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Caspase activity assays

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The levels of caspase 3/7 activity were assessed using an Apo-ONE® Homogeneous Caspase-3/7 Assay Kit (Promega), according to the manufacturer's protocols.

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- 1 Cells were seeded into 96-well plates and incubated overnight.
- 2 The following day, cells were treated with reagents for varying lengths of time.
- 3 100 µl of Apo-ONE® Caspase-3/7 Reagent was added to each well.
- 4 Cells were incubated at room temperature for 1 h.
- 5 The luminescence of each well was measured using an EnSpire® Multimode Plate Reader (PerkinElmer, Waltham, MA, USA).
- 6 Caspase activity was then calculated by comparing the levels of luminescence of the treated cells with those of the control cells (incubated without drugs), with the latter defined as 100%.

Assays were performed in triplicate at least twice. Data were expressed as mean $\pm$ standard deviation (SD).