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3′ CGGAUAGGA-CCUA--AUGAACUU 5′ miR-26a
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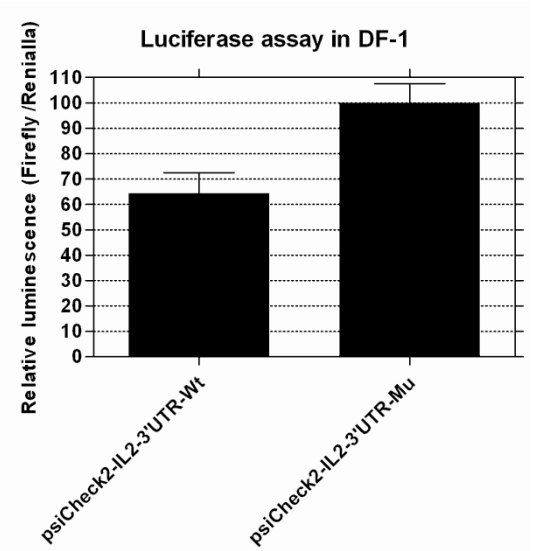
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