RioVision

Caspase-Family Inhibitor, Z-VAD-FMK

CATALOG #: 1140-1 1 mg

> 1140-5 5 mg

STORAGE: Store at -20°C.

SHELF LIFE: 1 year under proper storage conditions

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 468.0

SEQUENCE: Z-Val-Ala-Asp(OME)-FMK

PURITY: One spot by TLC

PACKAGE CONTENTS: 1 mg (or 5 mg) lyophilized powder

RECONSTITUTION: Reconstitute in DMSO (20 mM)

DESCRIPTION:

A synthetic peptide that irreversibly inhibits activity of caspase family proteases and blocks apoptosis. The inhibitor is designed as a methyl ester to facilitate cell permeability. The product can be used for both in vitro and in vivo studies. (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 2-10 µM for inhibiting caspase activity in cell culture. The optimal doses may vary for different cells and culture conditions.

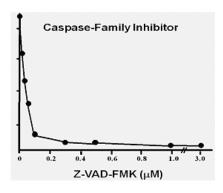


Fig. 1. Apoptosis was induced in Jurkat cells with camptothecin (2 mM) for 6 hours in the presence of various concentrations of Caspase-Family Inhibitor, Z-VAD-FMK. Caspase activity was measured using Caspase-3 Fluorometric Assay Kit (K105-25) according to the kit instructions.

FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY! Not to be used in humans.

RELATED PRODUCTS:

Apoptosis Detection Kits & Reagents

- Annexin V Kits & Bulk Reagents
- Caspase Assay Kits & Reagents
- Mitochondrial Apoptosis Kits & Reagents
- Nuclear Apoptosis Kits & Reagents
- Apoptosis Inducers and Set
- Apoptotic Cell Isolation Kit

Cell Fractionation System

- Mitochondria/Cytosol Fractionation Kit
- Nuclear/Cytosol Fractionation Kit
- Membrane Protein Extraction Kit
- Cytosol/Particulate Rapid Separation Kit
- Mammalian Cell Extraction Kit
- FractionPREP Fractionation System

Cell Proliferation & Senescence

- Quick Cell Proliferation Assay Kit
- Senescence Detection Kit
- High Throughput Apoptosis/Cell Viability Assay Kits
- LDH-Cytotoxicity Assay Kit
- Bioluminescence Cytotoxicity Assay Kit
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- Akt & JNK Activity Assay Kits
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