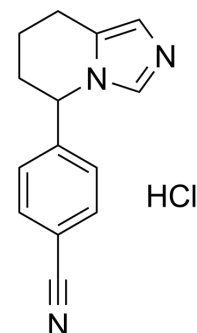


## Fadrozole hydrochloride

Cat. No.:	HY-14247
CAS No.:	102676-31-3
Molecular Formula:	C <sub>14</sub> H <sub>14</sub> ClN <sub>3</sub>
Molecular Weight:	259.73
Target:	Cytochrome P450
Pathway:	Metabolic Enzyme/Protease
Storage:	4°C, sealed storage, away from moisture * In solvent : -80°C, 6 months; -20°C, 1 month (sealed storage, away from moisture)



### SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

#### In Vitro

DMSO : 100 mg/mL (385.02 mM; Need ultrasonic and warming)  
H<sub>2</sub>O : 100 mg/mL (385.02 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Concentration	Mass	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM		3.8502 mL	19.2508 mL	38.5015 mL
	5 mM		0.7700 mL	3.8502 mL	7.7003 mL
	10 mM		0.3850 mL	1.9251 mL	3.8502 mL

Please refer to the solubility information to select the appropriate solvent.

#### In Vivo

- Add each solvent one by one: PBS  
Solubility: 100 mg/mL (385.02 mM); Clear solution; Need ultrasonic
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline  
Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (8.01 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline)  
Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (8.01 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil  
Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (8.01 mM); Clear solution

### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description	Fadrozole hydrochloride (CGS 16949A) is a potent, selective and nonsteroidal inhibitor of aromatase with an IC <sub>50</sub> of 6.4 nM.
IC <sub>50</sub> & Target	Aromatase
In Vitro	Fadrozole hydrochloride is a potent, selective and nonsteroidal inhibitor of aromatase with an IC <sub>50</sub> of 6.4 nM. In hamster ovarian slices, Fadrozole hydrochloride inhibits the production of estrogen with an IC <sub>50</sub> of 0.03 μM. The production of

progesterone is inhibited with an IC<sub>50</sub> of 120 µM. Synthesis of other cytochrome P-450 dependent steroids can be suppressed to various degrees with higher doses of Fadrozole hydrochloride<sup>[1]</sup>.  
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#### In Vivo

Fadrozole hydrochloride is able to inhibit the aromatase-mediated uterine hypertrophy in immature female rats with an ED<sub>50</sub> of 0.03 mg/kg when given orally. In the same model, aminoglutethimide elicits the same effect with an ED<sub>50</sub> of 30 mg/kg when given orally<sup>[1]</sup>.  
Fadrozole hydrochloride prevents the development of both benign and malignant spontaneous mammary neoplasms in female Sprague-Dawley rats. It also slows the spontaneous development of pituitary pars distalis adenomas in female rats, and reduces the incidence of spontaneous hepatocellular tumours in male and female rats<sup>[2]</sup>.  
Administration of Fadrozole hydrochloride in male and female mice accompanies with a 70% reduction in parasite burden. This protective effect is associated in male mice with a recovery of the specific cellular immune response. Interleukin-6 (IL-6) serum levels, and its production by splenocytes, is augmented by 80%, together with a 10-fold increase in its expression in testes of infected male mice. Fadrozole hydrochloride treatment returns these levels to baseline values<sup>[3]</sup>.  
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## PROTOCOL

#### Animal Administration <sup>[2][3]</sup>

**Rats:** Rats are treated with daily dosing with Fadrozole hydrochloride in purified water by gavage for 2 years. There are 60 rats in each of four groups given 0, 0.05, 0.25 or 1.25 mg/kg daily. Control rats receive only water. Clinical signs are recorded weekly and the animals are examined for palpable masses every 4 weeks for the first 9 months, then every 2 weeks for the remainder of the study<sup>[2]</sup>.

**Mice:** Fadrozole hydrochloride is administered in the form of sub-dermal long-term release pellets (20 mg/wt kg, in three-week-release pellets), starting 1 week prior to the infection, using a 10-gauge needle. Three pellets are administered during the study. Placebo pellets are administered to another group of infected mice, in the same fashion as the inhibitor. After 1 week, mice are infected and killed 8 weeks later<sup>[3]</sup>.

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## CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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