BioVision

Caspase-1/ICE Inhibitor, Z-YVAD-FMK

CATALOG #: 1012-100

STORAGE CONDITIONS: Store at – 20°C.

SHELF LIFE: 1 year under proper storage conditions

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 630.7

SEQUENCE: Z-Tyr-Val-Ala-Asp (OMe)-FMK (FMK, fluoromethyl

ketone)

PURITY: >99% by HPLC analysis

PACKAGE CONTENTS: 100 µl Z-YVAD-FMK (2 mM) in DMSO

DESCRIPTION: A synthetic peptide that irreversibly inhibits ICE (interleukin- 1β converting enzyme, K_i = 0.76 nM) activity. YVAD is the preferred recognition sequence for caspase-1. The inhibitor is designed as a methyl ester to facilitate cell permeability. (**CAUTION**: If the intended use is on purified or recombinant enzymes, esterase should be added to generate free carboxyl groups).

RECOMMENDED USAGE:

We recommend using 1000-5000X dilutions for inhibiting caspase-1 activity in Jurkat cell culture (e.g., Add 1 μ l to 1-5 ml of culture medium). The optimal doses may vary for different cells and culture conditions.

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