

# **EPZ004777 (Formate)**

Histone modifier; Inhibits disruptor of telomeric silencing 1-like (DOT1L)

**Catalog** #100-1655 10 mg

## **Product Description**

EPZ004777 (Formate) is a potent inhibitor of disruptor of telomeric silencing 1-like (DOT1L) histone lysine methyltransferase ( $IC_{50}$  = 400 pM). By inhibiting DOT1L, EPZ004777 (Formate) prevents DOT1L-mediated methylation of lysine 79 of histone 3 (H3K79; Daigle et al.). H3K79 methylation impacts telomeric silencing, transcriptional regulation, DNA-damage repair, and cell cycle progression (Nguyen & Zhang). Dysregulation of DOTL1-mediated H3K79 methylation is involved in the development of mixed-lineage leukemia (MLL) and the pathophysiology of other cancers (McLean et al.).

Alternative Names: Not applicable

CAS Number: Not applicable

Chemical Formula:  $C_{28}H_{41}N_7O_4 \bullet CH_2O_2$ 

Molecular Weight: 585.7 g/mol

**Purity**: ≥ 98%

Chemical Name: 7-[5-deoxy-5-[[3-[[[[4-(1,1-dimethylethyl)phenyl]amino]carbonyl]amino]propyl](1-methylethyl)amino]-β-

D-ribofuranosyl]-7H-pyrrolo[2,3-d]pyrimidin-4-amine, monoformic acid

Structure:

### **Properties**

**Product Format**: A crystalline solid

Stability and Storage: Product stable at -20°C as supplied. As a precaution, STEMCELL recommends storing all small molecules

away from direct light. For long-term storage, store with a desiccant. Stable as supplied for 12 months

from date of receipt.

Preparation: • DMSO ≤ 17 mM

• Absolute ethanol ≤ 17 mM

For example, to prepare a 10 mM stock solution in DMSO, resuspend 10 mg in 1.71 mL of DMSO.

Prepare stock solution fresh before use. Information regarding stability of small molecules in solution has rarely been reported; however, as a general guide we recommend storage in DMSO at -20°C. Aliquot into working volumes to avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles. The effect of storage of stock solution on compound performance should be tested for each application.

Compound has low solubility in aqueous media. For use as a cell culture supplement, stock solution should be diluted into culture medium immediately before use. Avoid final DMSO or absolute ethanol concentration above 0.1% due to potential cell toxicity.

# **Published Applications**

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- Reduces cell viability and colony formation in human prostate cancer cell lines and patient-derived xenograft model (Vatapalli et al.).
- Inhibits cell growth and upregulates pro-apoptotic genes in a mouse xenograft model of ovarian cancer and human ovarian cancer cell lines (Chava et al.).
- Reduces mouse pancreatic and colon cancer cell viability and colony formation and reduces tumor growth in a mouse xenograft model (Zhou et al.).
- Induces apoptosis, cell-cycle arrest, and terminal differentiation in human acute myeloid leukemia cells and suppresses leukemic tumor growth in a mouse xenograft model (Rau et al.).

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