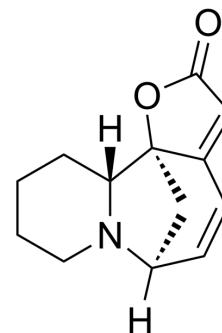


## (-)-Securinine

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-N2079		
<b>CAS No.:</b>	5610-40-2		
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>13</sub> H <sub>15</sub> NO <sub>2</sub>		
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	217.26		
<b>Target:</b>	GABA Receptor		
<b>Pathway:</b>	Membrane Transporter/Ion Channel; Neuronal Signaling		
<b>Storage:</b>	Powder	-20°C	3 years
		4°C	2 years
	In solvent	-80°C	2 years
		-20°C	1 year



### SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

#### In Vitro

DMSO : 2 mg/mL (9.21 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Concentration	Solvent	Mass		
		1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
1 mM		4.6028 mL	23.0139 mL	46.0278 mL
5 mM		0.9206 mL	4.6028 mL	9.2056 mL
10 mM		---	---	---

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

### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

#### Description

(-)-Securinine is plant-derived alkaloid and also a GABA<sub>A</sub> receptor antagonist.

#### IC<sub>50</sub> & Target

GABA<sub>A</sub> receptor<sup>[1]</sup>

#### In Vitro

(-)-Securinine is a major plant-derived alkaloid and also a GABA<sub>A</sub> receptor antagonist. (-)-Securinine is significantly potent on HeLa cells growth inhibition with IC<sub>50</sub> values of 7.02±0.52 µg/mL (32.3 µM). (-)-Securinine induces apoptosis in a dose-dependent manner in the tested cells, increases the percentage of ROS positive cells and depolarized cells as well as stimulates the activity of ERK1/2, caspase-9 and -3/7. (-)-Securinine also induces cell cycle arrest in S phase. Real-time PCR analysis shows high expression of tumor necrosis factor receptor superfamily (TNFRSF) genes in the cells stimulated with (-)-Securinine<sup>[1]</sup>.

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#### In Vivo

In this tumor model, tumor growth is significantly impaired with (-)-Securinine treatment indicating that (-)-Securinine has potential as an Acute Myeloid Leukemia (AML) therapeutic. (-)-Securinine treated mice (n=5 mice, bilateral tumors), exhibit an average of more than 75% smaller tumors than vehicle treated mice at the end of the study period<sup>[2]</sup>.

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## PROTOCOL

### Kinase Assay <sup>[1]</sup>

The cells are seeded in 12-well plates ( $1 \times 10^5$ /well) and treated with (-)-Securinine at concentrations of 1.0 to 50.0  $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ . The control cells are exposed to DMSO at a concentration of 0.5% (v/v). After 6 h and 24 h of exposure, the activity of caspase-9 is measured by Caspase-Glo 9 Assay Kit and Glomax Multi+ Detection System, according to the manufacturer's instruction. The activity of caspase-3/7 is assessed after 24 h of exposure the cells to (-)-Securinine. Then the cells are harvested and prepared using Muse Caspase-3/7 Assay Kit according with the manufacturer's protocol. The stained cells are analyzed by Muse Cell Analyzer. The experiments are performed at least in three independent repeats<sup>[1]</sup>.  
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### Cell Assay <sup>[1]</sup>

The viability of the cells is determined by MTT assay. HeLa cells are seeded in 96-well plates at a density of  $5 \times 10^3$  cells/well and treated for 24 h with (-)-Securinine in the concentration range of 1.0 to 20.0  $\mu\text{g}/\text{mL}$ . The maximal concentrations of the solvents used in all the MTT experiments are 5.0% (v/v) and 1.0% (v/v) for methanol and DMSO, respectively. The absorption of the obtained formazan solution is measured with a plate reader. The viability results are presented as  $\text{IC}_{50}$  mean values of at least three independent experiments<sup>[1]</sup>.  
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### Animal Administration <sup>[2]</sup>

6 week old female nude mice are used and injected bilaterally s.c. with  $10 \times 10^6$  HL-60 cells. (-)-Securinine treatment is started 10 days after tumor cell injection. Palpable tumors are present for the established tumor model prior to initiating drug treatment. 15 mg/kg of (-)-Securinine or vehicle (30  $\mu\text{L}$  of DMSO and 70  $\mu\text{L}$  of water) are injected i.p. 2 or 3 times a day for 5 days followed by once a day for two days. This injection schedule is repeated for two additional weeks<sup>[2]</sup>.  
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