

# **Data Sheet**

Product Name: Paclitaxel
Cat. No.: CS-1145
CAS No.: 33069-62-4
Molecular Formula: C47H51NO14

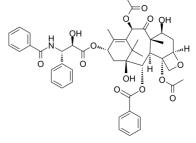
Molecular Weight: 853.91

Target: ADC Cytotoxin; Autophagy; Microtubule/Tubulin

Pathway: Antibody-drug Conjugate/ADC Related; Autophagy; Cell

Cycle/DNA Damage; Cytoskeleton

**Solubility:** H2O: < 0.1 mg/mL (insoluble); DMSO:  $\ge 50 \text{ mg/mL}$  (58.55 mM)



### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:**

Paclitaxel (Taxol), a naturally occurring antineoplastic agent, stabilizes **tubulin polymerization**, resulting in arrest at the G2/M phase of the cell cycle and apoptotic cell death<sup>[1][2]</sup>. IC50 & Target: IC50: 4 nM (Microtubule) **In Vitro**: Paclitaxel (20 nM; 48 hours) induces programmed cell death and exists a block at the G2/M phase of the cell cycle<sup>[1]</sup>.

Paclitaxel (20 nM; 48 hours) induces a consistent increase in the level of p53<sup>[1]</sup>. **In Vivo**: Paclitaxel (1-20 mg/kg; i.p.; 1 time/2 days for five cycles) obviously induces liver metastases at the low-Paclitaxel group with little influence on primary tumor growth<sup>[3]</sup>.

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

Cell Assay:  $^{[1]}1 \times 10^4$  cells are plated in 100  $\mu$ L of the growth medium in the presence or absence of increasing concentrations (0.1-1  $\mu$  M) of taxol in 96-well plates and cultured at 37°C in 5% CO<sub>2</sub> for 12-48 h. The cells are then incubated with 25  $\mu$ L of MTT (5 mg/mL) at 37°C for 4 h. After dissolving the crystals with 0.04 N HCl in isopropanol, the plates are read in a microplate reader at 570 nm. The concentration of drug that inhibits cell survival by 50% (IC<sub>50</sub>) is determined from cell survival plots. Animal Administration: Paclitaxel is dissolved at 25 mg/mL in 1:1 Cremophor EL: ethanol and freshly diluted 1:12.5 in 0.9% sterile saline prior to injections.  $^{[5]}$ Adult (250-320 g) male Sprague-Dawley rats are used for all experiments. Rats are housed two per cage in a temperature and humidity controlled, on a 12 h:12 h light:dark schedule with food and water available ad libitum. One week following the DiI injection, rats are anesthetized with isofluorane and injected into the tail vein with 2 mg/kg Paclitaxel (Taxol) or its vehicle (1:1:23, cremophor EL:ethanol:0.9% saline). The tail vein injection is repeated three more times every other day for a total of four injections.

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# **CAIndexNames:**

Benzenepropanoic acid,  $\beta$ -(benzoylamino)- $\alpha$ -hydroxy-, (2aR,4S,4aS,6R,9S,11S,12S,12aR,12bS)-6,12b-bis(acetyloxy)-12-(benzoyloxy)-2a,3,4,4a,5,6,9,10,11,12,12a,12b-dodecahydro-4,11-dihydroxy-4a,8,13,13-tetramethyl-5-oxo-7,11-methano-1H-cyclodeca[3,4]benz[1,2-b]oxet-9-yl ester, ( $\alpha$ R,  $\beta$ S)-

# **SMILES:**

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