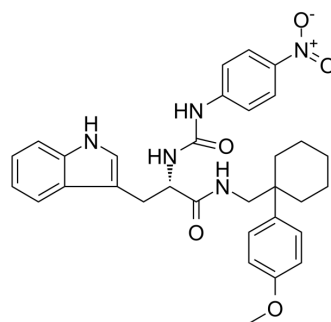


## ML-18

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-101844		
<b>CAS No.:</b>	1422269-30-4		
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>32</sub> H <sub>35</sub> N <sub>5</sub> O <sub>5</sub>		
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	569.65		
<b>Target:</b>	Bombesin Receptor		
<b>Pathway:</b>	GPCR/G Protein		
<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 : ≥ 100 mg/mL (175.55 mM)  
 \* "≥" means soluble, but saturation unknown.

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Concentration	Mass		
		1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	1.7555 mL	8.7773 mL	17.5546 mL
	5 mM	0.3511 mL	1.7555 mL	3.5109 mL
	10 mM	0.1755 mL	0.8777 mL	1.7555 mL

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

### In Vivo

- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline)  
 Solubility: 2.5 mg/mL (4.39 mM); Suspended solution; Need ultrasonic
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil  
 Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (4.39 mM); Clear solution

## BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

### Description

ML-18 is a non-peptide bombesin receptor subtype-3 (BRS-3) antagonist with an IC<sub>50</sub> of 4.8 μM.

### IC<sub>50</sub> & Target

IC<sub>50</sub>: 4.8 μM (BRS-3)<sup>[1]</sup>

### In Vitro

ML-18 inhibits specific <sup>125</sup>I-BA1 (DTyr-Gln-Trp-Ala-Val-βAla-His-Phe-Nle-NH<sub>2</sub>)BB6-14 binding to NCI-H1299 lung cancer cells stably transfected with BRS-3 with IC<sub>50</sub> values of 4.8 μM. ML-18 binds with lower affinity to the GRPR and NMBR with IC<sub>50</sub> values of 16 and more than 100 μM, respectively. ML-18 at 16 μM inhibits the ability of 10 nM BA1 to elevate cytosolic Ca<sup>2+</sup> in a reversible manner using lung cancer cells loaded with FURA2-AM. ML-18 at 16 μM inhibits the ability of 100 nM BA1 to cause tyrosine phosphorylation of the EGFR and ERK in lung cancer cells. It inhibits the proliferation of lung cancer cells<sup>[1]</sup>.

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## PROTOCOL

### Kinase Assay <sup>[1]</sup>

The cells are incubated in SIT buffer containing 0.25% bovine serum albumin and 250 µg/mL bacitracin and <sup>125</sup>I-BA1 (100,000 cpm) is added, as well as various concentrations of unlabelled competitor (ML-18). After incubation at 37°C for 30 min, free <sup>125</sup>I-BA1 is removed by washing 3 times in buffer and the cells which contain bound <sup>125</sup>I-BA1 is dissolved in 0.2 N NaOH and counted in a gamma counter. The IC<sub>50</sub> is calculated for each unlabeled competitor<sup>[1]</sup>.

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

Cell viability is measured using the MTT assay. NCI-H727 or NCI-H1299 cells transfected with BRS-3 are treated with ML-18 (0, 4.8, 16, 48 µM) or gefitinib added. After 2 days, 15 µL of 0.1 % MTT solution added. After 4 h, 150 µL of DMSO is added. After 16 h, the optical density at 570 nm is determined<sup>[1]</sup>.

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## REFERENCES

[1]. Moody TW, et al. ML-18 is a non-peptide bombesin receptor subtype-3 antagonist which inhibits lung cancer growth. *Peptides*. 2015 Feb;64:55-61.

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