**Proteins** 

# **Product** Data Sheet

## Genz-123346 free base

Cat. No.: HY-12744 CAS No.: 491833-30-8 Molecular Formula:  $C_{24}H_{38}N_{2}O_{4}$ Molecular Weight: 418.57 Target: Others Pathway: Others

Storage: Powder -20°C

3 years 2 years

In solvent -80°C 2 years

> -20°C 1 year

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#### **SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY**

In Vitro DMSO : ≥ 100 mg/mL (238.91 mM)

\* "≥" means soluble, but saturation unknown.

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	2.3891 mL	11.9454 mL	23.8909 mL
	5 mM	0.4778 mL	2.3891 mL	4.7782 mL
	10 mM	0.2389 mL	1.1945 mL	2.3891 mL

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

In Vivo

- 1. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline Solubility: ≥ 3 mg/mL (7.17 mM); Clear solution
- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 3 mg/mL (7.17 mM); Clear solution
- 3. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 3 mg/mL (7.17 mM); Clear solution

### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

Description	Genz-123346 (free base) is an inhibitor of GL1 synthase that blocks the conversion of ceramide to GL1; inhibits GM1 with IC <sub>50</sub> value of 14 nM.
IC <sub>50</sub> & Target	IC50: 14 nM (GM1) <sup>[1]</sup>
In Vitro	Exposure of cells to Genz-123346 and to other GCS inhibitors at nontoxic concentrations can enhance the killing of tumor

cells by cytotoxic anti-cancer agents. Genz-123346 and a few other GCS inhibitors are substrates for multi-drug resistance efflux pumps such as P-gp (ABCB1, gP-170). In cell lines selected to over-express P-gp or which endogenously express P-gp, chemosensitization by Genz-123346 is primarily due to the effects on P-gp function<sup>[2]</sup>. Genz-123346(Genz) is an enhancer of autophagy flux<sup>[3]</sup>.

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#### In Vivo

In the Zucker diabetic fatty rat, Genz-123346 loared glucose and A1C levels and improved glucose tolerance. Drug treatment also prevented the loss of pancreatic beta-cell function and preserved the ability of the animals to secrete insulin. In the diet-induced obese mouse, treatment with Genz-123346 normalized A1C levels and improved glucose tolerance. The oral bioavailability of the drug is shown to be about 10% and 30% in mice and rats, respectively, with a half-life in plasma of 30–60 min<sup>[1]</sup>. Genz-123346 treatment results in a dose-dependent reduction of renal GlcCer and GM3 levels that translates into effective inhibition of cystic disease. A direct effect of Genz-123346 on the Akt-mTOR signaling pathway is observed, with reduced phosphorylation of Akt and ribosomal protein S6<sup>[4]</sup>.

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#### **PROTOCOL**

# Animal Administration [1]

Rats: Genz-123346 is dissolved in water. Zucker diabetic fatty rats treated with Genz-123346 (75 mg/kg) for 6 weeks are fasted overnight. The following morning, the fasted rats are anesthetized and injected with 5 units human insulin into the hepatic portal vein. Quadriceps muscle and liver are harvested 2 min after injection and immediately frozen in liquid nitrogen. Insulin receptor is immunoprecipitated. The immunoprecipitates are analyzed by immunoblotting<sup>[1]</sup>.

Mice: C57BL/6 mice are fed on a high-fat (45% of kcal) diet for 8 weeks, obese mice with comparable body weight gain, glucose, and insulin levels are assigned to either the treated or control groups. The mice are then gavaged daily with Genz-123346 or water for 10 weeks<sup>[1]</sup>.

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#### **CUSTOMER VALIDATION**

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