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Product Name: GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1

Cat. No.: GC25450

**Chemical Properties**

Cas. No. 544681-96-1

Formula C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>23</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>2</sub>

M.Wt 349.43

Solubility DMSO: 70 mg/mL (200.33 mM); Water: Insoluble; Ethanol: 9 mg/mL (25.76 mM) Storage Store at -20°C

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

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

Structure **Protocol****Cell experiment [1]:**

Cell lines human induced pluripotent stem cell-derived cardiomyocyte (hiPSC-CM) cells

Preparation Method The cells were exposed to doxorubicin and/or GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 for 2-21 days and cell viability was quantified with MTT assay. MTT was added to the cells at a final concentration of 0.5 mg/ml followed by 2 h incubation in cell culture conditions.

Reaction Conditions 0-10 μM, 2-21 days

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Applications	In the MTT assay, GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 alone at 10 $\mu$ M concentration reduced hiPSC-CM viability 34%, 50% and 65% after 7, 14 and 21 days of exposure, respectively. At the concentration of 3 $\mu$ M, the decrease was only 16% even after 21-day exposure.
<b>Animal experiment [2]:</b>	
Animal models	male Sprague Dawley rats
Preparation Method	Doxorubicin was administered i.p. to 7 weeks old male Sprague Dawley rats with average weight 216 g (range 189-245 g) at the dose of 1 mg/kg/day for 10 days. Control animals received an equivalent volume of saline. The compound GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 was administered i.p. at the dose of 15 mg/kg two times a day for 2 weeks from week 7 to week 9. It was diluted to DMSO and administered to animals as 1:1 dilution in corn oil, control animals receiving DMSO with corn oil in equivalent volume.
Dosage form	15 mg/kg two times a day for 2 weeks, i.p.
Applications	treatment with compound GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 significantly inhibited doxorubicin-induced cardiotoxicity by restoring the left ventricular ejection fraction (EF) and fractional shortening (FS).

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### Background

GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 (3i-1000) is a small-molecule compound inhibiting GATA4 and NKX2-5 transcriptional synergy with IC50 of 3 $\mu$ M [1].

GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 inhibits hypertrophic growth. GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 (10 $\mu$ M, 48h) significantly inhibited the increase in the area of the myocytes in response to the mechanical stretching (48h) [1]. GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 (30 $\mu$ M), inhibited epidermal growth factor receptor kinase (EGFR) by 54% and vascular endothelial growth factor receptor 2 kinase/kinase insert domain receptor (VEGFR2/KDR) by 64% [1]. GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 inhibited cannabinoid receptor type 2 (CB2), parathyroid hormone 2 receptor (PTH2), and niacin receptor 1/G-protein-coupled receptor 109A (GPR109A) with mean percentage inhibition values of 91.8, 59.5, and 58.5, respectively [1]. GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 inhibits BNP transcription, and stretch-, endothelin-1- and phenylephrine-stimulated gene expression of ANP and BNP, as well as hypertrophic cell growth in cardiomyocytes while having no effect on GATA4 or NKX2-5 DNA binding or on the activity of protein kinases involved in the regulation of GATA4 phosphorylation [1,2]. GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 showed cardioprotective effects in vitro. It attenuated doxorubicin-induced increase in proBNP expression in hiPSC-CMs after a 4-day exposure. GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 (3  $\mu$ M, 10  $\mu$ M) attenuated doxorubicin-induced increase in caspase activation up to 14 days.

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however the long-term exposures (up to 21 days), revealed toxic effects of GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 in cardiomyocytes [3].

GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1(30mg/kg/day i.p.) significantly improved left ventricular ejection fraction and fractional shortening, and attenuated myocardial structural changes in mice after myocardial infarction. GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 improved cardiac function in an experimental model of angiotensin II -mediated hypertension in rats. The concentration of GATA4-NKX2-5-IN-1 was highest at 0.5h and decreased to about half within 6h in vivo in rats (single dose i.p. 10mg/kg) [2].

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