Product Data Sheet

Violacein

Cat. No.: HY-119809 CAS No.: 548-54-9

Molecular Formula: $C_{20}H_{13}N_3O_3$ Molecular Weight: 343.34

Target: Apoptosis; Endogenous Metabolite Pathway: Apoptosis; Metabolic Enzyme/Protease

Storage: Powder -20°C 3 years

> In solvent -80°C 6 months

-20°C 1 month

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description Violacein, a secondary metabolite produced by several microorganisms, possesses potent anticancer and low side effects.

·	Violacein possesses antioxidant properties. Apoptosis inducer $^{[1][2]}$.	
IC ₅₀ & Target	Microbial Metabolite	
In Vitro	Violacein (0.25-3 μ M; 24h; HCT116 and HT29 cells) possesses anticancer activity in both 2D and 3D cell models ^[1] . Violacein decreases RTKs expression and disturbs signaling pathways in CRC cells ^[1] . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only. Cell Viability Assay ^[1] .	
	Cell Line:	HCT116 and HT29 (1.8 \times 104 cells/well-100 $\mu L)$ cells.
	Concentration:	0.25, 0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, and 3.0 μM.
	Incubation Time:	24h.
	Result:	In the 2D culture model, the violacein treatment reduced the cell viability, since there was a decrease in formazan production in the HT29 and HCT116 cell lines. Moreover, HT29 was more sensitive to violacein, as evidenced by the IC $_{50}$ value (0.6 μ M) compared to HCT116 (1.2 μ M).

REFERENCES

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