# Thermo Scientific TOX Transfection Control

## **Product Information:**

Molecular Weight	Duplex Sequence	Cat #
Proprietary	Proprietary	D-001500-01-05 (5 nmol) D-001500-01-20 (20 nmol)

The Thermo Scientific<sup>TM</sup> TOX<sup>TM</sup> transfection control is recommended as a first indicator of the success of transfection. It is also an ideal control for optimizing transfection conditions, as it provides an easily quantifiable measure of cellular uptake leading to silencing.

# 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.
- Upon resuspension in 1x siRNA Buffer, aliquot the siRNA into small volumes and store at -20 °C to -80 °C.
   For best results, limit freeze-thawing of each tube to five events. Under these conditions, the siRNA is stable for at least 6 months

## 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 Thermo Scientific RNAi Controls Reagents, in every RNAi experiment. For more information, click <a href="here">here</a> for RNAiControls

• DharmaFECT<sup>TM</sup> siRNA Transfection Reagents are available in four formulations that are optimized for transfecting siRNA into a wide variety of cell lines. For more information, click <u>here</u>.

### Publication Reference Guide:

When referencing the use of Thermo Scientific siRNA reagents, please include the following information: product name, catalog number, ThermoFisher Scientific, Lafayette, CO.

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