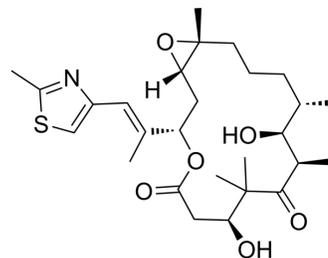


## Epothilone B

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-17029		
<b>CAS No.:</b>	152044-54-7		
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>27</sub> H <sub>41</sub> NO <sub>6</sub> S		
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	507.68		
<b>Target:</b>	Microtubule/Tubulin; Apoptosis; Fungal; Antibiotic; Bacterial		
<b>Pathway:</b>	Cell Cycle/DNA Damage; Cytoskeleton; Apoptosis; Anti-infection		
<b>Storage:</b>	Powder	-20°C	3 years
	In solvent	-80°C	6 months
		-20°C	1 month



### SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

<b>In Vitro</b>	DMSO : 100 mg/mL (196.97 mM; Need ultrasonic)					
	<b>Preparing Stock Solutions</b>	<b>Solvent</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>1 mg</b>	<b>5 mg</b>	<b>10 mg</b>
		<b>Concentration</b>				
		<b>1 mM</b>		1.9697 mL	9.8487 mL	19.6974 mL
		<b>5 mM</b>		0.3939 mL	1.9697 mL	3.9395 mL
	<b>10 mM</b>		0.1970 mL	0.9849 mL	1.9697 mL	
Please refer to the solubility information to select the appropriate solvent.						
<b>In Vivo</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO &gt;&gt; 40% PEG300 &gt;&gt; 5% Tween-80 &gt;&gt; 45% saline Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (4.10 mM); Clear solution</li> <li>Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO &gt;&gt; 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (4.10 mM); Clear solution</li> <li>Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO &gt;&gt; 90% corn oil Solubility: 2.08 mg/mL (4.10 mM); Clear solution; Need warming</li> </ol>					

### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

<b>Description</b>	Epothilone B is a microtubule stabilizer with a K <sub>i</sub> of 0.71 μM. It acts by binding to the αβ-tubulin heterodimer subunit which causes decreasing of αβ-tubulin dissociation.
<b>IC<sub>50</sub> &amp; Target</b>	EC0.01: 1.8 μM (Microtubule/Tubulin) <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>In Vitro</b>	Epothilone B inhibits HCT116 cells with IC <sub>50</sub> of 0.8 nM in HCT-116 cell line cytotoxicity assay <sup>[1]</sup> . Epothilone B (Patupilone) is a microtubule (MT) targeting agent. As shown by MTT cell proliferation assay, after 72 h of treatment Epothilone B efficiently inhibits cell growth with an IC <sub>50</sub> of 6 nM, while concentrations ≤1 nM are not cytotoxic. Epothilone B significantly inhibits

transwell cell migration at the non-cytotoxic concentration of 1 nM, and the effect is more evident at 10 nM<sup>[2]</sup>. Epothilone B (Patupilone) is a novel, non-taxane-related and nonneurotoxic microtubule-stabilizing agent in human medulloblastoma cell lines. Epothilone B reduces the proliferative activity in the D341 cell line, with an IC<sub>50</sub> of 0.53 nM; in the D425Med cell line, with an IC<sub>50</sub> of 0.37 nM; and in the DAOY cell line, with an IC<sub>50</sub> of 0.19 nM. In the D341Med cell line, the effect of Epothilone B on clonogenic survival is at dose range of Epothilone B similar to the level of proliferative activity and viability (IC<sub>50</sub>, 0.50-0.75 nM). However, the clonogenicity of D425Med and DAOY cells is already strongly reduced at a 10-fold lower concentration of Epothilone B (IC<sub>50</sub>, 30 pM). These results overall demonstrate that Epothilone B is highly potent against different medulloblastoma cell lines<sup>[3]</sup>.

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#### In Vivo

Treatment with Epothilone B (Patupilone) or ionizing radiation alone results in a partial tumor growth suppression over 10 days, whereas combined treatment exerts a strong supra-additive tumor growth control, with complete tumor regression in the follow-up period (P<0.005, for ionizing radiation or Epothilone B alone vs combined treatment)<sup>[3]</sup>.

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## PROTOCOL

#### Kinase Assay <sup>[3]</sup>

Asp-Glu-Val-Asp (DEVD)ase activity is determined in cytosolic cell extracts. Cells are treated with increasing concentrations of Epothilone B (Patupilone) for 6, 12, 24, and 48 h. Cells are harvested thereafter by trypsin/EDTA, centrifuged, and washed with precooled PBS. The cell pellet is suspended in 5 volumes of precooled buffer A (20 mM HEPES-KOH [pH 7.5], 10 mM KCl, 1.5 mM MgCl<sub>2</sub>, 1 mM sodium EDTA, 1 mM sodium EGTA, 1 mM dithiothreitol [DDT], 250 mM sucrose, and 0.1 mM phenylmethylsulfonyl fluoride [PMSF] supplemented with protease inhibitors [5 mg/mL pepstatin A, 10 mg/mL leupeptin, 2 mg/mL aprotinin, 2 mg/mL DTT, and 1 mM of PMSF]). After incubation on ice for 15 min, the cells are disrupted by freezing and thawing. Cell lysates are centrifuged at 1000g for 10 min at 4°C, and the supernatant is further centrifuged at 100 000g for 30 min. The resulting supernatant (S-100 fraction) is stored at -80°C. To determine caspase 3-like activity, 75 µg of protein from the S-100 fraction is incubated at 37°C with the colorimetric caspase 3 substrate N-acetyl-Asp-Glu-Val-Asp p-nitroanilide (100 mM; Ac-DEVD-pNA) and 1 mM dATP in a final volume of 120 µL. Cleavage of the caspase substrate is monitored at 405 nm using a GenTec spectrophotometer<sup>[3]</sup>.

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#### Cell Assay <sup>[2]</sup>

Human glioblastoma cells (U87MG, ATCC) are routinely maintained at 37°C and 5% CO<sub>2</sub> in EMEM medium, with NEAA, containing 10% fetal bovine serum, 2 mM of glutamine, 1% penicillin and streptomycin. U87MG cells are used for no more than 15 passages. Cells are seeded in 96-well plates (5000 cells/well). After 24 h cells are treated with Epothilone B. Growth inhibition of U87MG cells is measured after 72 h of drug treatment by using the MTT cell proliferation assay<sup>[2]</sup>.

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#### Animal Administration <sup>[3]</sup>

Mice<sup>[3]</sup>

D425Med cells (6×10<sup>6</sup>) are injected subcutaneously on the backs of 4-6-week-old athymic nude mice. Tumor volumes are determined from caliper measurements of tumor length (L) and width (l) according to the formula (L×l<sup>2</sup>)/2. Tumors are allowed to expand to a volume of 200 mm<sup>3</sup> (±10%) before treatment start. With the use of a customized shielding device, mice are given strictly loco regional radiotherapy of 3×3 Gy on 3 consecutive days using a Gulmay 200 kV X-ray unit at 100 cGy/min at room temperature. Epothilone B (2 mg/kg; dissolved in 30% PEG-300/70% saline) is applied intravenously 24 h before the first treatment with ionizing radiation (at day 0 of the treatment; n=5 per group). Tumor growth is monitored daily.

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