

An improved method for detecting circulating microRNAs with S-Poly(T) Plus real-time PCR

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Supplemental file 1 Primers and probe sequences for S-Poly(T) Plus method.

miRNA	Sequence (5'-3')	Forward primer	RT primer
>hsa-miR-150-5p MIMAT0000451	UCUCCCAACCCUUGUACCAGUG	CCGGGTCTCCCAACCCTTGTA	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTCACTGG
>hsa-miR-23b-3p MIMAT0000418	AUCACAUUGCCAGGGAUUACC	TCGGATCACATTGCCAGGG	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTGGTAAT
>hsa-miR-130a-3p MIMAT0000425	CAGUGCAAUGUUAAAAGGGCAU	GTCGGCAGTGCAATGTAAAA	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTATGCC
>hsa-miR-191-5p MIMAT0000440	CAACGGAAUCCAAAAAGCAGCUG	CCGGGCAACGGAATCCAAAAAG	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCACTG
>hsa-miR-30b-5p MIMAT0000420	UGUAAAACAUCCUACACUCAGCU	TTCGGTGTAAACATCCTACAC	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTAGCTGA
>hsa-miR-133b MIMAT0000770	UUUGGUCCCCUUAACCAGCUA	TCGGTTGGTCCCCTTCAAC	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTAGCTGG
>hsa-miR-208b-3p MIMAT0004960	AUAAGACGAACAAAAGGUUUGU	CCGGGATAAGACGAACAAAAG	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTACAAAC
>hsa-miR-1 MIMAT0000416	UGGAAUGUAAAGAAGUAUGUAU	CCGGGTGGAATGTAAAGAAGT	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTATACAT
>hsa-miR-26a-5p MIMAT0000082	UUCAAGUAAUCCAGGAUAGGCU	CCGGGTTCAGTAATCCAGGA	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTAGCCTA
>hsa-miR-29c-3p MIMAT0000681	UAGCACAUUGAAAUCGUAUA	CCGGGTAGCACCATTGAAAT	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTAAACGA
>hsa-miR-34b-3p MIMAT0004676	CAAUCACUAAUCCACUGCCAU	CCGGGCAATCACTAACTCCAC	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTATGGCA
>hsa-miR-451a MIMAT0001631	AAACCGUUACCAUACUGAGUU	CCGGGAAACCGTTACCATTAC	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTAACTCA
>hsa-miR-1246 MIMAT0005898	AAUGGAUUUUUGGAGCAGG	CCGGGAATGGATTTTGGGA	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCTGCT
>hsa-miR-451a MIMAT0001631	AAACCGUUACCAUACUGAGUU	CCGGGAAACCGTTACCATTAC	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTAACTCA
>hsa-miR-19a-3p MIMAT0000073	UGUGCAAAUCUAUGCAAACUGA	TCGGTGTGCAAATCTATGCAA	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCACTTT
>hsa-miR-21-5p MIMAT0000076	UAGCUUAUCAGACUGAUGUUGA	TTCGGTAGCTTATCAGACTGA	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCAACAT
>hsa-miR-204-5p MIMAT0000265	UUCCUUUGUCAUCCUAGCCU	TCGGTTCCTTTGTCATCCT	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTAGGCAT
>hsa-miR-138-5p MIMAT0000430	AGCUGGUGUUGUGAAUCAGGCCG	CCGGGAGCTGGTGTGTGAATC	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCCGCCT
>hsa-miR-367-3p MIMAT0000719	AAUUGCACUUUAGCAAUGGUGA	CCGGGAATTGCACTTAGCAA	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTACCAT
>hsa-miR-27b-3p MIMAT0000419	UUCACAGUGGCUAAGUUCUGC	TTCGGTTCACAGTGGCTAAG	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTGCAGAA
>hsa-miR-302b-3p MIMAT0000715	UAAGUGCUUCCAUGUUUAGUAG	TCGGTAAGTGCTTCCATGTTT	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCTACTA
>hsa-miR-145-5p MIMAT0000437	GUCCAGUUUCCCAGGAAUCCCU	CCGGGTCCAGTTTTCCAGGA	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTAGGGAT
>hsa-miR-20a-5p MIMAT0000075	UAAAGUGCUUUAUGUGCAGGUAG	TCGGTAAAGTGCTTATAGTGC	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCTACCT
>hsa-miR-34a-5p MIMAT0000255	UGGCAGUGUCUUAGCUGGUUGU	CCGGGTGGCAGTGTCTTAGCT	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTACAACC
>hsa-miR-328-3p MIMAT0000752	CUGGCCUCUCUGCCUUCGCU	CCGGGTGGCCCTCTTGCC	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTACGGAA
>hsa-miR-126-3p MIMAT0000445	UCGUACCGUGAGUAAUAAUGCG	GCGGGCGTACCGTGAGTAAT	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTTCGCATT
>hsa-miR-424-5p MIMAT0001341	CAGCAGCAAUCAUGUUUUGAA	GCCCCAGCAGCAATTCATGT	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCAAAC
>hsa-miR-503-5p MIMAT0002874	UAGCAGCGGGAACAGUUCUGCAG	CCGGGTAGCAGCGGGAACAGTT	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCTGCAG
>hsa-miR-124-3p MIMAT0000422	UAAGGCACGCGUGAAUGCC	CCGGGTAAGGCACGCGGTG	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTGGCATT
>hsa-miR-9-5p MIMAT0000441	UCUUUGGUUAUCUAGCUGUAUGA	TCGGTCTTTGGTTATCTAGCT	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCATACA
>hsa-miR-223-3p MIMAT0000280	UGUCAGUUUGUCAAUACCCCA	CACGGTGTGCTTGTCAAAT	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTGGGGTA
>hsa-miR-103a-3p MIMAT0000101	AGCAGCAUUGUACAGGGCUAUGA	GGAGCAGCATTGTACAGGG	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCATAGC
>hsa-miR-92a-3p MIMAT0000092	UAUUGCACUUGUCCCGCCUGU	TTCGGTATTGCACTTGTCCC	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTACAGGC
>hsa-miR-16-5p MIMAT0000069	UAGCAGCACGUAAAUUUGGCG	TTCGGTAGCAGCACGTAATA	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTCGCCAA
>hsa-miR-210-3p MIMAT0000267	CUGUGCGUGUGACAGCGGCUA	CCGGGTGTGCGTGTGACAGC	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTTACGCC

