

Fangchinoline Datasheet

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[Product Information]

Name: Fangchinoline

Catalog No.: CFN99167

Cas No.: 436-77-1

Purity: > 98%

M.F: C₃₇H₄₀N₂O₆

M.W: 608.71

Physical Description: Cryst.

Synonyms:7-O-demethyltetrandrine; Demethyltetrandrine; Tetrandrine B;(+)-limacine;

Hanfangichin B;6,6',12-Trimethoxy-2,2'-dimethylberbaman-7-ol.

[Intended Use]

- 1. Reference standards;
- 2. Pharmacological research;
- 3. Food and cosmetic research;
- 4. Synthetic precursor compounds;
- 5. Intermediates & Fine Chemicals;
- 6. Ingredient in supplements, beverages;
- 7. Others.

[Source]

The vines of Cocculus orbiculatus (L.) DC.

[Biological Activity or Inhibitors]

Fangchinoline (Fan) and tetrandrine are the major alkaloids from Stephania tetrandrae S. they showsanti-inflammatory effects on mouse ear edema induced by croton oil, the biochemical mechanisms of fangchinoline and tetrandrine on anti-inflammation are significantly different even though they are similar in chemical structure.^[1]

Fangchinoline and tetrandrine have vasodilating and hypotensive effects on the rat aorta and the stroke-prone spontaneously hypertensive rat.^[2]

Fangchinoline is a highly specific agent inducing autophagic cell death via p53/sestrin2/AMPK signalling in hepatocellular carcinoma cells with a novel mechanism, which elucidates the potential of fangchinoline to potentiate programmed cell death in cancer cells.^[3]

Fangchinoline is a nonspecific Ca²⁺ channel blocker, it reduces both FBS-and PDGF-BB-induced RASMCs proliferation by perturbing cell cycle progression; this antiproliferative effect of FAN is dependent on the MAP kinase pathway, but cannot be limited to its Ca²⁺ modulation.^[4]

Fangchinoline has anti-tumorigenic activity in vivo, including reduction of tumor volume and pro-apoptotic and anti-proliferative effects in a PC3 nude mouse xenograft, it inhibits human prostate cancer cell lines (PC3) cell proliferation in a dose- and time-dependent manner, the anti-proliferative effect is associated with an increase in the G1/S phase of PC3 cells, suggests that Fan is an effective anti-proliferative agent that modulates cell growth regulators in prostate cancer cells.^[5]

Fangchinoline can enhance the cytotoxicity of multidrug resistance-related drugs via modulation of P-glycoprotein.^[6]

Fangchinoline has effective antioxidant and radical scavenging activity, also has protective effects on hydrogen peroxide-induced oxidative neuronal cell damage in cultured rat cerebellar granule cells.^[7]

Fangchinoline can inhibit human immunodeficiency virus type 1 replication by interfering with gp160 proteolytic processing.^[8]

[Solvent]

Chloroform, Dichloromethane, DMSO, Acetone.

[HPLC Method][9]

Mobile phase: Methanol-H2O (pH 3.0, adjusted by glacial acetic acid)=65:35;

Flow rate: 1.0 ml/min;

Column temperature: Room Temperature;

The wave length of determination: 280 nm.

[Storage]

2-8℃, Protected from air and light, refrigerate or freeze.

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