
Product Data Sheet

Product Name: O-Methylviridicatin

Cat. No.: GC14784

Chemical Properties

Cas. No. 6152-57-4

Chemical Name 3-methoxy-4-phenyl-2(1H)-quinolinone

SMILES O=C1NC2=C(C=CC=C2)C(C3=CC=CC=C3)=C1OC

Formula $C_{16}H_{13}NO_2$ M.Wt 251.3

Solubility Soluble in DMSO Storage Store at $-20^{\circ}C$

General tips For obtaining a higher solubility, please warm the tube at $37^{\circ}C$ and shake it in the ultrasonic bath for a while. Stock solution can be stored below $-20^{\circ}C$ for several months.

Shipping Condition Evaluation sample solution: ship with blue ice. All other available size: ship with RT, or blue ice upon request.

Structure

Background

IC₅₀: 2.5 μ M: inhibits virus production in OM-10.1 cells (HL-60 promyelocytes infected with HIV-1) treated with TNF- α .

5 μ M: blocks activation of the HIV long terminal repeat by TNF- α in HeLa cells

O-Methylviridicatin, a natural derivative of the alkaloid mycotoxin viridicatin, is produced by several species in the genus, *Penicillium*. It is demonstrated that O-Methylviridicatin, as an inhibitor, blocks the tumor necrosis factor alpha (TNF α)-induced replication of human immunodeficiency virus (HIV). TNF α increases the binding of the cellular transcription factor NF- κ B to the HIV long terminal repeat (LTR), which directly triggers transcription of the latent provirus.

In vitro: O-Methylviridicatin had an inhibitory effect on the TNF α -triggered replication of HIV LTR in HeLa cells. In addition, O-Methylviridicatin dose-dependently dampened virus production in the OM-10.1 cell line, which was measured by the output of p24 core

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antigen into the culture medium. It was demonstrated that the suppressive effect of O-Methylviridicatin was not reversed even if the concentration of TNF α was increased 10-fold [1].

In vivo: Up to now, in vitro study of O-Methylviridicatin is still in the development stage.

Reference:

[1]. Heguy, A., Cai, P., Meyn, P., Houck, D., Russo, S., & Michitsch, R. et al. Isolation and Characterization of the Fungal Metabolite 3-O-Methylviridicatin as an Inhibitor of Tumour Necrosis Factor-Induced Human Immunodeficiency Virus Replication. *Antiviral Chemistry and Chemotherapy*. 1998; 9(2): 149-155.

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