

Supplemental material and data

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Potentiation of muscarinic M₃ receptor activation through a new allosteric site with a novel positive allosteric modulator ASP8302

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Primers for constructions of cells expressing of human muscarinic M₁, M₂, M₃, M₄ and M₅ receptors are as follows:

Human muscarinic M₁ receptors

Forward primer: GTGGGATCCATGAACACTTCAGCCCCACCTGC

Reverse primer: CACGCCGCCCTATCAGCATTGGCGGGAGG

Human muscarinic M₂ receptors

Forward primer: CCACCATGAATAACTCAACAAACTCCTCTAAC

Reverse primer: GATATTACCTTGTAGCGCCTATG

Human muscarinic M₃ receptors

Forward primer: TCACAATGACCTTGACAAATAACAG

Reverse primer: GATACAACCTCATTCTACAAGGCC

Human muscarinic M₄ receptors

Forward primer: CTCGCGGCCGCATGGCCAACCTCACACCTGTCAA

Reverse primer: CTCGGATCCCCTACCTGGCAGTGCGATGTTCCG

Human muscarinic M₅ receptors

Forward primer: CTCGCGGCCGCATGGAAGGGGATTCTTACC

Reverse primer: CTCGGATCCTCAGGGTAGCTGCTGTTCC

Supplemental Table 1. Methods, PCR templates and primers used for the construction of plasmids expressing receptor mutants

| Chimeric receptor | Methods | 1st PCR | | | | | | 2nd PCR | | |
|--------------------------------------|---|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------|------------|-----------|-----------|----|
| | | Fragment 1 | | Fragment 2 | | Templates | | Primers | | |
| | | Templates | Primers | Templates | Primers | Templates | Primers | Templates | Primers | |
| M3_TM2_M1 M3_TM4_M1 | Inverse PCR-based site-directed mutagenesis, Mega primer polymerase chain reaction | pcDNA hM3 | P1 P2 P3 | NA | NA | pcDNA hM1 | Fragment 1 | P4 | | |
| M3_TM5_M1 M1_TM5_M3 | PCR-based single-site mutagenesis | pcDNA hM3 pcDNA hM1 | P5 P6 P9 P10 | pcDNA hM1 pcDNA hM3 | P7 P8 P11 P12 | Fragment 1 | Fragment 2 | P5 P9 | P8 P12 | |
| M3_TM4_M1_TM5_M3 M1_TM4_M3_TM5_M1 | Inverse PCR-based site-directed mutagenesis | pcDNA hM3 pcDNA hM1 | P13 P15 P16 | P14 | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA |

M1: muscarinic M₁ receptor; M3: muscarinic M₃ receptor; hM1: human muscarinic M₁ receptor, hM3: human muscarinic M₃ receptor, TM: transmembrane, NA: not applicable.

The primers used were as follows:

P1 TTTCACAATGACCTTGACACAATAAC

P2 GATGAGGTCAGCACAGGCCAGGCTTAAGAGGAAGTAGTTGTTG

P3 GCCAGAAGAGGATGGCTGGAGCCAAAGGACAAAGGAGATG

P4 CTTAAGTTAACCGCTAGCCAGC

P5 ATACAGAATT CGTCACCATGACCTTGACACAATAACAGTAC

P6 CGTGCACATAATGGTGACAGGCATATAAAAAGC

P7 GCCTGTCACCATTATGTGCACGCTCTACTGG

P8 TCCTCGGATCCCTATCAGCATTGGCGGGAGGG

P9 TCGGGGAATTGCCACCATGAACACTTCAGCCC

P10 GTCATGACTGTGACAGGGAGGTAGAAG

P11 CCTCCCTGTCACAGTCATGACTATTTATACTGGAGGATC

P12 CTATGGGATCCATTCTACAAGGCCTGCTCGGGTG

P13 CAGTGCTACATTCAAGTCCCTCAGTGAGCCC

P14 CCCAGCTAGCACAGTTCTCTTCCAACAAAG

P15 GAGTGCTTCATCCAGTTCCCTCTCCCAGCC

P16 TCCCCGGAGGCAGTGTCCGCTCCCCCTACC

M3_TM2_M1 and M3_TM4_M1 were constructed by inverse PCR-based site-directed mutagenesis and mega primer polymerase chain reaction (Rajiv et al., 2004). N-terminal M₃ receptor sequences were amplified by PCR and purified by agarose gel electrophoresis (shown as 1st PCR in Table 1). Using this fragment as a mega primer, inverse PCR was conducted (shown as 2nd PCR in Table 1). Inverse PCR, digestion of the template plasmid by DpnI, and self-ligation of PCR products (Kinase/Ligase) were conducted using a KOD -Plus-Mutagenesis Kit (Toyobo) according to the manufacturer's instructions.

