Polyaminoquinoline Iron Chelators for Vectorization of Antiproliferative Agents: Design, Synthesis and Validation

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Figure S1. Influence of the PTS on the antiproliferative effect of **HQ1-44** in CHO cell line, determined by measuring DNA content after Hoescht staining. PTS was activated by polyamine depletion induced by DFMO (2mM) pre-treatment or competively inhibited by 50μ M exogenous Spermidine.

Species ^a	$\log \beta^{b}$	log K ^b
FeL	25.62	25.62
FeHL	32.13	6.51
FeH ₂ L	34.94	2.81
FeL(OH)	18.35	7.27
FeL ₂	(33.0)	(7.4)
FeHL ₂	(42.2)	(9.2)
FeH_2L_2	(51.0)	(8.8)
FeH ₃ L ₂	59.1	(8.1)
FeL ₂ (OH)	(23.4)	(9.6)
FeL ₂ (OH) ₂	(13.5)	(9.9)
FeL ₂ (OH) ₃	(2.9)	(10.6)
FeL ₂ (OH) ₄	(-8.0)	(10.9)

Table S1 – Overall and stepwise stability constants for the iron(III) complexes of HQ1-44 (25.0 °C, I = 0.10 M in KNO₃)

^aHL = **HQ1-44**, and charges are omitted for the sake of clarity. ^bValues in brackets are approximate

Table S2 – Overall and stepwise stability constants of the complexes of HQ1-44 with selected divalent cations (25.0 °C, I = 0.1 M in KNO₃).

Species ^{<i>a</i>}	$\log \beta^{b}$	$\log K (\mathrm{pK})^{b}$
CuL	16.87	16.87
CuHL	26.23	9.36
CuH ₂ L	33.33	7.10
CuH ₃ L	35.99	2.66

6.53	10.34	
-5.96	12.49	
23.17	6.30	
33.13	9.96	
43.06	9.93	
52.18	9.12	
61.00	8.82	
67.70	6.7	
(11.3)	(11.9)	
(1.4)	(9.9)	
11.73	11.73	
20.01	8.28	
28.49	8.48	
19.11	7.38	
38.48	_	
56.59	_	
-2.52	_	
4.1	4.1	
13.8	9.7	
23.1	9.3	
(-6.8)	(10.9)	
(-17.5)	(10.7)	
	6.53 -5.96 23.17 33.13 43.06 52.18 61.00 67.70 (11.3) (1.4) 11.73 20.01 28.49 19.11 38.48 56.59 -2.52 4.1 13.8 23.1 (-6.8) (-17.5)	6.53 10.34 -5.96 12.49 23.17 6.30 33.13 9.96 43.06 9.93 52.18 9.12 61.00 8.82 67.70 6.7 (11.3) (11.9) (1.4) (9.9) 11.73 11.73 20.01 8.28 28.49 8.48 19.11 7.38 38.48 $ 56.59$ $ -2.52$ $ 4.1$ 4.1 13.8 9.7 23.1 9.3 (-6.8) (10.9) (-17.5) (10.7)

(10.7) a HL = HQ1-44, and charges are omitted for the sake of clarity. b Values in brackets are approximate



Figure. S2 – Speciation diagram for the iron(III) complexes of **HQ1-44** at 0.5 eq. of metal and $c_{\rm L} = 2 \times 10^{-3}$ M.



Figure. S3 – Speciation diagram for the copper(II) complexes of **HQ1-44** at 0.5 eq. of metal and $c_{\rm L} = 2 \times 10^{-3}$ M.



Figure. S4 – Speciation diagram for the zinc(II) complexes of **HQ1-44** at 0.5 eq. of metal and $c_{\rm L} = 2 \times 10^{-3}$ M.



Figure. S5 – Speciation diagram for the magnesium(II) complexes of **HQ1-44** at 0.5 eq. of metal and $c_{\rm L} = 2 \times 10^{-3}$ M.



Figure. S6 – Speciation diagram for an equimolar mixture of **HQ1-44**, iron(III) and zinc(II) at 2×10^{-3} M.

Cartesian coordinates of optimized structures

Coordinates are in unit of Å

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8-HQ

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