Product Data Sheet

Idebenone

Cat. No.: HY-N0303 CAS No.: 58186-27-9Molecular Formula: $C_{19}H_{30}O_5$ Molecular Weight: 338.44

Target: Apoptosis; Mitochondrial Metabolism

Pathway: Apoptosis; Metabolic Enzyme/Protease

Storage: Powder -20°C 3 years

4°C 2 years

In solvent -80°C 1 year

-20°C 6 months

SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

In Vitro

DMSO : ≥ 100 mg/mL (295.47 mM)

* "≥" means soluble, but saturation unknown.

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	2.9547 mL	14.7737 mL	29.5473 mL
	5 mM	0.5909 mL	2.9547 mL	5.9095 mL
	10 mM	0.2955 mL	1.4774 mL	2.9547 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: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (7.39 mM); Clear solution
- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (7.39 mM); Clear solution
- 3. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (7.39 mM); Clear solution

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description

Idebenone, a well-appreciated mitochondrial protectant, exhibits protective efficacy against neurotoxicity and can be used for the research of Alzheimer's disease, Huntington's disease. Idebenone (oxidised form) has a dose-dependent inhibitory effect on the enzymatic metabolism of arachidonic acid in astroglial homogenates ($IC_{50}=16.65 \mu M$)^[1]. Idebenone, a coenzyme Q10 analog and an antioxidant, induces apoptotic cell death in the human dopaminergic neuroblastoma SHSY-5Y cells^[2]. Idebenone quickly crosses the blood-brain barrier.

In Vitro

Idebenone, a compound with protective efficacy against neurotoxicity both in in vitro and in in vivo models, exists in two different oxidative states: the ubiquinol-derivative (reduced idebenone) and the ubiquinone-derivative (oxidised idebenone) [1].

Idebenone (oxidised form) preferentially inhibits cyclooxygenase vs. lipoxygenase metabolism (IC $_{50}$ ratio lipoxygenase/cyclooxygenase: 3.22)^[1].

Idebenone (oxidised form) behaves similarly as indomethacin and piroxicam—two typical anti-inflammatory agents ^[1]. Idebenone (oxidised form) inhibits total arachidonic acid metabolism, cyclooxygenase metabolism, lipoxygenase metabolism, lipoxygenase with IC₅₀s of 16.65 \pm 3.48, 14.44 \pm 2.99, 46.51 \pm 7.20, and 3.22 μ M^[1]. Idebenone (1-10 μ M; for 24-72 h) has no effect on the cell viability of SHSY-5Y cells ^[2].

Idebenone (25 μ M or higher concentrations; for 24-72 h) shows significant reduction in cell viability of SHSY-5Y cells^[2]. Idebenone (30 μ M) induces up-regulation of BAX expression and the caspase-3 activity^[2].

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Cell Viability Assay^[2]

Cell Line:	The human dopaminergic neuroblastma cell line, SHSY-5Y cells
Concentration:	1, 3, 10, 15, 25, 30, and 90 μM
Incubation Time:	24, 48, and 72 hours
Result:	Had no apparent detrimental effects on cell viability as indicated by the absence of trypan blue-positive staining in the cells at concentrations of 1, 3, 10 μ M. Exhibited some degree of trypan blue-positive staining at 15 μ M. Showed extensive trypan blue-positive staining at 25 μ M and 30 μ M.

RT-PCR^[2]

Cell Line:	SHSY-5Y cells
Concentration:	10 μΜ, 30 μΜ
Incubation Time:	72 hours
Result:	The total RNA of BAX from SHSY-5Y cells exposed to 10 μ M was not different from that of the untreated control cells. The BAX expression in SHSY-5Y cells exposed to 30 μ M was significantly up-regulated when compared with the untreated control cells and cells exposed to 10 μ M.

In Vivo

Idebenone (oxidised form) is a compound with protective efficacy against cerebrovascular disorders in vivo, including cerebral ischemia and hypertension-induced vascular lesions^[1].

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CUSTOMER VALIDATION

- Mater Design. 2024 Apr 25:112972
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