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## Product Data Sheet

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Product Name: Biricodar (VX-710)

Cat. No.: GC33338

### Chemical Properties

Cas. No. 159997-94-1

SMILES O=C([C@H]1N(C(C(C2=CC(OC)=C(OC)C(OC)=C2)=O)=O)CCCC1)OC(CCCC3=CC=CN=C3)CCCC4=CC=CN=C4Formula C<sub>34</sub>H<sub>41</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O<sub>7</sub>

M.Wt

603.71

Solubility Soluble in DMSO

Storage

Store at -20°C

General 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 size: ship with RT , or blue ice upon request.

Structure 

### Protocol

#### Cell experiment:

To study cytotoxicity in suspension cell lines, cells are plated in 96-well tissue culture plates at a density of 10,000 cells/well in RPMI 1640 supplemented with 10% FCS, 2 mM l-glutamine, 20 units/mL penicillin, and 20 µg/mL streptomycin. Drug is added to the culture medium to achieve final concentrations of 0.3 nM to 10 µM, with half-log increments, with and without biricodar at a final concentration of 2.5 µM. The final volume of medium per well is 100 µL. Cells are incubated for 96 h at 37°C in a fully humidified atmosphere of 5% CO<sub>2</sub> in air. Cell growth is assessed by the WST-1 colorimetric assay[1].

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### Background

Biricodar (VX-710) is a modulator of P-glycoprotein and MRP-1; shows effective chemosensitizing activity in multidrug resistant cells.

Biricodar shows activity against both P-glycoprotein (Pgp) and MRP-1 and also has activity in increasing drug uptake and retention and reversing drug resistance mediated by wild-type BCRP (BCRPR482). In 8226/Dox6 cells (Pgp), biricodar increases mitoxantrone and daunorubicin uptake by 55 and 100%, respectively, increases their retention by 100 and 60%, respectively, and increases their cytotoxicity 3.1- and 6.9-fold, respectively. Biricodar also increases the uptake, retention and cytotoxicity in HL60/Adr (MRP-1) and 8226/MR20 cells (BCRP(R482)), but has little effect in MCF7 AdVP3000 cells (BCRP(R482T))[1]. VX-710 is a non-macrocyclic pipercolinate derivative which binds the FK506 receptor protein. VX-710 has been shown to restore sensitivity in a range of multidrug-resistant cells, including myeloma, melanoma, carcinoma and leukaemia[2]. Biricodar effectively inhibits photoaffinity labeling of P-glycoprotein by [3H]azidopine or [125I]iodoaryl azido-prazosin with EC50 values of 0.75 and 0.55  $\mu$ M[3].

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