Supplementary Information





Relative ASGR Expression in Hepatocyte Models





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ASGR1-HEK (Clone 1A4)

ASO No.	Chemistry	Calculated	Observed	%UV
		Mass	Mass	Purity
395251	MOE, DNA, PS	7249.3	7248.1	94
890273	MOE, DNA, PS, 3'-GalNAc	8767.9	8766.8	97
730436	MOE, DNA, PS, 5'-Cy3	7772.9	7770.5	77
836716	MOE, DNA, PS, 5'-Cy3, 3'-GalNAc	9291.5	9291.7	94
834490	MOE, PO, 5'-Cy3	8208.5	8208.5	82
841226	MOE, PO, 5'-Cy3, 3'-GalNAc	9727.1	9727.6	97
890266	MOE, DNA, 6PO, 13PS	7152.9	7151.0	87
890267	MOE, DNA, 6PO, 13PS, 3'-GalNAc	8671.5	8672.2	92
890268	MOE, DNA, 6PO, 13PS, 5'-Cy3	7676.5	7675.2	88
890269	MOE, DNA, 6PO, 13PS, 5'-Cy3, 3'- GalNAc	9195.1	9194.5	95
758054	cEt BNA, DNA, PS	5430.6	5429.4	91
404071	MOE, DNA, PS	7234.3	7233.1	99
757741	cEt BNA, DNA, PS	5420.6	5419.2	93

Table S1. Analytical data for ASOs

Supplementary Figure Legends

S1 Illustration of the relative contributions of phosphorothioate-, phosphodiester- and receptor-mediated uptake of parent ASOs and their respective conjugates. Phosphorothioate-ligand conjugates internalize via "default" PS pathway (brackets noted as "d") and a receptor-mediated pathway (brackets noted as "r"), whereas phosphodiester-ligand conjugates are internalized almost exclusively by the receptor pathway.

S2 Relative mRNA levels of ASGR1 and ASGR2 in Huh7, HepG2 and, primary murine hepatocytes. RNA purified from the indicated cells was subjected qRT-PCR for the ASGR1, ASGR2, and GAPDH. Expression was normalized to GAPDH mRNA and expressed as percent primary murine hepatocyte expression.

S3 ASGR1 expressing HEK 293 show increased sensitivity to unconjugated phosphorothioate ASOs. Parental and ASGR1-expressing HEK 293 cells were treated with the indicated ASO for potency determination as described in "Material and Methods"

S4 Interpolated values for cy3-ASO (730436, 836716 from Table S1) uptake at all concentrations of applied cy3-ASO were calculated in order to compare cy3-ASO uptake of the parent and GalNAc-conjugated ASOs at the IC50's of their respective unlabeled gapmers (395251, 890273 from Table S1), as indicated in the figure.

 Table S1
 Analytical data for ASOs used in this manuscript