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-20°C**A-769662****#64839**

5 mg

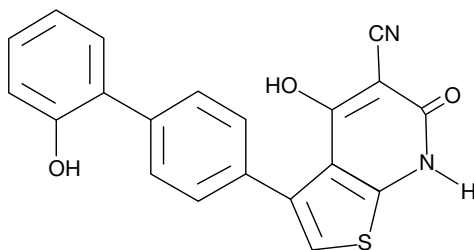
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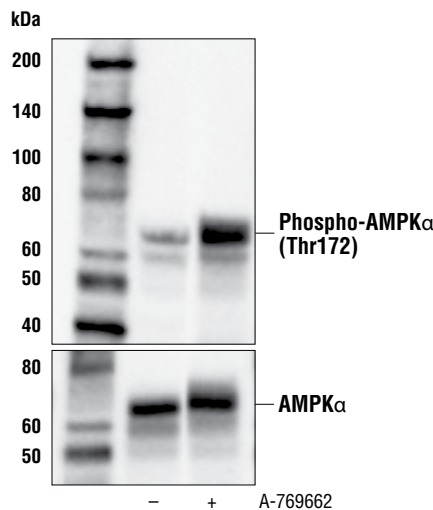
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Background: A-769662 is a potent activator of AMP-activated protein kinase (AMPK) by allosterically binding to the β and γ subunits and by inhibiting dephosphorylation of AMPK on Thr172 (1). This small molecule selectively targets AMPK heterotrimers containing the β 1 subunit (2). A-769662 has been shown to stimulate purified rat liver AMPK (EC_{50} = 0.8 μ M) and inhibit fatty acid synthesis in rat hepatocytes (IC_{50} = 3.2 μ M) (3). Treatment of adipocytes with A-769662 inhibits cell differentiation, leads to over-activation of AMPK, and inactivation of acetyl-CoA carboxylase (ACC), making this an interesting compound when studying obesity (4).

Molecular Formula: C₂₀H₁₂N₂O₃S

Molecular Weight: 360.4 g/mol

Purity: >98%

CAS: 844499-71-4

Solubility: Soluble in DMSO at 30 mg/ml or ethanol at 5 mg/ml with slight warming.


Western blot analysis of extracts from PC-3 cells, untreated (-) or treated with A-769662 (1 mM, 1 hr; +), using Phospho-AMPK α (Thr172) (40H9) Rabbit mAb #2535 (upper) or AMPK α Antibody #2532 (lower).

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 Use: A-769662 is supplied as a lyophilized powder. For a 15 mM stock, reconstitute 5 mg of powder in 924.9 μ l of DMSO. Working concentrations and length of treatment can vary depending on the desired effect.

Background References:

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