**Proteins** 

# Inhibitors

### Merestinib

Cat. No.: HY-15514 CAS No.: 1206799-15-6 Molecular Formula:  $C_{30}H_{22}F_{2}N_{6}O_{3}$ Molecular Weight: 552.53

Target: c-Met/HGFR; FLT3; ROS Kinase; Discoidin Domain Receptor

Pathway: Protein Tyrosine Kinase/RTK Powder -20°C Storage: 3 years

In solvent

4°C 2 years -80°C 2 years

-20°C 1 year

**Product** Data Sheet

#### **SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY**

In Vitro

DMSO: ≥ 32 mg/mL (57.92 mM)

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

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	1.8099 mL	9.0493 mL	18.0986 mL
	5 mM	0.3620 mL	1.8099 mL	3.6197 mL
	10 mM	0.1810 mL	0.9049 mL	1.8099 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: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (3.76 mM); Clear solution
- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (3.76 mM); Clear solution
- 3. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (3.76 mM); Clear solution

#### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

Description Merestinib (LY2801653) is a potent, orally bioavailable c-Met inhibitor (K<sub>i</sub>=2 nM) with anti-tumor activities. Merestinib (LY2801653) also has potent activity against MST1R (IC $_{50}$ =11 nM), FLT3 (IC $_{50}$ =7 nM), AXL (IC $_{50}$ =2 nM), MERTK (IC $_{50}$ =10 nM), TEK (IC<sub>50</sub>=63 nM), ROS1, DDR1/2 (IC<sub>50</sub>=0.1/7 nM) and MKNK1/2 (IC<sub>50</sub>=7 nM)<sup>[1][2]</sup>.

Ki: 2 nM (c-Met)<sup>[1]</sup> IC<sub>50</sub> & Target

IC50: 11 nM (MST1R), 7 nM (FLT3), 2 nM (AXL), 10 nM (MERTK), 63 nM (TEK), 0.1/7 nM (DDR1/2), 7 nM (MKNK1/2) $^{[1]}$ 

#### In Vitro

Merestinib (LY2801653) demonstrates effects on MET pathway-dependent cell scattering and cell proliferation. The mean IC  $_{50}$  value (n=6 determinations) of Merestinib (LY2801653) for inhibition of MET auto-phosphorylation in HGF-stimulated H460 cells is 35.2±6.9 nM and the IC $_{50}$  for MET auto-phosphorylation in S114 cells is 59.2 nM. Merestinib (LY2801653) also inhibits MST1R (IC $_{50}$ =11 nM), AXL (IC $_{50}$ =2 nM), MERTK (IC $_{50}$ =10 nM), TYRO3 (IC $_{50}$ =28 nM), ROS1, PDGFRA (IC $_{50}$ =41 nM), FLT3 (IC $_{50}$ =7 nM), TEK (IC $_{50}$ =63 nM), DDR1/2 (IC $_{50}$ =0.1/7 nM) and MKNK1/2 (IC $_{50}$ =7 nM) $_{10}$ [1].

Transfection with the MET variants confers growth-factor independence and treatment with Merestinib (LY2801653) inhibits growth of these MET variant clones with an IC $_{50}$  ranging from 3-fold more potent (V1092I) to approximately 6-fold less potent (L1195V) compare with the growth inhibition of cells with the MET wild-type sequence<sup>[1]</sup>. Merestinib (LY2801653) (2, 5, and 10  $\mu$ M) reduces the number of viable TFK-1 and SZ-1 cells in a dose and time dependent manner, and significant inhibits wound healing for TFK-1 and SZ-1 cell lines. Merestinib (LY2801653) inhibits cell invasion in TFK-1 and SZ-1 cells in a concentration dependent manner<sup>[2]</sup>.

MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

#### In Vivo

Merestinib (LY2801653) demonstrates anti-tumor effects in MET amplified (MKN45), MET autocrine (U-87MG, and KP4) and MET over-expressed (H441) xenograft models; and in vivo vessel normalization effects. Merestinib (LY2801653) is a type-II ATP competitive, slow-off inhibitor of MET tyrosine kinase with a pharmacodynamic residence time ( $K_{off}$ ) of 0.00132 min<sup>-1</sup> and  $t_{1/2}$  of 525 min. Merestinib (LY2801653) treatment inhibits MET phosphorylation with a composite TED50 (50 % target inhibition dose) of 1.2 mg/kg and a composite TED90 (90 % target inhibition dose) of 7.4 mg/kg<sup>[1]</sup>. Merestinib (LY2801653) (20 mg/kg) reduces TFK-1 tumor growth significantly relative to vehicle control. Merestinib (LY2801653) inhibits the growth of intra- and extrahepatic CCC xenograft tumors<sup>[2]</sup>.

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#### **PROTOCOL**

#### Cell Assay [1]

H460 cells are cultured in RPMI media supplemented with 10% FBS and plated (prior to becoming 70% confluent) in 96-well plates at 20,000 cells/well and are incubated overnight at 37°C. The next day, the cells are incubated with RPMI-1640 in low serum (0.5% FBS) for 2 hours prior to treatment with Merestinib (LY2801653). Thirty minutes after the addition of Merestinib (LY2801653), HGF at a final concentration of 100ng/mL is added. After a 10-minute incubation, cell lysates are prepared and pMET is quantified. Relative IC<sub>50</sub> values are determined using MSD activity units by calculating the percentage of inhibition with respect to on-plate MIN (unstimulated) and MAX controls and then fitting the percentage-of-inhibition values and 10-point dose response data to a 4-parameter logistic equation using ActivityBase<sup>[1]</sup>.

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## Animal Administration [1]

#### Mice<sup>[1]</sup>

S114 cells are implanted subcutaneously onto female athymic nude mice. For dose response evaluation, on day 8 after the implantation, Merestinib is given at a range of 0.75 mg/kg to 100 mg/kg (n=8 per dose group). At 2 hours after dose, blood samples and tumors are collected and flash frozen. For time course study, Merestinib is given at 12 mg/kg (n=10 per time point). Animals are sacrificed at 2, 8, 16, and 24 hours after dose, and blood samples and tumors are collected. pMET is measured in the S114 tumor lysates using the MSD ELISA assay. Lysates are prepared from pulverized frozen tumor tissue, and homogenized with Lysing Matrix D beads, with addition of RIPA lysis buffer containing phosphatase and protease inhibitors. Protein concentration is determined using the DC protein assay kit. The pMET MSD ELISA assay is performed. MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

#### **CUSTOMER VALIDATION**

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