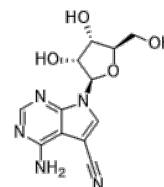


Product Name : Toyocamycin
Cat. No. : PC-27638
CAS No. : 606-58-6
Molecular Formula : C₁₂H₁₃N₅O₄
Molecular Weight : 291.27
Target : IRE1
Solubility : 10 mM in DMSO



Biological Activity

Toyocamycin (NSC 63701, Vengicide) is a small molecule inhibitor of ER stress-induced **XBP1** mRNA splicing, suppresses thapsigargin-induced XBP1-luciferase activation with IC₅₀ of 80 nM, selectively inhibits the **IRE1α-XBP1** pathway. Toyocamycin inhibits IRE1α-induced ATP-dependent XBP1 mRNA cleavage in vitro without affecting IRE1α auto-phosphorylation.

Toyocamycin is also an adenosine (ADE) analog be capable of Rio Kinase 1 (RioK1) inhibition at nanomolar levels (afRioK1, SPR KD=24.7 nM).

Toyocamycin synergizes with bortezomib in blocking human multiple myeloma (MM) cell growth.

Toyocamycin selectively induces apoptosis in prostate cancer PC-3 cell line by targeting pathways leading to reactive oxygen species (ROS).

Toyocamycin suppressed thapsigargin-induced XBP1 mRNA splicing in a dose-dependent manner with an IC₅₀ value of 0.18 μM in HeLa cells.

Toyocamycin also suppressed tunicamycin-induced XBP1 mRNA splicing with an IC₅₀ of 0.13 μM.

Toyocamycin inhibited RNA synthesis in mammalian cells at higher concentrations, suppressed incorporation of [3H]-uridine into the macromolecular fraction of HeLa cells in HeLa cells with IC₅₀ of 12 μM.

Toyocamycin selectively inhibits the IRE1α-XBP1 pathway, inhibits constitutive activation of XBP1 in MM cells, and triggers marked apoptosis of MM cell lines.

Toyocamycin (0.5 or 1.0 mg/kg, i.p. injection) exerts anti-tumor activity in SCID mice subcutaneously inoculated with RPMI8226.

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