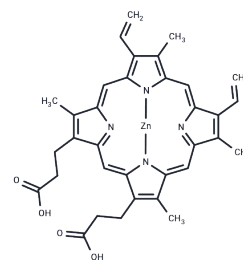


## Zinc Protoporphyrin

## Chemical Properties

CAS No. :	15442-64-5
Formula:	C <sub>34</sub> H <sub>32</sub> N <sub>4</sub> O <sub>4</sub> Zn
Molecular Weight:	626.02
Storage:	Keep away from direct sunlight, Keep away from moisture Powder: -20°C for 3 years   In solvent: -80°C for 1 year <small>Actual storage temperature shall be subject to the COA.</small>



## Biological Description

Description	Zinc Protoporphyrin (Zn(II)-protoporphyrin IX) is an orally active, competitive inhibitor of heme oxygenase-1 (HO-1) that markedly attenuates the protective effects of Phloroglucinol (PG) against H <sub>2</sub> O <sub>2</sub> and exhibits anti-cancer activity.
Targets(IC50)	Apoptosis, Reactive Oxygen Species, Endogenous Metabolite, ROS
In vitro	Zinc Protoporphyrin (Zn(II)-protoporphyrin IX; 5 μM; 72 hours) increased the proportion of late apoptosis and necrotic cells from 10.9% in the control group to 30.4% after 72 hours [3]. Zinc Protoporphyrin (1.25-40 μM; 48 or 72 hours) exerts cystostatic/cytotoxic effects against tumor cells[3]. Zinc Protoporphyrin (2.5, 5 μM; 48 or 72 hours) results in dose- and time-dependent reduction of cells in G1 phase of the cell cycle[3]. Zinc Protoporphyrin (1.25-40 μM; 48 hours) leads to accumulation of cleaved (active) caspase-3[3].
In vivo	Zinc Protoporphyrin exhibits dose-dependent antitumor effects manifested by the retardation of tumor growth[3].

## Solubility Information

Solubility	DMSO: 50 mg/mL (79.87 mM), Sonication is recommended. H <sub>2</sub> O: < 0.1 mg/mL (insoluble), (< 1 mg/ml refers to the product slightly soluble or insoluble)
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### Preparing Stock Solutions

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	1mg	5mg	10mg
1 mM	1.5974 mL	7.987 mL	15.9739 mL
5 mM	0.3195 mL	1.5974 mL	3.1948 mL
10 mM	0.1597 mL	0.7987 mL	1.5974 mL
50 mM	0.0319 mL	0.1597 mL	0.3195 mL

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Please select the appropriate solvent to prepare the stock solution, according to the solubility of the product in different solvents. Please use it as soon as possible.

Note: The dilution table applies only to solid products. For liquid products, please calculate the stock solution based on the stated concentration and/or density.

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