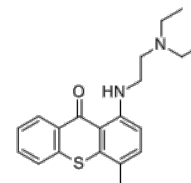


Product Name : Lucanthone
Cat. No. : PC-60602
CAS No. : 479-50-5
Molecular Formula : C₂₀H₂₄N₂OS
Molecular Weight : 340.485
Target : Autophagy
Solubility : 10 mM in DMSO



Biological Activity

Lucanthone is an ionizing radiation enhancer and apurinic/apyrimidinic endonuclease 1 (**APE1**) inhibitor with IC₅₀ of 5 μM for inhibition of APE1 incision of depurinated plasmid DNA, also may act as an inhibitor of protein palmitoyl thioesterase 1 (PPT1).

Lucanthone slows GBM by inhibiting autophagic flux through lysosome targeting and decreases the number of Olig2+ glioma stem-like cells (GSC) in vitro and in vivo.

Lucanthone efficiently abates stemness in patient-derived GSC and reduces tumor microtubule formation in GSC, an emerging hallmark of treatment resistance in GBM.

Lucanthone is an orally available thioxanthone-based DNA intercalator and inhibitor of the DNA repair enzyme apurinic-apyrimidinic endonuclease 1 (APE1) potential antineoplastic activity, also inhibits **autophagy**; induces lysosomal membrane permeabilization, and possesses significantly more potent activity in breast cancer models compared with chloroquine; induces cathepsin D-mediated apoptosis.

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