Diosgenin

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Cat. No.:	HY-N0177				
CAS No.:	512-04-9				
Molecular Formula:	C ₂₇ H ₄₂ O ₃				
Molecular Weight:	414.62				
Target:	STAT; MicroRNA				
Pathway:	JAK/STAT Signaling; Stem Cell/Wnt; Epigenetics				
Storage:	Powder	-20°C	3 years		
		4°C	2 years		
	In solvent	-80°C	2 years		
		-20°C	1 year		

SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

In Vitro	Ethanol : 3.33 mg/mL (8.03 mM; Need ultrasonic) DMSO : < 1 mg/mL (insoluble or slightly soluble) H ₂ O : < 0.1 mg/mL (ultrasonic;warming;heat to 60°C) (insoluble)						
	Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg		
		1 mM	2.4118 mL	12.0592 mL	24.1185 mL		
		5 mM	0.4824 mL	2.4118 mL	4.8237 mL		
	10 mM						
	Please refer to the solubility information to select the appropriate solvent.						
In Vivo	1. Add each solvent one by one: corn oil Solubility: 2.5 mg/mL (6.03 mM); Suspended solution; Need ultrasonic						
	2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% EtOH >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline Solubility: ≥ 0.67 mg/mL (1.62 mM); Clear solution						
	3. Add each solvent one by one: 10% EtOH >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 0.67 mg/mL (1.62 mM); Clear solution						
	4. Add each solvent one by one: 10% EtOH >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 0.67 mg/mL (1.62 mM); Clear solution						

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description

Diosgenin, a steroidal saponin, can inhibit STAT3 signaling pathway^[1]. Diosgenin is an exogenous activator of Pdia3/ERp57 ^[2]. Diosgenin inhibits aortic atherosclerosis progression by suppressing macrophage miR-19b expression^[5].

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IC ₅₀ & Target	STAT3
In Vitro	In MC65 cells, a cellular AD model, diosgenin exhibited weak protective abilities at 1 μM, may represent a good candidate as a steroidal moiety in our bivalent compounds against AD pathology ^[3] . Diosgenin inhibits the constitutive activation of STAT3 in C3A cells in a dose-dependent manner, with maximum inhibition occurring at around 100 μM ^[1] . Diosgenin (10 μM; 24 h) significantly decreases the levels of miR-19b in foam cells ^[5] . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.
In Vivo	Diosgenin treatment significantly reduces fasted and refed blood glucose level in HF dietfed mice. Diosgenin treatment significantly reduces blood glucose level in IPGTT test, compared with that of HF diet-fed mice ^[4] . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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