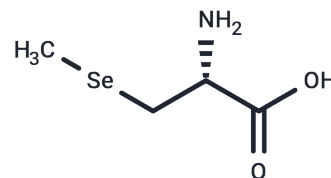


Se-Methylselenocysteine

Chemical Properties

CAS No. :	26046-90-2
Formula:	C4H9NO2Se
Molecular Weight:	182.08
Appearance:	no data available
Storage:	Powder: -20°C for 3 years In solvent: -80°C for 1 year



Biological Description

Description	Se-Methylselenocysteine (Se-MSc) is a potent chemopreventive agent in many test systems and has been shown to inhibit tumor promotion and induce apoptosis.
Targets(IC50)	BCL,IAP,Caspase
In vitro	Se-Methylselenocysteine displayed strong inhibitory effects on cell proliferation and viability of SKOV-3 cells in dose and time dependent manners and induced apoptosis. Pretreatment of cells with the caspase inhibitors (z-VAD-fmk and DEVD-CHO) prevented Se-Methylselenocysteine-induced apoptosis. In late stage of apoptosis, p18kDa fragment of Bax was generated with the down-regulation of the expressions of survivin, X-linked inhibitor of apoptosis protein, and human inhibitor of apoptosis protein 1 following Se-Methylselenocysteine treatment. Pre-treatments of z-VAD-fmk and the calpain inhibitor, calpeptin inhibited Bax cleavage. Taken together, the chemopreventive effects of Se-Methylselenocysteine may be related in part to the caspase-3 activation, the down-regulation of IAP family proteins, and Bax cleavage mediated by caspase-dependent calpain activation[2].
In vivo	AD mice are treated with Se-Methylselenocysteine (0.75 mg kg ⁻¹ BW per day) in their drinking water for 10 months. Results reveal that Se-Methylselenocysteine 1) reduces oxidative stress and neuro-inflammation; 2) modulates the distribution and levels of several metal ions; 3) decreases amyloid-β peptide (Aβ) generation by inhibiting the expression of its precursor protein APP and β-secretase (BACE1); and 4) attenuates tau hyperphosphorylation and neurofibrillary tangles (NFT) formation via promoting protein phosphatase 2A (PP2A) activity, thereby preserving synaptic proteins and neuron activities and finally improving spatial learning and memory deficits in AD model mice[4].

Solubility Information

Solubility	H2O: 83.33 mg/mL (457.66 mM) (< 1 mg/ml refers to the product slightly soluble or insoluble)
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Preparing Stock Solutions

	1mg	5mg	10mg
1 mM	5.4921 mL	27.4605 mL	54.9209 mL
5 mM	1.0984 mL	5.4921 mL	10.9842 mL
10 mM	0.5492 mL	2.746 mL	5.4921 mL
50 mM	0.1098 mL	0.5492 mL	1.0984 mL

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.

Reference

Yao Z, Zhang Y, Li H, Deng Z, Zhang X. Synergistic effect of Se-methylselenocysteine and vitamin E in ameliorating the acute ethanol-induced oxidative damage in rat. J Trace Elem Med Biol. 2015 Jan;29:182-7. doi: 10.1016/j.

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