Hydrocortisone

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Cat. No.:	HY-N0583
CAS No.:	50-23-7
Molecular Formula:	C ₂₁ H ₃₀ O ₅
Molecular Weight:	362.46
Target:	Glucocorticoid Receptor; Endogenous Metabolite
Pathway:	Immunology/Inflammation; Vitamin D Related/Nuclear Receptor; Metabolic Enzyme/Protease
Storage:	4°C, protect from light * In solvent : -80°C, 6 months; -20°C, 1 month (protect from light)



Product Data Sheet

SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

In Vitro DMSO : : H₂O : < 0 * "≥" me Preparin Stock So	DMSO : ≥ 31 mg/mL (85.53 mM) H ₂ O : < 0.1 mg/mL (insoluble) * "≥" means soluble, but saturation unknown.						
	Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg		
		1 mM	2.7589 mL	13.7946 mL	27.5893 mL		
		5 mM	0.5518 mL	2.7589 mL	5.5179 mL		
		10 mM	0.2759 mL	1.3795 mL	2.7589 mL		
	Please refer to the sol	ubility information to select the ap	propriate solvent.				
In Vivo	 Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.90 mM); Clear solution Add each solvent one by one: 5% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 50% saline 						
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	4. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (5.74 mM); Clear solution						
	5. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (5.74 mM); Clear solution						

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description

Hydrocortisone (Cortisol) is a steroid hormone or glucocorticoid secreted by the adrenal cortex^[1].

IC ₅₀ & Target	Human Endogenous Metabolite
In Vitro	Hydrocortisone (50 nM) shows a dose-dependent down-regulation of GR transcript in hCMEC/D3 cells. Hydrocortisone supplementation of the serum-reduced cell differentiation medium leads to a significant increase in TER across the hCMEC/D3 monolayer ^[1] . Hydrocortisone-treated Dendritic cells (DCs) show a decreased expression of MHC II molecules, the costimulatory molecule CD86, and the DC-specific marker CD83, as well as a strongly reduced IL-12 secretion. Hydrocortisone-treated DCs inhibit production of IFN-γ but induce an increased release of IL-4 and no change in IL-5 ^[2] . Hydrocortisone reduces postischemic oxidative stress, perfusion pressure, and transudate formation. Hydrocortisone inhibits postischemic shedding of syndecan-1, heparan sulfate, and hyaluronan as is release of histamine from resident mast cells ^[3] . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

PROTOCOL

Cell Assay [1]Cells are plated on top of collagen IV-coated transwell chambers for six-well plates (24 mm diameter, membrane material:
polyethylene terephthalate (PET), 0.4 μm pores, pore density 1.6×10⁶ cm²) at densities of 2.5×10⁴ cells cm² per well. When
they have reached confluence at day 5, the different experimental sets of cells are transferred to differentiation medium
containing reduced amounts of FCS and treated with TNFα or hydrocortisone as indicated.
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CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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