

## Product datasheet for **TR316648**

### Oxytocin neurophysin 1 (OXT) Human shRNA Plasmid Kit (Locus ID 5020)

#### Product data:

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| Product Type:             | shRNA Plasmids  |
| Product Name:             | Oxytocin neurophysin 1 (OXT) Human shRNA Plasmid Kit (Locus ID 5020)  |
| Locus ID:                 | 5020  |
| Synonyms:                 | OT; OT-NPI; OXT-NPI   |
| Vector:                   | pRS (TR20003)   |
| E. coli Selection:        | Ampicillin  |
| Mammalian Cell Selection: | Puromycin   |
| Format:                   | Retroviral plasmids   |
| Components:               | OXT - Human, 4 unique 29mer shRNA constructs in retroviral untagged vector(Gene ID = 5020). 5µg purified plasmid DNA per construct<br>29-mer scrambled shRNA cassette in pRS Vector, TR30012, included for free.  |
| RefSeq:                   | <a href="#">NM_000915</a> , <a href="#">NM_000915.1</a> , <a href="#">NM_000915.2</a> , <a href="#">NM_000915.3</a> , <a href="#">BC069144</a> , <a href="#">BC101841</a> , <a href="#">BC101843</a> , <a href="#">NM_000915.4</a>  |
| UniProt ID:               | <a href="#">P01178</a>  |
| Summary:                  | This gene encodes a precursor protein that is processed to produce oxytocin and neurophysin I. Oxytocin is a posterior pituitary hormone which is synthesized as an inactive precursor in the hypothalamus along with its carrier protein neurophysin I. Together with neurophysin, it is packaged into neurosecretory vesicles and transported axonally to the nerve endings in the neurohypophysis, where it is either stored or secreted into the bloodstream. The precursor seems to be activated while it is being transported along the axon to the posterior pituitary. This hormone contracts smooth muscle during parturition and lactation. It is also involved in cognition, tolerance, adaptation and complex sexual and maternal behaviour, as well as in the regulation of water excretion and cardiovascular functions. [provided by RefSeq, Dec 2013] |
| shRNA Design:             | These shRNA constructs were designed against multiple splice variants at this gene locus. To be certain that your variant of interest is targeted, please contact <a href="mailto:techsupport@origene.com">techsupport@origene.com</a> . If you need a special design or shRNA sequence, please utilize our <a href="#">custom shRNA service</a> .  |



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OriGene guarantees that the sequences in the shRNA expression cassettes are verified to correspond to the target gene with 100% identity. One of the four constructs at minimum are guaranteed to produce 70% or more gene expression knock-down provided a minimum transfection efficiency of 80% is achieved. Western Blot data is recommended over qPCR to evaluate the silencing effect of the shRNA constructs 72 hrs post transfection. To properly assess knockdown, the gene expression level from the included scramble control vector must be used in comparison with the target-specific shRNA transfected samples.

For non-conforming shRNA, requests for replacement product must be made within ninety (90) days from the date of delivery of the shRNA kit. To arrange for a free replacement with newly designed constructs, please contact Technical Services at [techsupport@origene.com](mailto:techsupport@origene.com). Please provide your data indicating the transfection efficiency and measurement of gene expression knockdown compared to the scrambled shRNA control (Western Blot data preferred).