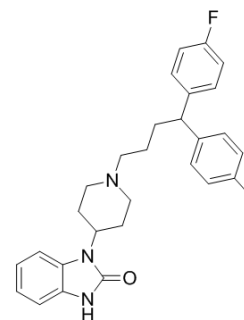


Pimozide

Cat. No.:	HY-12987		
CAS No.:	2062-78-4		
Molecular Formula:	C ₂₈ H ₂₉ F ₂ N ₃ O		
Molecular Weight:	461.55		
Target:	Dopamine Receptor; Adrenergic Receptor; STAT		
Pathway:	GPCR/G Protein; Neuronal Signaling; JAK/STAT Signaling Stem Cell/Wnt		
Storage:	Powder	-20°C	3 years
		4°C	2 years
	In solvent	-80°C	6 months
		-20°C	1 month



Solvent & Solubility

In Vitro
 DMSO : 33.33 mg/mL (72.21 mM; Need ultrasonic)
 H₂O : < 0.1 mg/mL (insoluble)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Concentration	Mass		
		1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	2.1666 mL	10.8331 mL	21.6661 mL
	5 mM	0.4333 mL	2.1666 mL	4.3332 mL
	10 mM	0.2167 mL	1.0833 mL	2.1666 mL

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

In Vivo

- Add each solvent one by one: **10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil**
 Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (5.42 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: **10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline**
 Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (5.42 mM); Clear solution

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description
 Pimozide is a **dopamine receptor** antagonist, with K_is of 1.4 nM, 2.5 nM and 588 nM for dopamine D₂, D₃ and D₁ receptors, respectively, and also has affinity at **α1-adrenoceptor**, with a K_i of 39 nM; Pimozide also inhibits **STAT3** and **STAT5**.

IC₅₀ & Target
 Ki: 1.4 nM (Dopamine D₂ receptor), 2.5 nM (Dopamine D₃ receptor), 588 nM (Dopamine D₁ receptor), 39 nM (α1-adrenoceptor), 310 nM (5-HT_{1A})^[1]
 STAT3^[2], STAT5^[3]

In Vitro

Pimozide is a dopamine receptor antagonist, with K_{i} s of 1.4 nM, 2.5 nM and 588 nM for dopamine D2, D3 and D1 receptors, respectively; also has affinity at α 1-adrenoceptor and 5-HT1A, with K_{i} s of 39 nM and 310 nM, respectively [1]. Pimozide acts as an inhibitor of STAT3. Pimozide (0-15 μ M) shows inhibitory of the proliferation of U2OS cells, with IC_{50} value at 24, 48, and 72 h of 22.16 ± 2.54 , 17.49 ± 1.14 and 13.78 ± 0.34 μ M, respectively. Pimozide (10 μ M) inhibits the colony- and sphere-forming abilities of osteosarcoma cells. Pimozide (15 μ M) induces G0/G1 phase cell cycle arrest, suppresses the extracellular signal-regulated kinase (Erk) signaling to inhibit cell viability, and produces ROS generation through inhibiting antioxidant enzyme gene catalase expression in osteosarcoma cells [2]. Pimozide acts as an inhibitor of STAT5. Pimozide reduces the expression of endogenous STAT5 target genes, and decreases STAT5 tyrosine phosphorylation [3].

PROTOCOL

Cell Assay [2]

Cell proliferation is assessed by **WST-8** colorimetric assay. **Human osteosarcoma cells** are plated in 96-well plates with **2,500 cells per well** and exposed to the treatment of **different concentrations of pimozide for various time intervals (24 h, 48 h, and 72 h)**. The WST-8 solution is added to each well after indicated time. After incubated at 37°C for another 4 hours, the absorbance is measured at 450 nm using a multi-well plate reader [2].

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

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