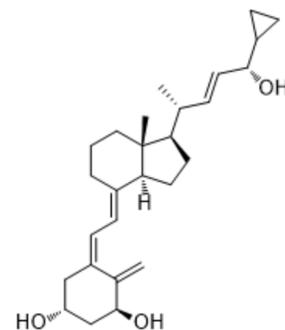


## Calcipotriol

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-10001
<b>CAS No.:</b>	112965-21-6
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>27</sub> H <sub>40</sub> O <sub>3</sub>
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	412.60
<b>Target:</b>	VD/VDR
<b>Pathway:</b>	Vitamin D Related/Nuclear Receptor
<b>Storage:</b>	-20°C, protect from light, stored under nitrogen * The compound is unstable in solutions, freshly prepared is recommended.



### SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

#### In Vitro

DMSO : 100 mg/mL (242.37 mM; Need ultrasonic)  
Ethanol : 50 mg/mL (121.18 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Concentration	Mass		
		1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	2.4237 mL	12.1183 mL	24.2365 mL
	5 mM	0.4847 mL	2.4237 mL	4.8473 mL
	10 mM	0.2424 mL	1.2118 mL	2.4237 mL

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

#### In Vivo

- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline  
Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.06 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline)  
Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.06 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil  
Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.06 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% EtOH >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline  
Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.06 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% EtOH >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline)  
Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.06 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% EtOH >> 90% corn oil  
Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.06 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 5% DMSO >> 95% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline)  
Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (6.06 mM); Clear solution

### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

<b>Description</b>	Calcipotriol is a synthetic VitD <sub>3</sub> analogue with a high affinity for the vitamin D receptor.
<b>IC<sub>50</sub> &amp; Target</b>	Vitamin D receptor <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>In Vitro</b>	<p>When NHEK cells are not stimulated with IL-17A or IL-22, Calcipotriol slightly enhances (0.2 nM) IL-8 mRNA expression or has no effect (2-20 nM). The addition of IL-17A and IL-22 markedly increased the mRNA expression of IL-8, confirming our previous study. This enhanced IL-8 mRNA expression is suppressed by Calcipotriol at 2, 20 and 40 nM in a dose dependent manner<sup>[1]</sup>. Treatment of natural killer (NK) cells with drugs modulates their expression of NK cytotoxicity receptors or KIR. Human NK cells are pre-treated with 100, 10 or 1 ng/mL of 1,25(OH)<sub>2</sub>D<sub>3</sub>, Calcipotriol or FTY720 for 4 h. All three concentrations of 1,25(OH)<sub>2</sub>D<sub>3</sub>, Calcipotriol and FTY720 significantly up-regulate the expression of NKp30 on the surface of NK cells after 4 h incubation<sup>[2]</sup>.</p> <p>MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.</p>
<b>In Vivo</b>	<p>One out of the 32 animals in each of the groups has died, except for the Diclofenac plus DFMO plus Calcipotriol group, where all animals survived. Survival is equally distributed between the groups. The weight gain is significantly smaller in the groups treated with Diclofenac plus Calcipotriol (p=0.018) and Diclofenac plus DFMO plus Calcipotriol (p=0.002) compare with placebo (linear regression model)<sup>[3]</sup>.</p> <p>MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.</p>

## PROTOCOL

<b>Cell Assay</b> <sup>[1]</sup>	<p>Normal human epidermal keratinocytes (NHEK) are grown in serum-free keratinocyte growth medium Epilife and used at third passage in all experiments. Growth supplement is omitted 48 h before experiments. As a control, IL-17A and IL-22 are either added or not added to the cells. Cultured NHEK cells are stimulated with IL-17A (200 ng/mL) and/or IL-22 (200 ng/mL) followed by co-incubation in the presence or absence of Calcipotriol at 0.2-40 nM to test its modulatory effect. Cells are harvested 3 days later and subjected to real-time quantitative PCR (qPCR). Culture supernatants are also collected and frozen at -80°C until use for ELISA<sup>[1]</sup>.</p> <p>MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.</p>
<b>Animal Administration</b> <sup>[3]</sup>	<p>Mice<sup>[3]</sup></p> <p>The 160 female SKH-1 hairless mice (6-7 weeks of age) are used. After UV treatment, mice without tumors are randomly divided into five groups, four chemoprevention groups (Diclofenac plus DFMO; Diclofenac plus Calcipotriol; DFMO plus calcitriol; and Diclofenac plus DFMO plus Calcipotriol) and one placebo group (skin lotion). The placebo group used in this study is the same as the one used in an earlier study. The mice are treated with test mixtures once a day, five days a week, for a total of 17 weeks. The test mixtures are applied topically on the dorsal surface of the mice. Ten microliters are applied by a pipette after which the mixture is rubbed onto the skin. This corresponded to the following doses of each active substance in the treatments: 100 µg/week for Diclofenac (30 mg/g undiluted), 0.166 µg/week for Calcitriol (50 µg/g undiluted), and 463.3 µg/week for difluoromethylornithine (DFMO) (139 mg/g undiluted).</p> <p>MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.</p>

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