PRODUCT INFORMATION



Akt Inhibitor IV

Item No. 15569

CAS Registry No.: 681281-88-9

Formal Name: 6-(2-benzothiazolyl)-1-ethyl-2-[2-

(methylphenylamino)ethenyl]-3-phenyl-

1H-benzimidazolium, monoiodide

MF: C₃₁H₂₇N₄S • I

FW: **Purity:**

UV/Vis.: λ_{max} : 386 nm Supplied as:

Storage: -20°C Stability:



Laboratory Procedures

Akt inhibitor IV is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the Akt inhibitor IV in the solvent of choice. Akt inhibitor IV is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide, which should be purged with an inert gas. The solubility of Akt inhibitor IV in these solvents is approximately 30 mg/ml.

Description

Akt inhibitor IV is an inhibitor of Akt activation that inhibits Akt-mediated nuclear export of Forkhead box class O transcription factor 1a (FOXO1a; IC_{50} = 625 nM) and reduces phosphorylation of Akt at Ser⁴⁷³ and Thr³⁰⁸ in a dose-dependent manner.¹ Akt inhibitor IV inhibits replication of parainfluenza virus 5 (PIV5) in HeLa cells (IC $_{50}$ = 520 nM). It also reduces the growth of cancer cells (IC $_{50}$ = 0.3 μ M for both Jurkat and HeLa cells) via a reduction in mitochondrial polarization and increased production of reactive oxygen species (ROS).3

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