

# **Data Sheet**

Product Name: CBL0137 hydrochloride

 Cat. No.:
 CS-0033711

 CAS No.:
 1197397-89-9

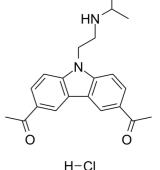
 Molecular Formula:
 C21H25CIN2O2

Molecular Weight: 372.89

Target:MDM-2/p53; NF-κBPathway:Apoptosis; NF-κB

Solubility: H2O: 10 mg/mL (26.82 mM; Need ultrasonic); DMSO: 25

mg/mL (67.04 mM; Need ultrasonic)



### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:**

CBL0137 hydrochloride is an inhibitor of the histone chaperone, **FACT**. CBL0137 hydrochloride can also activate **p53** and inhibits **NF-κ B** with **EC**<sub>50</sub>s of 0.37 and 0.47 μM, respectively. IC50 & Target: FACT<sup>[1]</sup>

EC50: 0.37 μM (p53), 0.47 μM (NF-Kb)<sup>[2]</sup> **In Vitro**: Treatment with CBL0137 hydrochloride leads to complete absence of living cells at concentrations above 2.5 μM. CBL0137 hydrochloride causes a greater reduction in the number of colonies formed of not only MiaPaCa-2 cells when combines with gemcitabine, but also gemcitabine-resistant PANC-1 cells. Treatment of human pancreatic cancer cells with CBL0137 hydrochloride results in a dose dependent reduction of protein and mRNA levels of RRM1 and RRM2<sup>[1]</sup>. **In Vivo**: The CBL0137 hydrochloride monotherapy group and the CBL0137 hydrochloride-gemcitabine combination group samples show large necrotic fields, numerous apoptotic bodies and loss of tumor cells. Sub-optimal doses of 50 to 60 mg/kg CBL0137 hydrochloride causes similar enhancement of gemcitabine antitumor activity as that produced by the maximum tolerated dose (MTD) of 90 mg/kg as indicated by the lack of statistically significant differences among the combination groups. CBL0137 hydrochloride inhibits FACT function through depletion of the pool of active FACT involved in transcription elongation<sup>[1]</sup>. CBL0137 hydrochloride, given by oral gavage at a nontoxic dose of 30 mg/kg per day on a 5 days on/2 days off schedule, suppresses tumor growth in xenografts of colon (DLD-1), renal cell carcinoma (Caki-1), and melanoma (Mel-7) tumor cell lines and transplanted surgical samples from patients with pancreatic ductal adenocarcinoma<sup>[2]</sup>.

## PROTOCOL (Extracted from published papers and Only for reference)

Kinase Assay: [1]MiaPaca2 and BxPC-3 cells are treated with CBL0137 hydrochloride for 4 or 24 h. Cells are harvested in 1× Cell Culture Lysis Reagent containing protease and phosphatase inhibitors. Lysates 5 to 20 μg are separated on SDS-PAGE gels and transferred to PVDF membranes. Blots are probed with antibodies specific for SSRP1, SPT16, RRM1, and RRM2. GAPDH is used as a loading control. Proteins are visualized using ECL kit<sup>[1]</sup>. **Cell Assay**: <sup>[1]</sup>Cells are resuspended in serum free Dulbecco's Modified Eagle Medium (DMEM) and treated with different concentrations of CBL0137 hydrochloride for 1h. After that 10<sup>5</sup> cells from each treatment condition are plated in 3 wells of 6-well plate in 2 mL of serum-free DMEM/F12 medium supplemented with 0.4% BSA, 0.2×B27, 10 ng/mL recombinant EGF and containing 0.25% agarose. 10<sup>3</sup> cells from each treatment condition are plated in 3 wells of 6-well plate in regular FBS containing medium. Colonies are counted using inverted microscope 7 to 15 days after plating<sup>[1]</sup>. **Animal Administration**: <sup>[1]</sup>10-week old female athymic nude mice (n=8 per treatment group) are deeply anesthetized with ketamine/xylazine. Using laparotomy, 2×10<sup>6</sup> PANC-1 cells are inoculated into the tail of the pancreas of each mouse. Two weeks following inoculation (tumor presence confirmed by ultrasound), treatment commenced. The following regimens are used: 1) vehicles, 100 mg/kg captisol i.v. and sterile water via gavage, 2) 50 to 90 mg/kg CBL0137 hydrochloride in 100 mg/mL captisol i.v. delivered via tail vein once per week, 3) 10 to 20 mg/kg CBL0137 hydrochloride p.o. via oral gavage, 5 days on/2 days off. Tumor measurement is done with digital calipers. Tumor volume is calculated using the equation L×W²/2 where L is the longest dimension and W is the dimension perpendicular to W. Mice are followed until at least one tumor per mouse reached 1000 mm³ or 90 days from start of treatment, whichever comes first<sup>[1]</sup>.

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## **References:**

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## **CAIndexNames:**

Ethanone, 1,1'-[9-[2-[(1-methylethyl)imino]ethyl]-9H-carbazole-3,6-diyl]bis-, hydrochloride (1:1)

## **SMILES:**

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