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Cephalexin

Cat. No.: HY-B0200 CAS No.: 15686-71-2 Molecular Formula: $C_{16}H_{17}N_3O_4S$

347.39 Molecular Weight:

Target: Bacterial; Antibiotic; Penicillin-binding protein (PBP)

Pathway: Anti-infection

Powder -20°C Storage: 3 years

2 years

In solvent -80°C 2 years

> -20°C 1 year

Product Data Sheet

SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

In Vitro

H₂O: 10 mg/mL (28.79 mM; Need ultrasonic and warming)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	2.8786 mL	14.3930 mL	28.7861 mL
	5 mM	0.5757 mL	2.8786 mL	5.7572 mL
	10 mM	0.2879 mL	1.4393 mL	2.8786 mL

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

In Vivo

1. Add each solvent one by one: PBS

Solubility: 25 mg/mL (71.97 mM); Clear solution; Need ultrasonic and warming

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description

Cephalexin (Cefalexin) is a potent, orally active semisynthetic cephalosporin antibiotic with a broad antibacterial spectrum. Cephalexin has antibacterial activity against a wide variety of gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria. Cephalexin targets penicillin-binding proteins (PBPs) to inhibit bacterial cell wall assembly. Cephalexin is used for the research of pneumonia, strep throat, and bacterial endocarditis, et al^{[1][2]}.

IC₅₀ & Target

β-lactam

In Vitro

Cephalexin (10 µg/mL) disrupts polymer peptidoglycan (PG) biogenesis by inactivating enzymes called penicillin-binding proteins (PBPs)[1].

Cephalexin inhibits a broad spectrum of grampositive and gram-negative organisms with MIC values of 2, 2, 2, 4, 4.4 and 5.7 μg/mL for Bacillus anthracis, Edwardsiella taFda, Vibrio cholera, Pasteurella multocida, Edwardsiella tarda, Alcaligenes sp and Proteus rettgeri, respectively^[2].

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In Vivo	Cephalexin (0-50 mg/kg; p.o.; for 3.5 hours) has antibacterial activity in male Swiss-Webster mice with infected bacterial [2]. MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.		
	Animal Model:	Male Swiss-Webster mice with infected bacterial ^[2]	
	Dosage:	0-50 mg/kg	
	Administration:	Oral administration; for 3.5 hours	
	Result:	Had antibacterial activity against Streptococcus pyogenes, Streptococcus pneumoniae, Staphylococcus aureus and several gram-negative species mice.	

CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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