Proteins

Inhibitors

Product Data Sheet

Azaserine

Cat. No.: HY-B0919 CAS No.: 115-02-6 Molecular Formula: $C_5H_7N_3O_4$ Molecular Weight: 173.13

Target: Bacterial; Antibiotic; DNA/RNA Synthesis Pathway: Anti-infection; Cell Cycle/DNA Damage Storage: -20°C, sealed storage, away from moisture

* In solvent: -80°C, 6 months; -20°C, 1 month (sealed storage, away from moisture)

SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

In Vitro

H₂O: 50 mg/mL (288.80 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	5.7760 mL	28.8800 mL	57.7601 mL
	5 mM	1.1552 mL	5.7760 mL	11.5520 mL
	10 mM	0.5776 mL	2.8880 mL	5.7760 mL

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

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description	Azazerine (CI-337) is a competitive inhibitor of glutamine amidotransferase. Azaserine is an antibiotic, it shows antibacterial activities. Azazerine shows anti-tumor activities and it may also act as a tumor inducer. Azazerine can be used for the research of cancer and infection ^{[1][2][3][4][5]} .
In Vitro	Azaserine (100 μ g/mL; 6 h) causes some specific types of morphological changes of the sensitive organisms such as the characteristic elongation of Candida albicans cells ^[2] .

?Azaserine (0-10 µM) inhibits the growth of E. coli strains with MIC values of 12.11, 51.9, 69.2 and 69.2 µg/mL for UTH 4, UTH 7036, UTH 7048 and UTH 7049^[3].

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Azaserine (5 mg/kg; i.p. once or twice a week for 6 months) induces tumor in rats $^{[1]}$.

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Animal Model:	Wistar rats $^{[1]}$
Dosage:	5 mg/kg

In Vivo

Administration:	Intraperitoneal injection; 5 mg/kg once or twice a week for 6 month
Result:	After 1 year most pancreases from treated rats were diffusely abnormal and contained many hyperplastic nodules and adenomas and more than rats one-quarter showed
	pancreatic adenocarcinoma.

CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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