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Product Data Sheet

Lecithin

Cat. No.: HY-B2235 CAS No.: 8002-43-5 Molecular Formula: C₄₂H₈₀NO₈P Molecular Weight: 758.06

Target: **Endogenous Metabolite** Pathway: Metabolic Enzyme/Protease

Storage: Powder -20°C 3 years

> 4°C 2 years -80°C In solvent 6 months

> > -20°C 1 month

SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

In Vitro

H₂O: 10 mg/mL (13.19 mM; Need ultrasonic)

DMSO: 5 mg/mL (6.60 mM; ultrasonic and warming and heat to 60°C) Ethanol: < 1 mg/mL (ultrasonic; warming; heat to 60°C) (insoluble)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	1.3192 mL	6.5958 mL	13.1916 mL
	5 mM	0.2638 mL	1.3192 mL	2.6383 mL
	10 mM	0.1319 mL	0.6596 mL	1.3192 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: ≥ 0.5 mg/mL (0.66 mM); Clear solution
- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 0.5 mg/mL (0.66 mM); Clear solution
- 3. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 0.5 mg/mL (0.66 mM); Clear solution

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description Lecithin is regarded as a safe, conventional phospholipid source. Phospholipids are reported to alter the fatty acid

composition and microstructure of the membranes in animal cells.

IC₅₀ & Target Microbial Metabolite Human Endogenous Metabolite

In Vitro

After culturing in MRS broth with 0.2 to 1.0% soy Lecithin, the survival rate of harvested cells increases significantly (P<0.05) in the 0.3% bile challenge compare with the no added soy Lecithin group. The cells incubated with 0.6% soy Lecithin are able to grow in an MRS broth with a higher bile salt content. The cell surface hydrophobicity is enhanced and the membrane integrity in the bile challenge increases after culturing with soy Lecithin. A shift in the fatty acid composition is also observed, illustrating the cell membrane changes in the soy Lecithin culture^[1].

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PROTOCOL

Cell Assay [1]

MRS broths are supplemented with soy Lecithin concentrations of 0, 0.2, 0.4, 0.6, 0.8 and 1.0%. Each broth is inoculated with a tested strain culture (2%, v/v) and anaerobically incubated at 37°C for 20 h. After incubation, the bacterium cells are harvested by centrifugation at 8000 g for 10 min at 4°C and washed twice in PBS (pH 6.5) plus ethanol (5%, v/v). Strain bile resistance is assessed. The numbers of viable cells are counted by the pouring plate method, and each batch is tested three times^[1].

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CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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