



Supplementary Figure 3. Structure of model circular RNA target. The circular target (CMT) was prepared from its linear form (LMT) by intramolecular ligation using RNA ligase. The 120-nt long CMT contains a TNF sequence (22 nt) that is fully complementary to the antisense sequence of Lasso ALR562-2. The TNF sequence is flanked by two (AAC)₈ linkers, which do not form secondary structures within CMT, and a hairpin-forming element that facilitates ligation of the RNA ends by RNA ligase. For sequence details, see Materials and Methods.