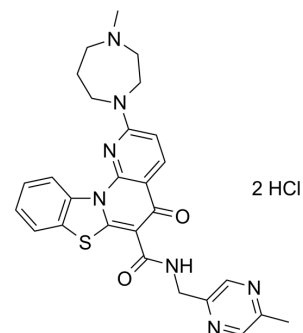


## CX-5461 dihydrochloride

Cat. No.:	HY-13323A
Molecular Formula:	C <sub>27</sub> H <sub>29</sub> Cl <sub>2</sub> N <sub>7</sub> O <sub>2</sub> S
Molecular Weight:	586.54
Target:	DNA/RNA Synthesis
Pathway:	Cell Cycle/DNA Damage
Storage:	4°C, sealed storage, away from moisture * In solvent : -80°C, 6 months; -20°C, 1 month (sealed storage, away from moisture)



### SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

#### In Vitro

H<sub>2</sub>O : ≥ 25 mg/mL (42.62 mM)  
\* "≥" means soluble, but saturation unknown.

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent		Mass		
	Concentration		1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM		1.7049 mL	8.5246 mL	17.0491 mL
	5 mM		0.3410 mL	1.7049 mL	3.4098 mL
	10 mM		0.1705 mL	0.8525 mL	1.7049 mL

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

### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

#### Description

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

IC<sub>50</sub>: 54 nM (rRNA synthesis, MIA PaCa-2 cells), 113 nM (rRNA synthesis, A375 cells), 142 nM (rRNA synthesis, HCT-116 cells)<sup>[1]</sup>

#### In Vitro

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<b>In Vivo</b>	<p>CX-5461 displays antitumor activity against human solid tumors in murine xenograft models. CX-5461 (50 mg/kg, p.o.) shows significant MIA PaCa-2 growth inhibition with TGI equal to 69% on day 31 and 79% TGI on A375 on day 32<sup>[1]</sup>. CX-5461 (50 mg/kg, p.o.) inhibits the Eμ-Myc tumor cells with 84% repression in Pol I transcription at 1 hr posttreatment in C57BL/6 mice. CX-5461 also induces a rapid reduction in tumor burden in the lymph nodes and a concomitant reduction of spleen size to within the normal range<sup>[2]</sup>.</p> <p>MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.</p>
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## PROTOCOL

<b>Cell Assay</b> <sup>[1]</sup>	<p>Cells are plated on 96-well plates and treated the next day with dose response of CX-5461 for 96 hours. Cell viability is determined using Alamar Blue and CyQUANT assays<sup>[1]</sup>.</p> <p>MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.</p>
<b>Animal Administration</b> <sup>[1]</sup>	<p>Mice<sup>[1]</sup></p> <p>Animal experiments are performed with 5- to 6-week-old female athymic (NCr nu/nu fisol) mice of Balb/c. Mice are inoculated with athymic (NCr nu/nu fisol) mice in 100 μL of cell suspension subcutaneously in the right flank. Tumor measurements are performed by caliper analysis, and tumor volume is calculated using the formula <math>(l \times w^2)/2</math>, where w=width and l=length in mm of the tumor. established tumors (appr 110-120 mm<sup>3</sup>) are randomized into vehicle (50 mM NaH<sub>2</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>, pH 4.5), NSC 613327, or CX-5461 treatment groups. Tumor growth inhibition (TGI) is determined on the last day of study according to the formula: <math>TGI (\%) = [100 - (Vf^D - Vi^D) / (Vf^V - Vi^V)] \times 100</math>, where Vi<sup>V</sup> is the initial mean tumor volume in vehicle-treated group, Vf<sup>V</sup> is the final mean tumor volume in vehicle-treated group, Vi<sup>D</sup> is the initial mean tumor volume in drug-treated group, and Vf<sup>D</sup> is the final mean tumor volume in drug-treated group.</p> <p>MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.</p>

## CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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