# Inhibitors



### **Motesanib**

Cat. No.: HY-10228 CAS No.: 453562-69-1 Molecular Formula:  $C_{22}H_{23}N_{5}O$ Molecular Weight: 373.45 Target: c-Kit; VEGFR

Pathway: Protein Tyrosine Kinase/RTK

-20°C Storage: Powder 3 years

2 years

In solvent -80°C 2 years

> -20°C 1 year

**Product** Data Sheet

#### **SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY**

In Vitro

DMSO: ≥ 100 mg/mL (267.77 mM)

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

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	2.6777 mL	13.3887 mL	26.7773 mL
	5 mM	0.5355 mL	2.6777 mL	5.3555 mL
	10 mM	0.2678 mL	1.3389 mL	2.6777 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: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.69 mM); Clear solution
- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.69 mM); Clear solution

#### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

Motesanib (AMG 706) is a potent ATP-competitive inhibitor of VEGFR1/2/3 with IC $_{50}$ s of 2 nM/3 nM/6 nM, respectively, and Description has similar activity against Kit, and is appr 10-fold more selective for VEGFR than PDGFR and Ret.

IC<sub>50</sub> & Target VEGFR1 VEGFR2 VEGFR3 6 nM (IC<sub>50</sub>) 2 nM (IC<sub>50</sub>) 3 nM (IC<sub>50</sub>)

In Vitro

Motesanib has broad activity against the human VEGFR family, and displays > 1000 selectivity against EGFR, Src, and p38 kinase. Motesanib significantly inhibits VEGF-induced cellular proliferation of HUVECs with an IC<sub>50</sub> of 10 nM, while displaying  $little\ effect\ at\ bFGF-induced\ proliferation\ with\ an\ IC_{50}\ of\ >3,000\ nM.\ Motesanib\ also\ potently\ inhibits\ PDGF-induced\ proliferation\ with\ an\ IC_{50}\ of\ >3,000\ nM.\ Motesanib\ also\ potently\ inhibits\ PDGF-induced\ proliferation\ with\ an\ IC_{50}\ of\ >3,000\ nM.\ Motesanib\ also\ potently\ inhibits\ PDGF-induced\ proliferation\ prolifera$ 

proliferation and SCF-induced c-kit phosphorylation with IC $_{50}$  of 207 nM and 37 nM, respectively, but not effective against the EGF-induced EGFR phosphorylation and cell viability of A431 cells<sup>[1]</sup>. Althouth displaying little antiproliferative activity on cell growth of HUVECs alone, Motesanib treatment significantly sensitizes the cells to fractionated radiation<sup>[2]</sup>. MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

#### In Vivo

Motesanib (100 mg/kg) significantly inhibits VEGF-induced vascular permeability in a time-dependent manner. Oral administration of Motesanib twice daily or once daily potently inhibits, in a dose-dependent manner, VEGF-induced angiogenesis using the rat corneal model with ED $_{50}$  of 2.1 mg/kg and 4.9 mg/kg, respectively. Motesanib induces a dose-dependent tumor regression of established A431 xenografts by selectively targeting neovascularization in tumor cells<sup>[1]</sup>. Motesanib in combination with radiation displays significant anti-tumor activity in head and neck squamous cell carcinoma (HNSCC) xenograft models<sup>[2]</sup>. Motesanib treatment also induces significant dose-dependent reductions in tumor growth and blood vessel density of MCF-7, MDA-MB-231, or Cal-51 xenografts, which can be markedly enhanced when combined with docetaxel or tamoxifen<sup>[3]</sup>.

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#### **PROTOCOL**

#### Kinase Assay [1]

Optimal enzyme, ATP, and substrate (gastrin peptide) concentrations are established for each enzyme using homogeneous time-resolved fluorescence (HTRF) assays. Motesanib is tested in a 10-point dose-response curve for each enzyme using an ATP concentration of two-thirds  $K_m$  for each. Most assays consist of enzyme mixed with kinase reaction buffer [20 mM Tris-HCl (pH 7.5), 10 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 5 mM MnCl<sub>2</sub>, 100 mM NaCl, 1.5 mM EGTA]. A final concentration of 1 mM DTT, 0.2 mM NaVO<sub>4</sub>, and 20  $\mu$ g/mL BSA is added before each assay. For all assays, 5.75 mg/mL streptavidin-allophycocyanin and 0.1125 nM Eu-PT66 are added immediately before the HTRF reaction. Plates are incubated for 30 minutes at room temperature and read on a Discovery instrument. IC<sub>50</sub> values are calculated using the Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm into a four-parameter logistic equation.

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## Cell Assay [1]

Cells are preincubated for 2 hours with different concentrations of Motesanib, and exposed with 50 ng/mL VEGF or 20 ng/mL bFGF for an additional 72 hours. Cells are washed twice with DPBS, and plates are frozen at -70°C for 24 hours. Proliferation is assessed by the addition of CyQuant dye, and plates are read on a Victor 1420 workstation. IC<sub>50</sub> data are calculated using the Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm into a four-parameter logistic equatio.

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# Animal Administration [1]

A431 cells are cultured in DMEM (low glucose) with 10% FBS and penicillin/streptomycin/glutamine. Cells are harvested by trypsinization, washed, and adjusted to a concentration of  $5\times10^7/\text{mL}$  in serum-free medium. Animals are challenged s.c. with  $1\times10^7$  cells in 0.2 mL over the left flank. Approximately 10 days thereafter, mice are randomized based on initial tumor volume measurements and treated with either vehicle (Ora-Plus) or Motesanib. Tumor volumes and body weights are recorded twice weekly and/or on the day of sacrifice. Tumor volume is measured with a Pro-Max electronic digital caliper and calculated using the formula length (mm)×width (mm)×height (mm) and expressed in mm<sup>3</sup>. Data are expressed as mean±SE. Repeated measures ANOVA followed by Scheffe post hoc testing for multiple comparisons is used to evaluate the statistical significance of observed differences.

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#### **CUSTOMER VALIDATION**

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