BioVision

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Product: VK3-OCH3

ALTERNATE NAME: 2-[(2-Methoxyethyl)thio]-3-methyl-1,4-naphthalenedione;

VK3-OMe

CATALOG #: 2694-5, 25

AMOUNT: 5 mg, 25 mg

STRUCTURE:

MOLECULAR FORMULA: C₁₄H₁₄O₃S

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 262.32

CAS NUMBER: 255906-59-3

APPEARANCE: Light orange to dark orange powder

SOLUBILITY: DMSO (~10 mg/ml)

PURITY: ≥98% by HPLC

STORAGE: Store at -20 °C. Protect from air and light

DESCRIPTION: VK3-OCH3 is a Vitamin K3 (Menadione) analog that displays

potent antitumor activity. It has been shown to induce G2/M arrest and apoptosis in neuroblastoma cells with much less cytotoxicity towards normal cells. VK3-OCH3 is believed to act through up-regulation of heme oxygenase (HO)-1.

REFERENCES: Kitano, T., et al. (2012). Biol. & Pharm Bull. **35**, 617-623.

HANDLING: Do not take internally. Wear gloves and mask when handling

the product! Avoid contact by all modes of exposure.

RELATED PRODUCTS:

Heme Oxygenase-1 Antibody (Cat. No. 3391-100) Heme Oxygenase-2 Antibody (Cat. No. 3392-100)

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