PLX5622

Target:

Cat. No.: HY-114153 CAS No.: 1303420-67-8 $C_{21}H_{19}F_{2}N_{5}O$ Molecular Formula: Molecular Weight: 395.41

c-Fms Pathway: Protein Tyrosine Kinase/RTK

Powder -20°C Storage: 3 years

> 2 years In solvent -80°C 6 months -20°C 1 month

SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

In Vitro

DMSO: 66.67 mg/mL (168.61 mM; ultrasonic and warming and heat to 60°C) Ethanol: 3.33 mg/mL (8.42 mM; ultrasonic and warming and heat to 60°C)

H₂O: < 0.1 mg/mL (insoluble)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg	
	1 mM	2.5290 mL	12.6451 mL	25.2902 mL	
	5 mM	0.5058 mL	2.5290 mL	5.0580 mL	
	10 mM	0.2529 mL	1.2645 mL	2.5290 mL	

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

In Vivo

1. Add each solvent one by one: 5% DMSO >> 95% (0.5% Hypromellose >> 1% Tween-80) (Note: To make 100 mL diluent (0.5% Hypromellose >> 1% Tween-80), add 25 mL of 2% Hypromellose stock and 4 mL of 25% Tween-80 stock to 71 mL ddH2O)

Solubility: 6.5 mg/mL (16.44 mM); Suspended solution; Need ultrasonic and warming

- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 5% DMSO >> 95% (20% Ethoxylated hydrogenated castor oil in saline) Solubility: 5 mg/mL (12.65 mM); Clear solution; Need ultrasonic
- 3. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline Solubility: ≥ 3.12 mg/mL (7.89 mM); Clear solution
- 4. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.32 mM); Clear solution
- 5. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.32 mM); Clear solution

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description

PLX5622 is a highly selective brain penetrant and orally active CSF1R inhibitor (IC $_{50}$ =0.016 μ M; K $_{i}$ =5.9 nM). PLX5622 allows for extended and specific microglial cells elimination, preceding and during pathology development. PLX5622 demonstrates desirable PK properties in varies animals. PLX5622 is mostly used in the way of feed free diet (HY-114153C)^[1] [2].

IC₅₀ & Target

IC50: 0.016 μM (CSF1R); Ki: 5.9 nM (CSF1R)^{[1][2]}

In Vitro

PLX5622 (1-20 μ M; 3 days) effectively depletes microglia without affecting oligodendrocytes or astrocytes in cerebellar slices. PLX5622 (4 μ M; 3 days) causes a 30-40% reduction in NG2+ or PDGFR α + cells, and this increased to 90-95% at 20 μ M. No reduction of NG2+ or PDGFR α + OPCs is observed in slices exposed to 1 μ M or 2 μ M PLX5622 despite robust (~95%) depletion of the microglial cells^[3].

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In Vivo

Pharmacodynamics of PLX5622 in preclinical studies

PLX5622 (1200 ppm; chow; for 3 weeks or 3 days; adult C57/Bl6 wild type mice) leads to around 80% of microglia lost after 3 days of treatment and a 99% microglia loss after 3 weeks of treatment. PLX5622 (adult C57/Bl6 wild type mice aged 3 months; diet for 3 weeks) decreases microglia in cortex, striatum, cerebellum and hippocampus^[4].

PLX5622 (50 mg/kg; intraperitoneal injection; once (neonatal rat) or twice (adult rat) a day; for a total of 14 days) depletes microglia by 80-90% within 3 days of treatment, which increases to > 90% by 7 days. After 14 days of PLX5622 treatment, microglia is depleted by > 96% in both neonates and adults while preserving baseline astrocyte quantity. (A single daily injection of 0.65% PLX5622 suspended in 5% dimethyl sulfoxide and 20% Kolliphor RH40 in 0.01 M PBS is sufficient for neonatal microglia depletion, adult depletion requires injections twice daily)^[5].

PLX5622 (formulated in AIN-76A standard chow at 1200 mg/kg; for 28 days) leads to reduction in microglia throughout the CNS in 14-month-old 5xfAD mice^[6].

Pharmacokinetics of PLX5622 in preclinical species^[1]

Species	IV				PO (gavage)				
	Dose (mg/kg)	AUC _{0-∞} (ng•hr/mL)	CL (mL/min/kg)	Vss (L/kg)	t _{1/2} (hr)	Dose (mg/kg)	AUC _{0-∞} (ng•hr/mL)	Cmax (ng/mL)	F
Mouse	1.92	15,500	2.1	0.34	2.6	45	215,000	26,300	59%
Rat (male)	1.13	2,630	7.7	1.2	2.3	45	99,600	12,000	95%
Rat (female)	1.13	5,110	3.7	1.0	3.9	45	181,000	15,600	89%
Dog	1.00	6,230	3.0	2.3	15	45	96,500	3,630	34%
Monkey	1.35	2,100	11	1.6	2.2	ND	ND	ND	ND

Preparation of gavage dosing suspensions for PLX5622^[1]

PLX5622 is dissolved in DMSO at a concentration that is 20x the final dosing solution. The compound stock is protected from light. A fresh stock is made each week.

The components of the diluent generally are prepared a day or more in advance because they take time to dissolve completely: a) 2% hydroxypropyl methyl cellulose (HPMC): 2.0 g powder was brought to 100 mL deionized water; b) 25% Polysorbate 80 (PS80): 25 g was brought to 100 mL deionized water. To make 100 mL diluent, add 25 mL of 2% HPMC stock (0.5% final) and 4 mL of 25% PS80 stock (1% final) to 71 mL deionized water to have final 100 mL. Final composition after mixing with compound: 0.5% HPMC, 1% PS80, 5% DMSO.

On each dosing day, the compound stock is diluted 20-fold as follows: 19 volumes of diluent are measured into the tube, and 1 volume of the 20x compound/DMSO stock is added. The cap is closed and the content of the tube is mixed by

inversion and placed in a sonicating water bath to make a uniform suspension.

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