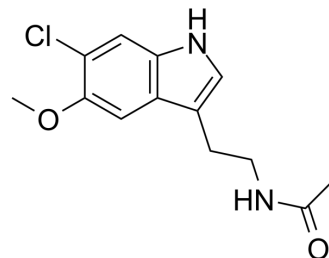


6-Chloromelatonin

Cat. No.:	HY-100940
CAS No.:	63762-74-3
Molecular Formula:	C ₁₃ H ₁₅ ClN ₂ O ₂
Molecular Weight:	266.72
Target:	Melatonin Receptor
Pathway:	GPCR/G Protein; Neuronal Signaling
Storage:	Please store the product under the recommended conditions in the Certificate of Analysis.



BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description	6-Chloromelatonin is a potent melatonin receptor agonist with greater metabolic stability than melatonin. 6-Chloromelatonin compete for [³ H]-melatonin and 2-[¹²⁵ I]-iodomelatonin binding to MT1 receptors (pK _i =8.9 and 9.1, respectively). 6-Chloromelatonin compete for [³ H]-melatonin binding to MT2 receptors (pK _i =9.77) ^{[1][2]} .					
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In Vitro	6-Chloromelatonin competes for [³ H]-melatonin binding sites in human platelet (K _i =11.4 nM) ^[3] . 6-chloromelatonin (10 pM, 1 nM, 100 nM, 10 μM; 72 hours) inhibits, in a dose-dependent manner, forskolin-stimulated hCG-beta secretion in JEG-3 and BeWo cells but had no effect on basal human chorionic gonadotrophin (hCG-beta) levels ^[4] . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.					
In Vivo	Rats injected with the melatonin agonist, 6-chloromelatonin (0.5 mg/kg) on the day after the phase shift has markedly higher excretion rates of 6-sulphatoxymelatonin compared to those of the controls ^[5] . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.					

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