# PRODUCT INFORMATION



# Mocetinostat

Item No. 18287

CAS Registry No.: 726169-73-9

Formal Name: N-(2-aminophenyl)-4-[[[4-(3-

pyridinyl)-2-pyrimidinyl]amino]

methyl]-benzamide

Synonym: MGCD0103 MF:  $C_{23}H_{20}N_{6}O$ FW: 396.4 **Purity:** ≥98%

UV/Vis.:  $\lambda_{max}$ : 237 nm Supplied as: A crystalline solid

-20°C Storage: Stability: ≥4 years

Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.

## **Laboratory Procedures**

Mocetinostat is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the mocetinostat in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Mocetinostat is soluble in organic solvents such as DMSO and dimethyl formamide (DMF). The solubility of mocetinostat in these solvents is approximately 20 and 25 mg/ml, respectively.

Mocetinostat is sparingly soluble in aqueous buffers. For maximum solubility in aqueous buffers, mocetinostat should first be dissolved in DMF and then diluted with the aqueous buffer of choice. Mocetinostat has a solubility of approximately 0.5 mg/ml in a 1:1 solution of DMF:PBS (pH 7.2) using this method. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

## Description

Mocetinostat is an orally available inhibitor of histone deacetylases (HDACs) that selectively targets HDAC1 and 2 (IC $_{50}$ S = 0.15 and 0.29  $\mu$ M, respectively), less potently inhibits HDAC3 and 11  $(IC_{50}s = 1.66 \text{ and } 0.59 \mu\text{M}, \text{ respectively})$  and has negligible actions against HDAC4-8.<sup>1,2</sup> It induces hyperacetylation of histones, causes cell cycle blockade, and induces apoptosis in cancer cells in vitro.<sup>1,3</sup> Mocetinostat also has antitumor activity in vivo, blocking the growth of human tumor xenografts in mice. 1 lt also significantly reduces cardiac fibrosis following ischemic heart failure in mice.<sup>4</sup>

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