

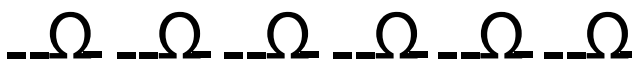
Mature miR-30b: 5' UGUAAACAUCCUACACUCAGCU 3'

Replace U with T: 5' TGTAACATCCTACACTCAGCT 3'

1x Sponge: 5' AGCTGAGTGTTCTGTTTACA 3'

6x Sponge:

GFP



5'-CTAGC

AGCTGAGTGTTCTGTTTACAaattAGCTGAGTGTTCTGTTTACAaattAGCTG

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Suppl-Fig. 4. miR-30b sponge (miR-30bs). The miRNA “sponge” method was used to create continuous miRNA loss-of-function by complementary binding to a miRNA of interest, as described previously<sup>20,23,35</sup>. miR-30bs contains six concatenated miR-30b binding sites with a central bulge/mismatch to prevent mRNA cleavage by Argonaute 2, as described previously<sup>22,23</sup>.