# **Product** Data Sheet

### **BMH-21**

Cat. No.: HY-12484 CAS No.: 896705-16-1 Molecular Formula:  $C_{21}H_{20}N_4O_2$ 

Molecular Weight: 360

Target: DNA/RNA Synthesis Pathway: Cell Cycle/DNA Damage

Storage: Powder -20°C

3 years 4°C 2 years

-80°C In solvent 2 years

> -20°C 1 year

### **SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY**

In Vitro

DMSO: 1 mg/mL (2.78 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	2.7778 mL	13.8889 mL	27.7778 mL
	5 mM			
	10 mM			

Please refer to the solubility information to select the appropriate solvent.

# **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

Description BMH-21 is a first-in-class DNA intercalator which inhibits RNA polymerase I (Pol I) transcription. BMH-21 possesses

anticancer activity[1][2].

IC<sub>50</sub> & Target DNA<sup>[1][2]</sup>

In Vitro BMH-21 binds ribosomal DNA and inhibits Pol I transcription<sup>[1]</sup>.

?BMH-21 inhibits RNA polymerase I independent of DNA damage response [1].

?BMH-21 intercalates into double strand (ds) DNA and has binding preference towards GC-rich DNA sequences<sup>[1]</sup>.

?BMH-21 (1 μM; 3 hours) acts in a DNA damage independent manner to activate nucleolar stress and RPA194 degradation<sup>[1]</sup>.

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Cell Viability Assay<sup>[1]</sup>

Cell Line:	U2OS cells
Concentration:	0 μΜ, 0.1 μΜ , 1 μΜ, 10 μΜ

Incubation Time:	48 hours	
Result:	Decreased the viability of cells at concentrations that activated the DNA damage response.	
Western Blot Analysis <sup>[1]</sup>		
Cell Line:	A375 cells	
Concentration:	1μΜ	
Incubation Time:	3 hours	
	Degraded RPA194 with blocked ATM and DNA-PK <sub>cs</sub> activity.	

#### In Vivo

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Animal Model:	6-week old athymic NCr nu/nu mice, with HCT116 colorectal carcinoma xenograft <sup>[2]</sup>	
Dosage:	50 mg/kg	
Administration:	Intraperitoneal injection, daily, for 6 days	
Result:	Significantly inhibited HCT116 colon cancer tumor growth.	

# **CUSTOMER VALIDATION**

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