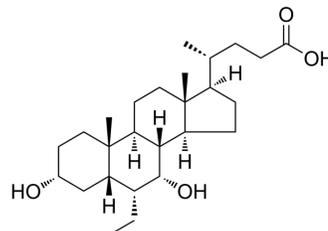


## Obeticholic acid

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-12222		
<b>CAS No.:</b>	459789-99-2		
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>26</sub> H <sub>44</sub> O <sub>4</sub>		
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	420.63		
<b>Target:</b>	FXR; Autophagy		
<b>Pathway:</b>	Metabolic Enzyme/Protease; Autophagy		
<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 (237.74 mM)  
 Ethanol : ≥ 50 mg/mL (118.87 mM)  
 \* "≥" means soluble, but saturation unknown.

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Concentration	Mass		
		1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	2.3774 mL	11.8869 mL	23.7739 mL
	5 mM	0.4755 mL	2.3774 mL	4.7548 mL
	10 mM	0.2377 mL	1.1887 mL	2.3774 mL

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

#### In Vivo

- Add each solvent one by one: 1% Methylcellulose/saline water  
Solubility: 5 mg/mL (11.89 mM); Suspension solution; Need ultrasonic
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline)  
Solubility: ≥ 5 mg/mL (11.89 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil  
Solubility: ≥ 5 mg/mL (11.89 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline  
Solubility: ≥ 4.76 mg/mL (11.32 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% EtOH >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline  
Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (5.94 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% EtOH >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline)  
Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (5.94 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% EtOH >> 90% corn oil  
Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (5.94 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 5% DMSO >> 95% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline)

Solubility:  $\geq 2.5$  mg/mL (5.94 mM); Clear solution

## BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

<b>Description</b>	Obeticholic acid (INT-747) is a potent, selective and orally active FXR agonist with an EC <sub>50</sub> of 99 nM. Obeticholic acid has anticholeretic and anti-inflammation effect. Obeticholic acid also induces autophagy <sup>[1][2][3]</sup> .
<b>IC<sub>50</sub> &amp; Target</b>	EC50: 99 nM (FXR)
<b>In Vitro</b>	Obeticholic acid (INT-747) increases the expression of FXR-regulated genes in rat hepatocytes <sup>[1]</sup> . Obeticholic acid (INT-747) reduces expression of liver JNK-1 and JNK-2 <sup>[2]</sup> . Obeticholic acid (INT-747) (256 $\mu$ g/mL) shows complete inhibition of bacterial growth in all strains tested. Intestinal permeability remains unaffected after INT-747-addition to an IFN- $\gamma$ -exposed intestinal epithelium of Caco-2 cells <sup>[3]</sup> . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.
<b>In Vivo</b>	Obeticholic acid (INT-747) (10 mg/kg/day) completely reverted cholestasis induced by E <sub>2</sub> 17 $\alpha$ . Administration of Obeticholic acid (INT-747) partially prevents the impairment in total bile acid output caused by E <sub>2</sub> 17 $\alpha$ by increasing the relative abundance of $\beta$ -MCA and TCDCA and TDCA <sup>[1]</sup> . Obeticholic acid (INT-747) (10 mg/kg) and HS increases the pulmonary congestion in the animals. INT-747 does not improve renal pathology in the HS-fed animals <sup>[2]</sup> . Obeticholic acid (INT-747) (5 mg/kg) significantly increases survival in BDL rats. Obeticholic acid (INT-747)-treated BDL rats exhibits a significant selective ileal increase in expression of pore-closing claudin-1. Ileal expression of ZO-1 is significantly up-regulated in INT-747-treated BDL rats <sup>[3]</sup> . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

## PROTOCOL

<b>Animal Administration</b> <sup>[2]</sup>	Initially, all animals (at 6-weeks age) are placed on a standard rodent diet for a week. Baseline blood and urine samples are collected and basal blood pressure (BP) is measured prior to grouping the animals. Subsequently, the animals are randomized into low (LS; n=9) or high salt (HS) diet groups. Hypertension is induced in the HS group by daily high-salt diet feeding and the group is subdivided to receive one of two doses of INT-747: low dose (10 mg/kg/day; n=15) or high dose (30 mg/kg/day; n=15) in 1% methylcellulose; or vehicle (1% methylcellulose in distilled water; n=15) orally everyday for 6 weeks. In parallel, the LS group also receive 1% methylcellulose. BP is measured weekly for the duration of the study as described below. MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.
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