# **Product** Data Sheet

## **Abacavir**

Cat. No.: HY-17423 CAS No.: 136470-78-5 Molecular Formula:  $C_{14}H_{18}N_6O$ Molecular Weight: 286.33

Target: HIV; Reverse Transcriptase; Apoptosis; Telomerase

Pathway: Anti-infection; Apoptosis; Cell Cycle/DNA Damage

Storage: Powder -20°C 3 years

4°C 2 years

In solvent -80°C 2 years

-20°C 1 year

### **SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY**

In Vitro

DMSO: 100 mg/mL (349.25 mM; Need ultrasonic) H<sub>2</sub>O: 2 mg/mL (6.98 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	3.4925 mL	17.4624 mL	34.9247 mL
	5 mM	0.6985 mL	3.4925 mL	6.9849 mL
	10 mM	0.3492 mL	1.7462 mL	3.4925 mL

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

In Vivo

- Add each solvent one by one: PBS Solubility: 3.33 mg/mL (11.63 mM); Clear solution; Need ultrasonic and warming
- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (8.73 mM); Clear solution
- 3. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (8.73 mM); Clear solution
- 4. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (8.73 mM); Clear solution

## **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

Description

Abacavir is an orally active and competitive nucleoside reverse transcriptase inhibitor. Abacavir can inhibits the replication of HIV. Abacavir shows anticancer activity in prostate cancer cell lines. Abacavir can trespass the blood-brain-barrier and suppresses telomerase activity<sup>[1][2][3]</sup>.

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Abacavir (15 and 150  $\mu$ M, 0-120 h) inhibits cell growth, affects cell cycle progression, induces senescence and modulates LINE-1 mRNA expression in prostate cancer cell lines<sup>[1]</sup>.

Abacavir (15 and 150  $\mu$ M, 18 h) significantly reduces cell migration and inhibits cell invasion [1].

Abacavir induces fat apoptosis<sup>[4]</sup>.

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Cell Proliferation Assay<sup>[1]</sup>

Cell Line:	PC3, LNCaP and WI-38		
Concentration:	15 and 150 μM		
Incubation Time:	0, 24, 48, 72 and 96 h		
Result:	Showed a dose-dependent growth inhibition on PC3 and LNCaP.		
Cell Cycle Analysis <sup>[1]</sup>			
Cell Line:	PC3 and LNCaP		
Concentration:	150 μΜ		
Incubation Time:	0, 18, 24, 48, 72, 96 and 120 h		
Result:	Caused a very high accumulation of cells in S phase in PC3 and LNCaP cells, and G2/M phase increment was observed in PC3 cells.		
Cell Migration Assay <sup>[1]</sup>			
Cell Line:	PC3 and LNCaP		
Concentration:	15 and 150 μM		
ncubation Time:	18 h		
Result:	Significantly reduced cell migration.		
Cell Invasion Assay <sup>[1]</sup>			
Cell Line:	PC3 and LNCaP		
Concentration:	15 and 150 μM		
Incubation Time:	18 h		
Result:	Significantly inhibited cell invision.		

#### In Vivo

Abacavir (100 and 200 mg/kg, p.o.; 4 h) dose-dependently promoted thrombus formation<sup>[2]</sup>.

Abacavir (50 mg/kg/d; i.p.; 14 d) with 0.1 mg/kg/d Decitabine (HY-A0004) enhances survival of high-risk medulloblastoma-bearing mice  $^{[3]}$ .

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Animal Model:	Male mice (9-weeks old, 22-30 g) - wild-type (WT) C57BL/6 or homozygous knockout (P2rx7 KO, B6.129P2-P2rx7 <sup>tm1Gab</sup> /J) <sup>[2]</sup>
Dosage:	2.5, 5 and 7.5 μg/mL, 100 μL or 100 and 200 mg/kg
Administration:	Intrascrotal or oral administration for 4 h

Result:	Dose-dependently promoted thrombus formation.		
Animal Model:	NSG <sup>TM</sup> mice, patient-derived xenograft (PDX) cells of non-WNT/non-SHH, Group 3 and of SHH/ TP53-mutated medulloblastoma <sup>[3]</sup>		
Dosage:	50 mg/kg/d with 0.1 mg/kg/d Decitabine		
Administration:	Intraperitoneal injection, daily for 14 days		
Result:	Inhibited tumor growth and enhanced mouse survival.		

# **CUSTOMER VALIDATION**

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