffer – Dharmacon Cat. #B-002000-UB-100). RNase-free water (for short-term storage) is also appropriate for resuspension of concentrated stocks (20-100 µM). Alternatively, an RNase-free buffer (pH 7.3-7.6) may be used such as PBS (Fisher Cat. # NC9826748)
- Upon resuspension, aliquot the siRNA into small volumes and store at -20 °C to -80 °C. For best results, limit freeze-thawing of each tube to no more than five events. Under these conditions, the siRNA is stable for at least one year.

Handling Precautions:

Oligonucleotides are susceptible to enzymatic degradation by nucleases and to chemical degradation by extreme pH and temperature. We recommend wearing gloves and maintaining nuclease-free conditions when handling the oligonucleotides.

Related Products:

- It is recommended to include a positive and negative control, such as Dharmacon RNAi Control Reagents, in every RNAi experiment. For more information, click [here](#).
- DharmaFECT™ siRNA Transfection Reagents are optimized for transfecting siRNA into a wide variety of cell lines. For more information, click [here](#).

Accompanying Documents:

- Basic siRNA resuspension protocol.

Supplemental Documents:

- Go to gelifesciences.com/dharmacon to find:
- siRNA Recommended Reading List SMARTpool Journal Citations

References:

References detailing the development of the SMARTselection algorithm:

1. Khvorova, A., A. Reynolds, et al. *Cell*, 2003. 115(1): p. 209-216.
2. Reynolds, A., D. Leake, et al. *Nature Biotechnology*, 2004. 22(3): p. 326-330.

For additional RNAi references please refer to the siRNA Recommended Reading List, gelifesciences.com/dharmacon.

Publication Reference Guide:

When referencing the use of Dharmacon siRNA reagents, please include the following information: product name (either Lincode SMARTpool Reagent or siRNA) catalog number, GE Healthcare Dharmacon, Inc., Lafayette, CO.

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