M3_TM5_M1 and M1_TM5_M3 were constructed by PCR-based single-site mutagenesis (Fanli et al., 2017). M₁ receptor and M₃ receptor sequences were amplified by PCR and purified by agarose gel electrophoresis (shown as 1st PCR in Table 1). Using this fragment as template, 2nd PCR was conducted. The PCR products were digested by EcoRI and BamHI, purified by agarose gel electrophoresis, and inserted into pcDNA 3.1 (-) EcoRI – BamHI sites.

M3_ECL2_M1 and M1_ECL2_M3 were constructed by inverse PCR-based site-directed mutagenesis (BioTechniques, 1997). Inverse PCR (shown as 1st PCR in Table 1), digestion of the template plasmid by DpnI, and self-ligation of PCR products (Kinase/Ligase) were conducted using a KOD -Plus- Mutagenesis Kit (Toyobo) according to the manufacturer's instructions.

Sequences of the mutant constructs were confirmed by DNA sequencing.

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Supplemental data**Supplemental Table 2.** Inhibitory effect of ASP8302 on radioligand binding to various receptors, ion channels and transporters

| Tested molecule | Inhibition (%) | |
|---|----------------|---|
| | ASP8302 | Positive substance |
| Adenosine A1 (Rat) | 13.40 | 99.87 (DPCPX) |
| α 1-Adrenergic (Non-selective) (Rat) | 13.93 | 99.41 (Prazosin) |
| α 2-Adrenergic (Non-selective) (Rat) | 26.90 | 99.92 (Yohimbine) |
| β -Adrenergic (Non-selective) (Rat) | 3.92 | 100.00 ((\pm)-Propranolol) |
| Angiotensin AT1 (Human) | 10.30 | 96.12 (Angiotensin II) |
| Angiotensin AT2 (Mouse) | 0.00 | 100.00 (Angiotensin II) |
| Bradykinin B2 (Human) | 6.11 | 98.98 (HOE140) |
| Ca Channel (Type L, Dihydropyridine) (Rat) | 0.08 | 100.00 (Nitrendipine) |
| Ca Channel (Type N) (Rat) | 0.00 | 99.81 (ω -Conotoxin GVIA) |
| CCK A (Human) | 0.00 | 95.13 (CCK-8) |
| CCK B (Human) | 0.00 | 99.58 (CCK-8) |
| CRF1 (Human) | 5.88 | 99.90 (Urocortin human) |
| Dopamine D1 (Rat) | 1.67 | 99.46 (R(+)-SCH-23390) |
| Dopamine D2 Short (Human) | 0.00 | 100.00 ((+)-Butaclamol) |
| Dopamine Transporter (Human) | 0.00 | 99.74 (GBR12909) |
| Estrogen (Rat) | 1.29 | 100.00 (β -Estradiol) |
| Endothelin ETA (Human) | 0.00 | 97.21 (Endothelin-1) |
| Endothelin ETB (Human) | 9.01 | 97.89 (Endothelin-1) |
| GABA A (Agonist Site) (Rat) | 2.71 | 100.00 (Muscimol) |
| GABA A (BZ Central) (Rat) | 25.41 | 100.00 (Diazepam) |
| GABA B (Rat) | 1.16 | 100.00 (GABA) |
| Glutamate (AMPA) (Rat) | 4.73 | 100.00 ((S)-AMPA) |
| Glutamate (Kainate) (Rat) | 3.18 | 97.60 (Kainic acid) |
| Glutamate (NMDA Agonist Site) (Rat) | 6.01 | 100.00 (L-Glutamic acid) |
| Glutamate (NMDA Glycine Site) (Rat) | 0.00 | 98.72 (MDL105,519) |
| Glycine (Strychnine Sensitive) (Rat) | 2.48 | 100.00 (Strychnine) |
| Histamine H1 (Central) (Guinea pig) | 9.28 | 100.00 (Pyrilamine) |
| Histamine H2 (Rat) | 8.00 | 100.00 (Cimetidine) |
| Histamine H3 (Rat) | 13.26 | 99.81 ((R)(-)- α -Methylhistamine) |

ASP8302 concentration: 10 μ mol/L, Positive substance concentration: 1 μ mol/L for HOE140, urocortin human and endothelin-1, or 10 μ mol/L for the others in supplemental table 2

Data are expressed as the mean values of duplicate samples.

