Use siRNA to knowndown Cebp-alpha

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About Cebp-alpha

Protein	Gene	Organsim
CCAAT/enhancer-bingding protein beta	Cebpb	Mouse

This intronless gene encodes a transcription factor that contains a basic leucine zipper (bZIP) domain and recognizes the CCAAT motif in the promoters of target genes. The encoded protein functions in homodimers and also heterodimers with CCAAT/enhancer-binding proteins beta and gamma. Activity of this protein can modulate the expression of genes involved in cell cycle regulation as well as in body weight homeostasis. [provided by RefSeq, Sep 2014]

Methods and Materials

- Choose target gene
- Design siRNA and qPCR primer
- Using absolute qPCR to choose better qPCR primer
- Transfection siRNA to 3T3
- ► Isolate RNA & reverse RNA
- Using relative qPCR to measure the expression of Cebp-alpha

siRNA and Primer Design

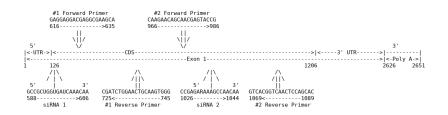


Figure 1: siRNA and Primer Design

Real-time PCR, or qPCR

qPCR provide a **simple** and **elegnat** method for determining the **amount of a target sequence** that is present in a sample.

- Compare with end-point PCR (Traditional PCR + Gel elecrophoresis)
- ► Fast: no gel electrophoresis
- Less pollution: Don't need to open tube

Absolute qPCR

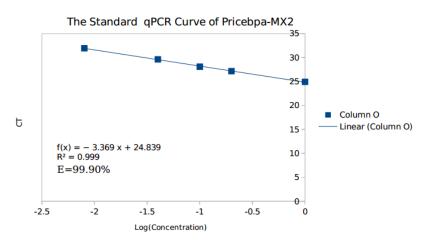
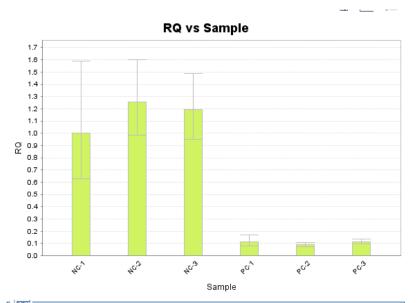


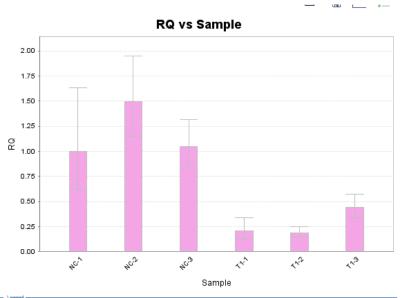
Figure 2: The Standard qPCR Curve of Pricebpa-MX2

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