

Catalog # 10-3927 Indisulam

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4-N-(3-Chloro-1H-indol-7-yl)benzene-1,4-disulfonamide; E7070 Lot # FBA9095

Indisulam was originally described as a potent antitumor agent that targeted the G1 phase of cell cycle *via* suppression of activation of CDK2 and cyclin E expression. More recently it has been found to act as a molecular glue promoting the recruitment of RNA binding motif protein 39 (RBM39) to the CUL4-DCAF15 E3 ubiquitin ligase leading to proteasomal degradation. Removal of splicing factor RBM39 leads to altered RNA splicing and death in multiple cancer cell lines – Indisulam alters the expression of more than 3000 genes and causes widespread intron retention and exon skipping. It induced metabolome perturbations and mitochondrial dysfunction in neuroblastoma models leading to complete tumor regression without relapse. Arginine has been found to bind to RBM39 causing reprogramming of metabolic genes to promote tumor growth – indisulam treatment leading to RBM39 degradation mimics arginine depletion resulting in reduced growth in patient-derived hepatocellular carcinoma organoids.

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PHYSICAL DATA

Molecular Weight: 385.84

Molecular Formula: $C_{14}H_{12}CIN_3O_4S_2$ Purity: >98% by HPLC NMR: (Conforms)

Solubility: DMSO (>25 mg/ml)
Physical Description: Off-white solid

Storage and Stability: Store as supplied at -20°C for up to 2 years from the date of purchase. Solutions in

DMSO may be stored at -20°C for up to 1 month.

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