**Proteins** 

# Folic acid sodium

Cat. No.: HY-16637A CAS No.: 6484-89-5 Molecular Formula: C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>19</sub>N<sub>7</sub>NaO<sub>6</sub>

Molecular Weight: 464.39

Target: Endogenous Metabolite; DNA/RNA Synthesis

Pathway: Metabolic Enzyme/Protease; Cell Cycle/DNA Damage

Storage: Please store the product under the recommended conditions in the Certificate of

Analysis.

**Product** Data Sheet

### **SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY**

In Vitro

H<sub>2</sub>O: 100 mg/mL (215.34 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	2.1534 mL	10.7668 mL	21.5336 mL
	5 mM	0.4307 mL	2.1534 mL	4.3067 mL
	10 mM	0.2153 mL	1.0767 mL	2.1534 mL

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

## **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

Description Folic acid (Vitamin B9) sodium is a orally active essential nutrient from the B complex group of vitamins. Folic acid sodium shows antidepressant-like effect. Folic acid sodium reduces the risk of neonatal neural tube defects. Folic acid sodium can

	be used to the research of megaloblastic and macrocytic anemias due to folic deficiency $^{[1][2][3][4]}$ .		
IC <sub>50</sub> & Target	Microbial Metabolite	Human Endogenous Metabolite	
In Vitro	Folic acid sodium plays a critical role in the prevention of chromosome breakage and hypomethylation of DNA $^{[1]}$ . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.		
In Vivo	Folic acid sodium (10, 50, 100 mg/kg; p.o.) shows an antidepressant-like effect in thisbehavioral mouse model <sup>[2]</sup> .  Folic acid sodium (1, 10 nmol/site) shows no psychostimulant effect in mice habituated to the novel environment <sup>[2]</sup> .  Folic acid sodium (1, 5 mg/kg; p.o.) prevents epigenetic modification of hepatic gene expression in the offspring in rats MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.  Animal Model:  30-40 g swiss mice <sup>[2]</sup>		

Dosage:	10, 50, 100 mg/kg		
Administration:	Oral administration		
Result:	Decreased the immobility time in the forced swimming test (FST) ( $F_{324}$ =11.21) and produced a significant effect in the immobility time in the tail suspension test (TST) ( $F_{3,20}$ =5.71).		
Animal Model:	30-40 g swiss mice <sup>[2]</sup>		
Dosage:	1-10 nmol/site		
Administration:	Intracerebroventrical injection		
Result:	Decreased the immobility time of mice in the FST ( $F_{3,22}$ =12.31) and TST ( $F_{3,22}$ =5.50).		
Animal Model:	Virgin female Wistar rats <sup>[3]</sup>		
Dosage:	1, 5 mg/kg (180 g/kg protein with 1 mg/kg folic acid or 90 g/kg casein with 1, 5 mg/kg folic acid)		
Administration:	Oral administration		
Result:	Prevented epigenetic modification of hepatic gene expression in the offspring.		

### **CUSTOMER VALIDATION**

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