

Data Sheet

Product Name:	Nociceptin
Cat. No.:	CS-7588
CAS No.:	170713-75-4
Molecular Formula:	C ₇₉ H ₁₂₉ N ₂₇ O ₂₂
Molecular Weight:	1809.04
Target:	Opioid Receptor
Pathway:	GPCR/G Protein; Neuronal Signaling
Solubility:	H_2O : \geq 50 mg/mL;DMSO : 50 mg/mL (ultrasonic)

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:

Nociceptin, a heptadecapeptide, is the endogenous ligand of the nociceptin receptor, acting as a potent anti-analgesic. *In Vitro:* Nociceptin (1 µg/mL) significantly prevents LPS (10 ng/mL)-stimulated cell migration whereas it is ineffective when added alone. Nociceptin (1 nM-10 µM) elicits a concentration-dependent blockade of LPS-mediated cell migration, with a maximal effect at 1 and 10 µM. Nociceptin counteracts LPS-induced elevation of IL-1 β mRNA levels. Nociceptin (1 µM) and NNC 55-0396 induce apoptotic cell death in U87 cells. Nociceptin (1 µM) counteracts LPS-induced [Ca²⁺]i increase in U87 cells via β -arrestin 2. Nociceptin counteracts the LPS-induced phosphorylation of PKC and ERK in U87 cells. Nociceptin inhibits the LPS-mediated transcriptional activation of NF-kB and AP-1 reporter genes^[1].

PROTOCOL (Extracted from published papers and Only for reference)

Cell Assay: ^[1]Cell proliferation assay is carried out in the assay. U87 cells are plated on 12-well plate and treated for 24 h maintained in cell culture medium containing 10% fetal bovine serum. Five hours before the end of the treatments, [methyl-³H] Thymidine (50 nM final concentration) is added to serum-free cell culture medium and the plate is incubated at 37°C. Thereafter, medium is removed and cells are washed twice with PBS. 200 µL of PBS is added to each well, the cells are scraped off and centrifuged at 13,000g for 3 min at 4°C; supernatants are then discarded, pellets resuspended in 500 µL of cold trichloroacetic acid (10% w/v), incubated on ice for 20 min and centrifuged at 13,000g for 3 min at 4°C. The obtained supernatant is then discarded, pellet suspended in 500 µL of cold methanol and centrifuged at 3 min for 13,000g at 4°C. After that, the pellet is suspended in 200 µL of NaOH 1 N and heated at 55°C for 10 min. Samples are then neutralized with 200 µL of HCl 1 N and 350 µL of the labeled DNA incubated in counting vials with 4 mL of Filter Count scintillation liquid. Vials are vortexed and incubated overnight at room temperature and the radioactivity is determined by liquid scintillation spectrometry.

References:

[1]. Bedini A, et al. Nociceptin/orphanin FQ antagonizes lipopolysaccharide-stimulated proliferation, migration and inflammatory signaling in human glioblastoma U87 cells. Biochem Pharmacol. 2017 Sep 15;140:89-104.

CAIndexNames:

L-Glutamine, L-phenylalanylglycylglycyl-L-phenylalanyl-L-threonylglycyl-L-alanyl-L-arginyl-L-lysyl-L-seryl-L-alanyl-L-arginyl-L-lysyl-L-leucyl-L-alanyl-L-aspar aginyl-

SMILES:

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