Inhibitors

Product Data Sheet

Isoguvacine hydrochloride

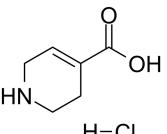
Cat. No.: HY-100810 CAS No.: 68547-97-7 Molecular Formula: C₆H₁₀CINO₂ Molecular Weight: 163.6

Target: **GABA Receptor**

Pathway: Membrane Transporter/Ion Channel; Neuronal Signaling

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

H₂O: 100 mg/mL (611.25 mM; Need ultrasonic) DMSO: 25 mg/mL (152.81 mM; Need ultrasonic)

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM	6.1125 mL	30.5623 mL	61.1247 mL
	5 mM	1.2225 mL	6.1125 mL	12.2249 mL
	10 mM	0.6112 mL	3.0562 mL	6.1125 mL

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

In Vivo

- 1. Add each solvent one by one: PBS Solubility: 100 mg/mL (611.25 mM); Clear solution; Need ultrasonic
- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (12.71 mM); Clear solution
- 3. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (12.71 mM); Clear solution
- 4. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 2.08 mg/mL (12.71 mM); Clear solution

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description	Isoguvacine hydrochloride is a GABA receptor agonist.		
IC ₅₀ & Target	$GABA^{[1]}$		
In Vitro	Isoguvacine binds to a mouse forebrain synaptic membrane preparation. The specific binding is displaceable by GABA, muscimol and bicuculline but not by picrotoxin or diaminobutyric acid. Kinetic data suggest two binding affinities. Highest		

levels of binding are observed in the cerebellum, cortex and hippocampus $^{[1]}$. Isoguvacine binds to membrane preparations of rat forebrain with pharmacological characteristics similar to the postsynaptic GABA recognition site: that it is transported into synaptosomal preparations by an uptake system similar to the high-affinity GABA uptake system; and that recently accumulated isoguvacine is released in a Ca^{2+} -dependent manner and by heteroexchange with external GABA $^{[2]}$. Isoguvacine at a concentration of 50 μ M blocks the seizure like events in 2 out of 6 organotypic hippocampal slice cultures. Isoguvacine inhibits the low magnesium induced seizure like events dose dependently $^{[3]}$.

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PROTOCOL

Kinase Assay [1]

The assay for 3H -Isoguvacine binding is carried out as follows: membranes suspended in Tris-citrate buffer pH 7.1 are incubated at $4^{\circ}C$ for 10 min with 8 nM 3H -Isoguvacine. Identical samples are incubated in the presence of cold 0.5 mM GABA or 10 μ M cold isoguvacine. The assay is terminated by centrifugation for 10 min at $4^{\circ}C$ in a micro-centrifuge. The supernatants are rapidly aspirated and the surface of the pellets washed (2x) with ice-cold buffer. The pellet is resuspended in $100~\mu$ L of 0.1% Triton and placed in a scintillation vial. The assay tube is washed with $100~\mu$ L of distilled water and the wash added to the vial along with 10 ml of PCS: xylene (2:1). Counting efficiency is determined to be 40-45% in a Beckman liquid scintillation counter. Specific binding is defined as those radioactive cpm of bound 3H -Isoguvacine that are displaced by excess cold isoguvacine or GABA[1].

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