**Proteins** 

# Microtubule inhibitor 2

Cat. No.: HY-145828 Molecular Formula: C20H23NO7 Molecular Weight:

Ferroptosis; Microtubule/Tubulin Target:

Pathway: Apoptosis; Cell Cycle/DNA Damage; Cytoskeleton

Storage: Please store the product under the recommended conditions in the Certificate of

Analysis.

**Product** Data Sheet

# **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

# Description

Microtubule inhibitor 2 is a potent and selective, orally active microtubule inhibitor. Microtubule inhibitor 2 triggers cell death through ferroptosis. Microtubule inhibitor 2 shows antitumor activity [1].

### In Vitro

Microtubule inhibitor 2 (compound 33) (48 h) shows antiproliferative activity with IC50 values of 0.01, 0.02, 0.02, 0.04, 0.05  $\mu$ M for A549, Hela, A2780, HCT-8, MCF-7 cells, respectively<sup>[1]</sup>.

Microtubule inhibitor 2 shows selective toward normal human cells and cancer cells (IC<sub>50</sub>s of 0.01, 0.04, 1.45, 1.32,0.54 μΜ for A549, quiescent HUVECs, LO2, HLF, MCF-10A cells, respectively)[1].

Microtubule inhibitor 2 (48 h) shows antiproliferative activity toward drug-resistant cancer cells (IC<sub>50</sub>s of 0.02, 0.07, 0.04 for A549/ADM, HCT-8/VCR, A2780/TAX cells, respectively)<sup>[1]</sup>.

Microtubule inhibitor 2 (5, 10, 20 nM; 24 h) dramatically disrupts the dynamic balance of the tubulin-microtubule system, induces the multipolarization of the mitotic spindle, and interfered with the mitosis of A549 cells<sup>[1]</sup>.

Microtubule inhibitor 2 (5, 10, 20 nM, 24 h, 48 h) arrests cell cycle progression at the G2/M phase in a dose and timedependent manner<sup>[1]</sup>.

Microtubule inhibitor 2 triggers cell death through ferroptosis rather than apoptosis<sup>[1]</sup>.

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# Cell Proliferation Assay<sup>[1]</sup>

Cell Line:	A549, Hela, A2780, HCT-8, MCF-7 cells
Concentration:	
Incubation Time:	48 h
Result:	Showed antiproliferative activities with IC <sub>50</sub> values of 0.01, 0.02, 0.02, 0.04, 0.05 μM for A549, Hela, A2780, HCT-8, MCF-7 cells, respectively.

# Cell Cycle Analysis<sup>[1]</sup>

Cell Line:	A549 cells
Concentration:	5, 10, 20 nM
Incubation Time:	24 h, 48 h
Result:	Arrested cell cycle progression at the G2/M phase in a dose and time-dependent manner.

# In Vivo

Microtubule inhibitor 2 (10 mg/kg; p.o.) displays excellent oral bioavailability (F% = 69.45) [1].

Microtubule inhibitor 2 (10 mg/kg; i.p.; every other day for 22 days) shows antitumor activity and the level of tumor growth inhibition was  $78.63\%^{[1]}$ .

Pharmacokinetic Parameters of Microtubule inhibitor 2 in Male Institute of Cancer Research (ICR) mice (18–23 g)<sup>[1]</sup>.

	p.o.	i.v.
dose (mg/kg)	10	1
T <sub>1/2</sub> (h)	2.12	0.62
T <sub>max</sub> (h)	0.25	0.08
T <sub>max</sub> (ng/mL)	776.31	871.40
AUC <sub>(0-t)</sub> (h ng <sup>-1</sup> mL)	2432.04	350.19
$\mathrm{AUC}_{(0-\infty)}$ (h ng $^{-1}$ mL)	2463.76	353.02
MRT (h)	2.57	0.68
CL (mL h <sup>-1</sup> kg <sup>-1</sup> )	-	2855.67
F %	69.45	-

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Animal Model:	Male Institute of Cancer Research (ICR) mice (18–23 g) <sup>[1]</sup>	
Dosage:	10 mg/kg	
Administration:		
Result:	Displayed excellent oral bioavailability (F% = 69.45).	
Animal Model:	Male BALB/c nude mice (5 weeks old, 18–20 g) (A549 xenograft models) [1]	
Dosage:	10 mg/kg	
Administration:	i.p.; every other day, 22 days	
Result:	Showed antitumor activity and the level of tumor growth inhibition was 78.63%.	

# **REFERENCES**

[1]. Zhou J, et al. Discovery of a Novel Stilbene Derivative as a Microtubule Targeting Agent Capable of Inducing Cell Ferroptosis. J Med Chem. 2022; 65(6):4687-4708.

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