

# **Product** Data Sheet

# Diazoxide

Cat. No.: HY-B1140 CAS No.: 364-98-7 Molecular Formula:  $C_8H_7ClN_2O_2S$  Molecular Weight: 230.67

Target: Potassium Channel; Autophagy

Pathway: Membrane Transporter/Ion Channel; Autophagy

Storage: 4°C, protect from light

\* In solvent : -80°C, 6 months; -20°C, 1 month (protect from light)

## **SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY**

**In Vitro** DMSO : ≥ 35 mg/mL (151.73 mM)

\* "≥" means soluble, but saturation unknown.

| Preparing<br>Stock Solutions | Solvent Mass<br>Concentration | 1 mg      | 5 mg       | 10 mg      |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------|-----------|------------|------------|
|                              | 1 mM                          | 4.3352 mL | 21.6760 mL | 43.3520 mL |
|                              | 5 mM                          | 0.8670 mL | 4.3352 mL  | 8.6704 mL  |
|                              | 10 mM                         | 0.4335 mL | 2.1676 mL  | 4.3352 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:  $\geq$  2.08 mg/mL (9.02 mM); Clear solution
- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (9.02 mM); Clear solution

## **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

| Description | Diazoxide (Sch-6783) is an ATP-sensitive potassium channel activator, has the potential for hyperinsulinism treatment.   |
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| In Vitro    | Diazoxide (Sch-6783) has a number of physiological effects, including lowering the blood pressure and rectifying hypoglycemia. Diazoxide has powerful protective properties against cardiac ischemia <sup>[1]</sup> .  Diazoxide (Sch-6783) could protect NSC-34 neurons against the main sources of neurodegenerative damage. Diazoxide increases Nrf2 nuclear translocation in NSC-34 motoneurons and prevents endogenous oxidative damage <sup>[2]</sup> .  MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only. |
| In Vivo     | Diazoxide (Sch-6783) attenuates postresuscitation brain injury, protects mitochondrial function, inhibits brain cell apoptosis, and activates the PKC pathway by opening mitoKATP channels <sup>[3]</sup> .  |

Treatment with Diazoxide (Sch-6783) in wild-type mice decreases intraocular pressure (IOP) by 21.5 $\pm$ 3.2% with an absolute IOP reduction of 3.9  $\pm$  0.6 mm Hg<sup>[4]</sup>.

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## **PROTOCOL**

### Cell Assay [2]

Diazoxide is dissolved in DMSO to prepare 50 mM stock solution. NSC-34 cells are allowed to differentiate for 8 weeks under reduced serum conditions and then seeded in 24-well plates. Glutamate is dissolved in culture medium and added to cultures at concentration of 10  $\mu$ M for 24 h. Cell treatment with 100  $\mu$ M diazoxide starts 2 h before glutamate exposure. Cell viability is measured by the MTT assay<sup>[2]</sup>.

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# Animal Administration [3][4]

Rats: Adult male Sprague-Dawley rats with induced cerebral ischemia (n=10 per group) receive an intraperitoneal injection of 0.1% DMSO (1 mL; vehicle group), diazoxide (10 mg/kg; DZ group), or diazoxide (10 mg/kg) plus 5-hydroxydecanoate (5 mg/kg; DZ + 5-HD group) 30 min after CPR. The control group (sham group, n=5) undergoes sham operation, without cardiac arrest. Mitochondrial respiratory control rate (RCR) is determined. Brain cell apoptosis is assessed using TUNEL staining. Expression of Bcl-2, Bax, and protein kinase C epsilon (PKCε) in the cerebral cortex is determined by Western blotting and immunohistochemistry<sup>[3]</sup>.

Mouse: Diazoxide is prepared by diluting a 100 mM stock solution in 10% polyethoxylated castor oil in PBS. In C57BL/6 wild-type and Kir6.2 $^{(-/-)}$  mice, a 5  $\mu$ L drop of 5 mM diazoxide is topically administered to one eye of each mouse while the fellow control eye received vehicle (DMSO and 10% polyethoxylated castor oil in the same proportion as the treated eye). IOP is measured daily at 1 hour, 4 hours, and 23 hours following treatment. Treatment with diazoxide and vehicle is continued daily for 14 consecutive days<sup>[4]</sup>.

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### **CUSTOMER VALIDATION**

- Redox Biol. 15 October 2021, 102168.
- Cell Biol Int. 2020 Jun;44(6):1353-1362.
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