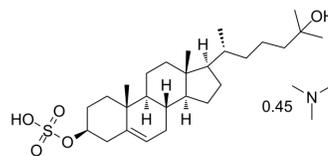


Larsucosterol (trimethylamine)

Cat. No.:	HY-139576B
Molecular Formula:	C ₃₀ H ₄₆ O ₅ S _{0.45} C ₃ H ₉ N
Molecular Weight:	509.32
Target:	Endogenous Metabolite; LXR
Pathway:	Metabolic Enzyme/Protease; Vitamin D Related/Nuclear Receptor
Storage:	4°C, sealed storage, away from moisture * In solvent : -80°C, 6 months; -20°C, 1 month (sealed storage, away from moisture)



SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

In Vitro

DMSO : 33.33 mg/mL (65.44 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Concentration	Mass		
		1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	1.9634 mL	9.8170 mL	19.6340 mL
	5 mM	0.3927 mL	1.9634 mL	3.9268 mL
	10 mM	0.1963 mL	0.9817 mL	1.9634 mL

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

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description

Larsucosterol (DUR-928) trimethylamine, a cholesterol metabolite, is a potent liver X receptor (LXR) antagonist. Larsucosterol trimethylamine as a potent endogenous regulator decreases lipogenesis. Larsucosterol trimethylamine inhibits the cholesterol biosynthesis via decreasing mRNA levels and inhibiting the activation of SREBP-1^{[1][2][3]}.

In Vitro

Larsucosterol (DUR-928; 0-25 μM; 8 h; HepG2 cells) trimethylamine inhibits cholesterol biosynthesis by decreasing HMG-CoA reductase mRNA levels and decreases free [¹⁴C] cholesterol in a dose-dependent manner^[1].
 Larsucosterol (0-25 μM; 6 h; HepG2 cells) trimethylamine inhibits HMG-CoA reductase expression by inhibition of both SREBP1 activation and expression in hepatocytes^[1].
 Larsucosterol (0-50 μM; 48 h) trimethylamine increases cell proliferation and decreases apoptosis in macrophages^[2].
 Larsucosterol (0-25 μM; 48 h; macrophages) trimethylamine inhibits activation of liver oxysterol receptor LXRα^[2].
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Cell Proliferation Assay^[2]

Cell Line:	Macrophages
Concentration:	0, 5, 10, 15, 20, and 25 μM

Incubation Time:	48 hours
Result:	Induces cell proliferation and relative cell number after treatment for 48 h were 120% at 25 μ M.

Apoptosis Analysis^[2]

Cell Line:	Macrophages
Concentration:	0, 10, 20, 30, 40 and 50 μ M
Incubation Time:	48 hours
Result:	Did not significantly affect the numbers of apoptotic or live cells.

Western Blot Analysis^[1]

Cell Line:	HepG2 cells
Concentration:	0, 3, 6, 12, and 25 μ M
Incubation Time:	6 hours
Result:	Inhibited the activation of SREBP-1 and SREBP-2, and subsequently inhibit the expression HMG-CoA reductase.

Western Blot Analysis^[2]

Cell Line:	Macrophages
Concentration:	0, 3, 6, 12, and 25 μ M
Incubation Time:	48 hours
Result:	Decreased LXR α levels in the nuclei in a dose-dependent manner.

In Vivo

Larsucosterol (DUR-928; 25 mg/kg; i.p.; twice in 14 hours; C57BL/6J mice with nonalcoholic fatty liver diseases (NAFLD) model) trimethylamine reduces serum lipid levels in mice fed a high-fat diet^[3].

Larsucosterol (25 mg/kg; i.p.; twice in 14 hours; C57BL/6J mice with nonalcoholic fatty liver diseases (NAFLD) model) trimethylamine suppressed the expression of the genes and inhibits ABCA1 expression. Larsucosterol increases nuclear SREBP-1 Protein levels and cytoplasmic FAS and ACC1 protein levels in liver tissue^[3].

Larsucosterol (25 mg/kg; i.p.; once every 3 days for 6 weeks; C57BL/6J mice with nonalcoholic fatty liver diseases (NAFLD) model) trimethylamine protects the liver from injury by suppressing hepatic inflammation^[3].

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Animal Model:	Female C57BL/6J mice with nonalcoholic fatty liver diseases (NAFLD) model ^[3]
Dosage:	25 mg/kg
Administration:	Intraperitoneal injection; twice in 14 hours
Result:	Decreased plasma TG, CHOL, and HDL-C by 40, 15, and 20%, respectively. Reduced the mRNA levels of SREBP-1c, ACC1, and FAS by 46, 57, and 49%, respectively. Suppressed ABCA1 expression. Suppressed nuclear SREBP-1, cytoplasmic ACC1, and FAS protein levels by 74, 58, and 47%, respectively.

Animal Model:	Female C57BL/6J mice with nonalcoholic fatty liver diseases (NAFLD) model ^[3]
Dosage:	25 mg/kg
Administration:	Intraperitoneal injection; once every 3 days for 6 weeks
Result:	Decreased plasma cholesterol levels. Reduced serum alkaline phosphatase, ALT, and AST levels.

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