

Dorsomorphin (Compound C)



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5 mg

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Background Dorsomorphin (Compound C) is a potent and reversible AMP-activated protein kinase (AMPK) inhibitor

that competes with ATP in the absence of AMP with a K_i value of 109 nM (1). This small compound is selective, displaying no significant inhibition of other kinases inclusive of ZAPK, SYK, PKC θ , PKA, and JAK3 (1). Research has shown that Dorsomorphin (Compound C) inhibits tumor cell proliferation and induces apoptosis through mechanisms independent of the AMPK pathway (2). This compound inhibits the effects that AICAR and metformin have on inactivating acetyl-CoA carboxylase (ACC) and selectively

inhibits the BMP type I receptors ALK2, ALK3, and ALK6 (1,3).

Molecular Formula $C_{24}H_{25}N_5O$ Molecular Weight399.5 g/mol

Purity >98%

CAS 866405-64-3

Solubility Soluble in DMSO at 4 mg/ml with warming.

Storage Store lyophilized at -20°C, desiccated. In lyophilized form, the chemical is stable for 24 months. Once in

solution, store at -20°C and use within 3 months to prevent loss of potency. *Aliquot to avoid multiple*

freeze/thaw cycles.

Directions for UseDorsomorphin (Compound C) is supplied as a lyophilized powder. For a 10 mM stock, reconstitute 5 mg

of powder in 1.25 ml of DMSO. Working concentrations and length of treatment can vary depending on

the desired effect.

Background References 1. Zhou, G. et al. (2001) *J Clin Invest* 108, 1167-74.

2. Liu, X. et al. (2014) Mol Cancer Ther 13, 596-605.

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