**Proteins** 

# **Product** Data Sheet

# **Poloxin**

Cat. No.: HY-12134 CAS No.: 321688-88-4 Molecular Formula: C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>19</sub>NO<sub>3</sub> Molecular Weight: 297.35

Target: Polo-like Kinase (PLK) Pathway: Cell Cycle/DNA Damage

Powder Storage:

> 4°C 2 years

3 years

In solvent -80°C 2 years

-20°C

-20°C 1 year

## **SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY**

In Vitro

DMSO: 14.29 mg/mL (48.06 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	3.3630 mL	16.8152 mL	33.6304 mL
	5 mM	0.6726 mL	3.3630 mL	6.7261 mL
	10 mM	0.3363 mL	1.6815 mL	3.3630 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: ≥ 1.43 mg/mL (4.81 mM); Clear solution
- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 1.43 mg/mL (4.81 mM); Clear solution

### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

Description Poloxin is a non-ATP competitive Polo-like Kinase 1 (PLK1) inhibitor that targets the polo-box domain, with an IC<sub>50</sub> of appr 4.8 μΜ.

PLK1 PBD PLK2 PBD IC<sub>50</sub> & Target PLK3 PBD 18.7 μM (IC<sub>50</sub>) 53.9 μM (IC<sub>50</sub>)  $4.8 \, \mu M \, (IC_{50})$ 

In Vitro Poloxin (25 μM) induces defects in centrosome integrity, spindle formation, and chromosome alignment in mitosis. Centrosomal fragmentation induced by Poloxin is partially rescued by Kiz T379E. Poloxin (25  $\mu$ M) activates the mitotic checkpoint, induces apoptosis and inhibits proliferation of MDA-MB-231 cells<sup>[1]</sup>. Poloxin inhibits proliferation in both cell lines with a comparable efficiency through 72 h period<sup>[2]</sup>. Poloxin inhibits the polo-box domain (PBD) interaction with an

Page 1 of 3 www.MedChemExpress.com apparent IC<sub>50</sub> of -4.8 μM. Poloxin exhibits a loose Plk1 PBD specificity with 4-10 times higher IC<sub>50</sub> values for Plk2 and Plk3, and does not significantly inhibit other types of phosphopeptide-binding domains such as FHA, WW, and SH2 domains<sup>[3]</sup>. MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

In Vivo

Poloxin (40 mg/kg) decreases the proliferation of MDA-MB-231 cells, and surpresses the growth of the tumor nude mice bearing established xenografts of MDA-MB-231<sup>[1]</sup>.

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#### **PROTOCOL**

Cell Assay [2]

Cell Viability Assay on treated cells in 96-well plates, based on viable cells. 20 µL of CellTiter-Blue®reagent is added to each well and then incubated at 37°C with 5% CO<sub>2</sub> for 4h before fluorescence reading using a Victor 1420 Multilabel Counter. All experiments are performed in triplicate and at least three independent experiments are performed. Data are presented as percentage compared with control.

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Animal
Administration [1]

Viable MDA-MB-231 or HeLa cells  $(1\times10^6)$  are resuspended in 300  $\mu$ L of 0.9% NaCl and s.c. injected into both flanks of nude mice (MDA-MB-231: n=8 mice in each group, total N=16; HeLa: n=7 mice in each group, total N=14). Approximately 3 weeks after inoculation, mice are treated with Poloxin (40 mg/kg) or TQ (20 mg/kg) by intratumoral injection on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays for 5 to 6 weeks. The tumor area is calculated by multiplication of the greatest diameter with the perpendicular diameter every 2 to 3 days. Measurements of all tumors within the group are represented by the mean value. U-tests and Student's t-tests are performed for statistical evaluation among MDA-MB-231 groups and between HeLa groups, respectively. All mice are properly treated in accordance with the guidelines of the local animal committee. MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

### **CUSTOMER VALIDATION**

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