The inhibition rate was calculated from “100 – binding ratio”.

$$\text{Binding ratio: } [(B - N)/(B_0 - N)] \times 100 (\%)$$

B: Bound radioactivity in the presence of test substance (individual value)

B₀: Total bound radioactivity in the absence of test substance (mean value)

N: Non-specific bound radioactivity (mean value)

DPCPX: dipropylcyclopentylxanthine; CCK: cholecystokinin; CRF: corticotropin-releasing factor; GABA: gamma-amino butyric acid; AMPA: alpha-amino-3-hydroxy-5-methyl-4-isoxazolepropionic acid; NMDA: N-methyl-D-aspartic acid

Supplemental Table 3. Inhibitory effect of ASP8302 on radioligand binding to various receptors, ion channels and transporters

| Tested molecule | Inhibition (%) | |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|--|
| | ASP8302 | Positive substance |
| K Channel KATP (Rat) | 1.84 | 100.00 (Glybenclamide) |
| K Channel SkCa (Rat) | 6.46 | 100.00 (Apamin) |
| Leukotriene B4 (Guinea pig) | 0.00 | 100.00 (Leukotriene B ₄) |
| Leukotriene D4 (Guinea pig) | 0.00 | 100.00 (Leukotriene D ₄) |
| Melatonin MT1 (Human) | 1.50 | 100.00 (Melatonin) |
| Muscarinic (Non-selective) (Rat) | 8.96 | 99.94 (Atropine) |
| Muscarinic M1 (Human) | 19.65 | 100.00 (Atropine) |
| Muscarinic M2 (Human) | 22.86 | 100.00 (Atropine) |
| Na Channel Site 2 (Rat) | 23.41 | 99.56 (Dibucaine) |
| Neurokinin NK1 (Human) | 19.89 | 100.00 (L-703,606) |
| Neurokinin NK2 (Human) | 9.79 | 100.00 (Neurokinin A) |
| Neurokinin NK3 (Human) | 0.00 | 100.00 (Senktide) |
| Norepinephrine Transporter (Human) | 7.46 | 99.11 (Desipramine) |
| Nicotinic (Neuronal) (Rat) | 0.00 | 99.73 ((±)-Nicotine) |
| Opiate (Non-selective) (Rat) | 8.65 | 100.00 (Naloxone) |
| Opiate μ (Human) | 0.00 | 100.00 (DAMGO) |
| Oxytocin (Rat) | 0.00 | 99.71 (Oxytocin) |
| PAF (Rabbit) | 0.08 | 100.00 (PAF) |
| Serotonin 5HT1 (Non-selective) (Rat) | 7.80 | 95.94 (Serotonin) |
| Serotonin 5HT2B (Human) | 10.05 | 97.07 (Serotonin) |
| Serotonin Transporter (Human) | 7.88 | 100.00 (Imipramine) |
| Sigma (Non-selective) (Guinea pig) | 27.42 | 100.00 (Haloperidol) |
| Testosterone (Human) | 14.15 | 100.00 (Testosterone) |
| Vasopressin V1 (Rat) | 5.54 | 100.00 ([Arg ⁸]-Vasopressin) |
| VIP 1 (Human) | 6.76 | 100.00 (VIP) |
| Muscarinic M3 (Human) | 15.90 | 100.00 (Atropine) |
| Muscarinic M4 (Human) | 9.27 | 99.95 (Atropine) |
| Muscarinic M5 (Human) | 8.89 | 99.82 (Atropine) |

ASP8302 concentration: 10 μmol/L, Positive substance concentration: 1 μmol/L for

leukotriene B₄, leukotriene D₄ and VIP, or 10 μmol/L for the others in supplemental table 3

Data are expressed as the mean values of duplicate samples.

The inhibition rate was calculated from “100 – binding ratio”.

$$\text{Binding ratio: } [(B - N)/(B_0 - N)] \times 100 (\%)$$

B: Bound radioactivity in the presence of test substance (individual value)

B₀: Total bound radioactivity in the absence of test substance (mean value)

N: Non-specific bound radioactivity (mean value)

DAMGO: [D-Ala₂, N-MePhe₄, Gly-ol₅]enkephalin; KATP: ATP-sensitive potassium; SkCa: small conductance calcium-activated potassium; PAF: platelet activating factor; VIP: vasoactive intestinal peptide

Supplemental Table 4. Inhibitory effect of ASP8302 on various enzymes

| Tested enzyme | Inhibition (%) | |
|------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|
| | ASP8302 | Positive substance |
| Acetylcholinesterase (Human) | 0.00 | 99.40 (Eserine) |
| MAO-A (Rat) | 11.28 | 98.25 (Clorgyline) |
| MAO-B (Rat) | 8.09 | 93.41 (Ro 16-6491) |

ASP8302 concentration: 10 µmol/L, Positive substance concentration: 100 µmol/L for Ro 16-

6491, or 10 µmol/L for the others in supplemental table 4

Data are expressed as the mean values of duplicate samples.

The inhibition rate was calculated from “100 – reaction ratio”.

$$\text{Reaction ratio: } [(B - N)/(B_0 - N)] \times 100 (\%)$$

B: Radioactivity or fluorescence intensity in the tube or well for calculation of inhibition ratio (individual value)

B_0 : Radioactivity or fluorescence intensity of the tube or well for calculation of total reaction (mean value)

N: Radioactivity or fluorescence intensity of the tube or well for calculation of non-specific reaction (mean value)

MAO: monoamine oxidase