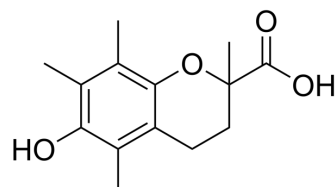


## Trolox

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|---------------------------|--|-------|----------|
| <b>Cat. No.:</b>          | HY-101445  |       |          |
| <b>CAS No.:</b>           | 53188-07-1   |       |          |
| <b>Molecular Formula:</b> | C <sub>14</sub> H <sub>18</sub> O <sub>4</sub>                       |       |          |
| <b>Molecular Weight:</b>  | 250.29   |       |          |
| <b>Target:</b>            | Reactive Oxygen Species; Apoptosis; Ferroptosis                      |       |          |
| <b>Pathway:</b>           | Immunology/Inflammation; Metabolic Enzyme/Protease; NF-κB; Apoptosis |       |          |
| <b>Storage:</b>           | Powder   | -20°C | 3 years  |
|                           |  | 4°C   | 2 years  |
|                           | In solvent   | -80°C | 1 year   |
|                           |  | -20°C | 6 months |



### SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

#### In Vitro

DMSO : ≥ 100 mg/mL (399.54 mM)  
 H<sub>2</sub>O : < 0.1 mg/mL (ultrasonic;warming;heat to 60°C) (insoluble)  
 \* "≥" means soluble, but saturation unknown.

| Preparing Stock Solutions | Solvent Concentration | Mass      |            |            |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|-----------|------------|------------|
|                           |                       | 1 mg      | 5 mg       | 10 mg      |
|                           | 1 mM                  | 3.9954 mL | 19.9768 mL | 39.9537 mL |
|                           | 5 mM                  | 0.7991 mL | 3.9954 mL  | 7.9907 mL  |
|                           | 10 mM                 | 0.3995 mL | 1.9977 mL  | 3.9954 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 (8.31 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline)  
Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (8.31 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil  
Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (8.31 mM); Clear solution

### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

#### Description

Trolox is an analogue of vitamin E with a powerful antioxidant effect. Trolox is also a powerful inhibitor of membrane damage<sup>[1][2]</sup>.

#### In Vitro

Trolox has shown to protect mammalian cells from oxidative damage. Trolox is effective in preventing myocyte necrosis in cell culture studies and in a canine model of two hours of left anterior descending coronary artery (LAD) occlusion followed

by four hours of reperfusion<sup>[1]</sup>.

?Trolox could prevent oxidative stress-induced apoptosis in thymocytes. Pre- or post-treatment of cells with Trolox reduced H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>-induced DNA fragmentation to control levels and below. <sup>[2]</sup>.

?Trolox is a hydrophilic analog of alpha-tocopherol and reported to scavenge peroxy radicals better than vitamin E in sodium dodecyl sulfate micelles and in liposomes. Trolox prolongs substantially the survival of human ventricular myocytes and hepatocyte against oxyradicals generated with xanthine oxidase plus hypoxanthine, and prevented lysis of red cells exposed to an azo-initiator<sup>[3]</sup>.

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## PROTOCOL

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

Thymocytes are treated with Trolox (10 mM) before, during, or after 10 min exposure to 10 μM H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>. Trolox incubations that are conducted before or after H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> exposures are performed in TCM. Trolox treatments that are administered concurrently with H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> are performed in PBS with ferrous sulfate<sup>[1]</sup>.

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