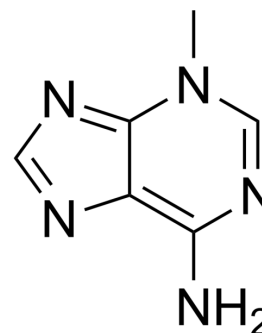


## 3-Methyladenine

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-19312		
<b>CAS No.:</b>	5142-23-4		
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>7</sub> N <sub>5</sub>		
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	149.15		
<b>Target:</b>	PI3K; Autophagy; Mitophagy; Endogenous Metabolite		
<b>Pathway:</b>	PI3K/Akt/mTOR; Autophagy; Metabolic Enzyme/Protease		
<b>Storage:</b>	Powder	-20°C	3 years
		4°C	2 years
	In solvent	-80°C	6 months
		-20°C	1 month



### SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

#### In Vitro

H<sub>2</sub>O : 5 mg/mL (33.52 mM; Need ultrasonic)  
 DMSO : 8.33 mg/mL (55.85 mM; Need ultrasonic)

	Solvent Concentration	Mass		
		1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
Preparing Stock Solutions	1 mM	6.7047 mL	33.5233 mL	67.0466 mL
	5 mM	1.3409 mL	6.7047 mL	13.4093 mL
	10 mM	0.6705 mL	3.3523 mL	6.7047 mL

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

#### In Vivo

- Add each solvent one by one: 50% PEG300 >> 50% saline  
 Solubility: 25 mg/mL (167.62 mM); Clear solution; Need ultrasonic and warming and heat to 50°C
- Add each solvent one by one: PBS  
 Solubility: 4 mg/mL (26.82 mM); Clear solution; Need ultrasonic

### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

#### Description

3-Methyladenine (3-MA) is a PI3K inhibitor. 3-Methyladenine is a widely used inhibitor of autophagy via its inhibitory effect on class III PI3K<sup>[1]</sup>.

#### IC<sub>50</sub> & Target

PtdIns3Ky 60 μM (IC <sub>50</sub> , Cell Assay)	Vps34 25 μM (IC <sub>50</sub> , Cell Assay)	Autophagy	Mitophagy
Human Endogenous Metabolite			

**In Vitro**

3-Methyladenine (0-10 mM; 0-48 hours) induces caspase-dependent cell death in HeLa cells in a time-and dose-dependent manner<sup>[2]</sup>.

3-Methyladenine (5 mM; 24 hours) suppresses autophagy in HeLa cells under both glucose-free conditions and normal conditions<sup>[2]</sup>.

3-Methyladenine (5 mM; 0-48 hours) suppresses conversion of LC3-I to LC3-II (autophagy markers) between 12hours and 48 hours, confirms the inhibitory effects on autophagy<sup>[2]</sup>.

3-Methyladenine induces cell death is independent of autophagy inhibition<sup>[2]</sup>.

3-Methyladenine significantly shortens the duration of nocodazole-induced-prometaphase arrest<sup>[2]</sup>.

Note:

The recommended concentration of 3-MA is approximately 0.5-10 mM in cell culture. DMSO stock solution is not recommended. We suggest that you can weigh out the amount of 3-MA you required before your experiment. Then please dissolve it in medium and sterilize with a 0.22 µm filter.

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#### Cell Viability Assay<sup>[2]</sup>

Cell Line:	HeLa cells
Concentration:	0 mM, 2.5 mM or 5 mM, 10 mM
Incubation Time:	0 hour, 24 hours and 48 hours
Result:	Decreased cell viability in a time-and dose-dependent manner, and was associated with caspase-3 activation.

#### Cell Autophagy Assay<sup>[2]</sup>

Cell Line:	HeLa cells
Concentration:	5 mM
Incubation Time:	24 hours
Result:	Suppressed autophagy in HeLa cells under both glucose-free conditions and normal conditions.

#### Western Blot Analysis<sup>[2]</sup>

Cell Line:	HeLa cells
Concentration:	5 mM
Incubation Time:	0 hour, 12 hours, 24 hours and 48 hours
Result:	Suppressed conversion of LC3-I to LC3-II between 12 hours and 48 hours.

**In Vivo**

3-Methyladenine (1.5 mg/100 g; intraperitoneal injection; 3-24 hours) treatment alleviates sodium taurocholate-induced severe acute pancreatitis (SAP) in rats at both 12 hours and 24 hours<sup>[3]</sup>.

3-Methyladenine inhibits autophagy of pancreatic acinar cells in sodium taurocholate-induced SAP<sup>[3]</sup>.

3-Methyladenine also shows inhibitory effects on PI3K/Akt signaling pathway and NF-κB signaling pathway in sodium taurocholate-induced SAP<sup>[3]</sup>.

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Animal Model:	10–12 weeks Specific pathogen free- (SPF-) grade healthy male Sprague-Dawley (SD) rats (250–290 g) <sup>[3]</sup>
Dosage:	1.5 mg/100 g (1000 µM)

Administration:	Intraperitoneal injection
Result:	Alleviated Sodium Taurocholate-Induced SAP.

## CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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