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>cel-miR-54-5p MIMAT0020773	AGGAUAUGAGACGACGAGAACA	TCGGAGGATATGAGACGACG	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTGTTCTC
SNORD-44	CCTGGATGATGATAAGCAAATGCTGAC TGAACATGAAGGTCTTAATTAGCTCTAA CTGACT	TGGCCTGGATGATGATAAGCA	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTAGTCAG
SNORD-47	AACCAATGATGTAATGATTCTGCCAAAT GAAATATAATGATATCACTGTAAAACC GTTCCATTTTGATTCTGAGGTT	CGCCAATGATGTAATGATTCTG	GTGCAGGGTCCGAGGTCAGAGCCACCTGGGCAATTTTTTTTTTTAACCTC
Universal reverse primer	CAGTGCAGGGTCCGAGGT		
Universal Taqman probe	56-FAM/CAGAGCCAC/ZEN/CTGGGCAATTT/3IABkFQ		

Supplemental file 2 A list of 31 miRNAs possibly related to pulmonary arterial hypertension (PAH).

MicroRNA	Function	Up or down-regulated	Reference
miR-150	miR-150 levels correlate with 2-year survival in patients with PAH.	↓	
miR-23b, miR-130a, miR-191, miR-30b, miR-133b, miR-208b		↑	24
miR-1, miR-26a, miR-29c, miR-34b, miR-451a, miR-1246		↓	24
miR-451a		↑	35
miR-19a	miR-19a mediates the suppressive effect of laminar flow on cyclin D1 expression in human umbilical vein endothelial cells.		36
miR-21	Targets PPAR α ; increases the proliferation and migration of PASMC.	↑	37
miR-204	Targets SHP2; down-regulation of miR-204 activates NFAT. NFAT and SHP2 increase proliferation and resist apoptosis of PASMC.	↓	32
miR-138	Target Mst1; disrupt the Bcl-2 signaling pathway and negatively regulate PASMC apoptosis.		38
miR-367, miR-27b, miR-302b		↑	32
miR-145	Targets KLF5 gene and its downstream signaling molecule, myocardin.	↓	39
miR-20a	Targets the PRKG1; promotes the proliferation and migration of PASMC, but inhibits the differentiation.	↑	30
miR-34a	The p53 gene deficiency in mice is associated with lower levels miR-34a and hypoxia-induced PH and vascular remodeling.	↓	40
miR-328	Inhibits L-type calcium channel- α 1C suppresses the insulin growth factor 1 receptor, leading to apoptosis of pulmonary arterial smooth muscle cells.	↓	41
miR-126		↑	42
miR-424, miR-503	Targets FGF2 and FGFR1; induces the proliferation of PASCs.	↓	43
miR-124	Inhibits NFAT pathway through targeting NFATc1 gene and two regulators, CAMTA1 and PTBP1.	↓	44
miR-9	Increased NFAT activation by targeting KPNB1 and DYRK1B.		31
miR-223	Contributes to PARP-1/STAT3 activation and thus to PAH development	↓	45