

## عنوان مقاله:

Evaluation Of Biological Activity And Specificity Of Mesenchymal Epithelial Transition (MET) Proto-Oncogene In KYSE-30 Cell Line

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## خلاصه مقاله:

Esophageal squamous cell carcinoma (ESCC) is the sixth and ninth most common cancer between men and women worldwide, respectively. ESCC is a frequently recurrent deadly cancer for which no efficient targeted drug exists. Uncontrolled cell survival, growth, angiogenesis and metastasis are essential signs of cancer. Genetic and biochemical experiments have demonstrated that hepatocyte growth factor/scatter factor (HGF/SF) and its receptor, the tyrosine kinase MET, have an important role in all of these processes, thus providing a strong rationale for targeting these molecules in cancer. Small Molecules Inhibitors (SMIs) of the kinases are considered as one of the most promising molecular strategies to combat with such aggressive cancers. Heterocyclic compounds composed of a common core structure and different substituents used in this study. KYSE-30 cell line was used for cellular examinations. Cytotoxicity evaluation tests at different concentrations of compounds were performed using Resazurin reagent for this cell line. Graphpad Prism software was used for analysis of the cell survival data and calculation of IC<sub>50</sub> values for each compound. Another cellular and molecular experiments such as migration assay and western blot performed to identify the specificity of compounds for MET receptor. Regarding the cytotoxic assessments, the IC<sub>50</sub> concentration had a rising trend in D7, 1 and 5, respectively. All of them significantly inhibited the cell growth and proliferation ( $p < 0.05$ ). Moreover, it was observed that all of the compounds had a significant role on cell migration arrest ( $p < 0.05$ ). The western blot also approved that, these drugs have inhibited MET auto phosphorylation. Western blot analysis have shown that the D1, 5 and 7 can be introduced as specific drugs to target the MET receptors. D1 and 7 have shown properly an inhibitory influence on cell growth and migration. Although, 5 was enough specific to target the MET, they require a structural optimization to have a better inhibitory function. In conclusion, regarding the importance of MET inhibition in drug selection, our drugs should be optimized structurally to have more specificity against the MET receptor.

## کلمات کلیدی:

