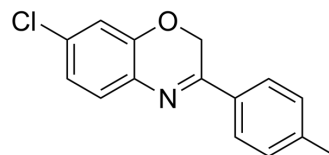


## AR7

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-101106		
<b>CAS No.:</b>	80306-38-3		
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>15</sub> H <sub>12</sub> ClNO		
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	257.71		
<b>Target:</b>	RAR/RXR		
<b>Pathway:</b>	Metabolic Enzyme/Protease; Vitamin D Related/Nuclear Receptor		
<b>Storage:</b>	Powder	-20°C	3 years
		4°C	2 years
	In solvent	-80°C	6 months
		-20°C	1 month



### SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

#### In Vitro

DMSO : 25 mg/mL (97.01 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Solvent	Mass	Concentration		
		1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
Preparing Stock Solutions	1 mM	3.8803 mL	19.4017 mL	38.8033 mL
	5 mM	0.7761 mL	3.8803 mL	7.7607 mL
	10 mM	0.3880 mL	1.9402 mL	3.8803 mL

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

### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

#### Description

AR7 is an atypical RARA/RAR $\alpha$  (retinoic acid receptor, alpha) antagonist. AR7 specifically activates chaperone-mediated-autophagy (CMA) activity without affecting macroautophagy<sup>[1]</sup>.

#### In Vitro

Treatment with RARA antagonist, AR7 (20  $\mu$ M; for 16 h), increased lysosomal activity in WT and LRRK2<sup>R1441G</sup> KI mutant MEFs<sup>[1]</sup>.

AR7 (10, 20, 30  $\mu$ M; 12, 24 hours) has no effect on macroautophagy in NIH 3T3 cells<sup>[2]</sup>.

Chaperone-mediated autophagy (CMA) contributes to cellular quality control and the cellular response to stress through the selective degradation of cytosolic proteins in lysosomes. Decrease in CMA activity occurs in aging and in age-related disorders. Signaling through the retinoic acid receptor alpha (RAR $\alpha$ ) inhibits CMA. AR7 significantly activates CMA activity in mouse fibroblasts. A marked increase in CMA-activating potency is found when AR7 and GR1 are combined, supporting their cooperative effect. Treatment with the transcriptional repressor Actinomycin D partially reduces the stimulatory effect of AR7 on CMA, consistent with transcriptional changes contributing to the upregulation of CMA<sup>[3]</sup>.

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

## CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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