



Forskolin

Catalog No: tcsc1454

Available Sizes
Size: 10mg
Size: 50mg
Size: 100mg
Size: 200mg
Size: 500mg
Size: 1g
Size: 2g
Specifications
CAS No: 66575-29-9
Formula: $C_{22}^{H}_{34}^{O}_{7}$
Pathway: GPCR/G Protein
Target: Adenylate Cyclase
Purity / Grade: >98%
Solubility: DMSO : ≥ 32 mg/mL (77.95 mM)





Alternative Names:

Coleonol; Colforsin

Observed Molecular Weight:

410.5

Product Description

Forskolin is a potent adenylate cyclase activator, with binding (IC_{50} =41 nM) to and activation (EC_{50} =0.5 μ M) of type I adenylyl cyclase.

IC50 & Target: IC50: 41 nM (Adenylyl cyclase)[1]

EC50: 0.5 μM (Adenylyl cyclase)^[1]

In Vitro: Forskolin (Fsk) is a naturally occurring diterpene isolated from Coleus forskholii, directly activates adenylyl cyclase (AC) through its catalytic subunit to increase intracellular levels of cyclic adenosine monophosphate (cAMP)^[1]. Forskolin (Fsk) affects the proliferation of the human T-cell lines such as Kit 225 and MT-2. Forskolin treatment inhibits the proliferation of both Kit 225 and MT-2 cells in a dose-dependent manner with an IC₅₀ equal to ~5 μ M Fsk. Forskolin treatment (10-100 μ M) increases cAMPi levels ~5- to 20-fold above basal levels, which reache maximum levels between 50-100 μ M Forskolin^[2].

In Vivo: The Forskolin (Fsk)-treated Mrp4^{-/-} mice shows an increased number of Ki67-positive and cleaved caspase 3-positive ECs, a significant decrease in the amount of pericyte coverage, and a reduced number of empty sleeves. In pups exposed to hyperoxia (75% oxygen) from P7 to P12, the Mrp4^{-/-} mice shows a significant increase in the unvascularized retinal area^[3]. The average blood glucose in the healthy rat group is 102.12 ± 1.94 mg/dL, 101.25 ± 3.56 for control group and 103 ± 2.08 in forskolin group. The data shows that glucose levels at the end of the study are lower in forskolin group, with a significant difference according to the statistical tests applied (p=0.03)^[4].

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