# **Product** Data Sheet

# Humanin

Cat. No.: HY-P1928 CAS No.: 330936-69-1 Molecular Formula:  $C_{1_{19}H_{204}}N_{34}O_{32}S_{2}$ 

Molecular Weight: 2687.23 MAPRGFSCLLLLTSEIDLPVKRRA

Sequence: Met-Ala-Pro-Arg-Gly-Phe-Ser-Cys-Leu-Leu-Leu-Leu-Thr-Ser-Glu-Ile-Asp-Leu-Pro-Val-L

ys-Arg-Arg-Ala

Sequence Shortening: MAPRGFSCLLLLTSEIDLPVKRRA

Target: **Bcl-2 Family** Pathway: **Apoptosis** 

Sealed storage, away from moisture and light Storage:

> Powder -80°C 2 years -20°C 1 year

\* In solvent: -80°C, 6 months; -20°C, 1 month (sealed storage, away from moisture

and light)

### **SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY**

#### In Vitro

DMSO: 100 mg/mL (37.21 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	0.3721 mL	1.8607 mL	3.7213 mL
	5 mM	0.0744 mL	0.3721 mL	0.7443 mL
	10 mM	0.0372 mL	0.1861 mL	0.3721 mL

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

In Vivo

- 1. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline Solubility: ≥ 10 mg/mL (3.72 mM); Clear solution
- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 10 mg/mL (3.72 mM); Clear solution
- 3. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 10 mg/mL (3.72 mM); Clear solution

## **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

# Description

Humanin, an anti-apoptotic peptide of 24 amino acids, is a Bax inhibitor. Humanin prevents the translocation of Bax from cytosol to mitochondria, blocks Bax from the inactive to active conformation. Humanin is a mitochondria-associated peptide with a neuroprotective effect against AD-related neurotoxicity. Humanin also improves overall insulin sensitivity in

	animal. Humanin are related to aging $^{[1][2]}$ .  Humanin analogue, in which the serine at position 14 is replaced by glycine, names $HNG^{[2]}$ .
IC <sub>50</sub> & Target	Bax
In Vitro	Humanin (40 nM, rhodamine-conjugated; 30 min) inhibits cell death induced by Bax protein in wild-type HCT116 cells <sup>[1]</sup> . Humanin (100 µM; 10 min) blocks Bax association with isolated mitochondria, and suppresses cytochrome c release in wild-type HCT116 cells <sup>[1]</sup> . Humanin reduces half apoptosis induced by 0.2 mM STS <sup>[1]</sup> . Humanin fails to suppress apoptosis in Bax-deficient HCT116 cells <sup>[1]</sup> . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.
In Vivo	Humanin (0.375 mg/kg/hr; i.v.) increases peripheral insulin sensitivity in Zucker diabetic fatty (ZDF) rats <sup>[2]</sup> . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

### **REFERENCES**

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