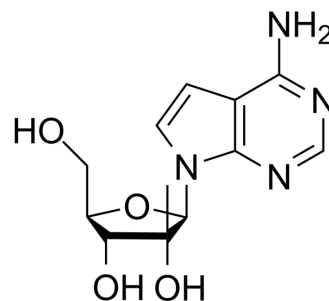


MK-0608

Cat. No.:	HY-10244		
CAS No.:	443642-29-3		
Molecular Formula:	C ₁₂ H ₁₆ N ₄ O ₄		
Molecular Weight:	280.28		
Target:	HCV		
Pathway:	Anti-infection		
Storage:	Powder	-20°C	3 years
		4°C	2 years
	In solvent	-80°C	6 months
		-20°C	1 month



SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

In Vitro

DMSO : 250 mg/mL (891.97 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Concentration	Solvent	Mass	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
			1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
Preparing Stock Solutions	1 mM		3.5679 mL	17.8393 mL	35.6786 mL
	5 mM		0.7136 mL	3.5679 mL	7.1357 mL
	10 mM		0.3568 mL	1.7839 mL	3.5679 mL

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

In Vivo

- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline
Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (7.42 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline)
Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (7.42 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil
Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (7.42 mM); Clear solution

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description

MK-0608 is a potent and orally bioavailable inhibitor of HCV replication in vitro with an EC₅₀ of 0.3 μM (EC₉₀=1.3 μM) in the subgenomic-replicon assay^[1].

IC₅₀ & Target

EC₅₀: 0.3 μM (HCV replication)^[1]

In Vivo

Oral dosing of MK-0608 results in a potent antiviral effect. In preclinical pharmacokinetic experiments with rats, dogs, and rhesus monkeys, MK-0608 demonstrates good to excellent oral bioavailability (50 to 100%) and long plasma half-lives in

dogs and rhesus macaques (9 and 14 h, respectively)^[1].

MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

Animal Model:	The HCV-infected chimpanzees ^[1]
Dosage:	1 mg/kg
Administration:	Administered orally; once daily for 37 days
Result:	Chimpanzee X6 had a baseline viral load that varied from 1,110 to 12,900 IU/mL, and chimpanzee X4 had a baseline viral load of 3×10^6 to 9×10^6 IU/mL.

REFERENCES

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