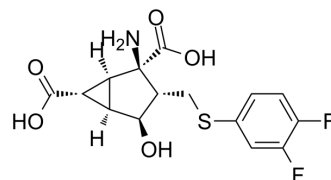


## LY3020371

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-131289
<b>CAS No.:</b>	1377615-75-2
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>15</sub> H <sub>15</sub> F <sub>2</sub> NO <sub>5</sub> S
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	359.35
<b>Target:</b>	mGluR
<b>Pathway:</b>	GPCR/G Protein; Neuronal Signaling
<b>Storage:</b>	Please store the product under the recommended conditions in the Certificate of Analysis.



### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

<b>Description</b>	LY3020371 is a potent and selective antagonist of glutamate (mGlu) 2/3 receptor, with K <sub>i</sub> s of 5.26 and 2.50 nM for hmGluR2 and hmGluR3, respectively. LY3020371 can be used for the research of depression <sup>[1][2]</sup> .	
<b>IC<sub>50</sub> &amp; Target</b>	hmGluR2 5.26 nM (K <sub>i</sub> )	hmGluR3 2.50 nM (K <sub>i</sub> )
<b>In Vitro</b>	<p>LY3020371 (0.1 nM-100 μM) competitively displaces binding of the mGlu2/3 agonist ligand [<sup>3</sup>H]-459477 with high affinity<sup>[1]</sup>. LY3020371 (0.1 nM-100 μM) blocks DCG-IV-induced inhibition of forskolin-stimulated cAMP production in cells expressing recombinant human mGlu2 (IC<sub>50</sub>=16.2 nM) and mGlu3 (IC<sub>50</sub>=6.21 nM) receptors<sup>[1]</sup>.</p> <p>LY3020371 (0.3-30000 nM) exhibits concentration-dependent antagonism of LY379268-inhibited cAMP formation<sup>[1]</sup>. LY3020371 (1-10000 nM) reverses LY379268-suppressed, K<sup>+</sup>-evoked glutamate release, with an IC<sub>50</sub> of 86 nM<sup>[1]</sup>. LY3020371 (0.3-10000 nM) leads to a concentration-dependent and complete blockade of the LY379268-suppressed response, with an IC<sub>50</sub> of 33.9 nM<sup>[1]</sup>.</p> <p>MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.</p>	
<b>In Vivo</b>	<p>LY3020371 (0.3-3 mg/kg, a single i.v.) significantly increases the number of spontaneously active dopamine cells in the ventral tegmental area (VTA) of rats<sup>[2]</sup>.</p> <p>LY3020371 (1-10 mg/kg, i.p. once a week for 5 weeks) dose dependently increases tissue oxygen in the anterior cingulate cortex (ACC) of rats<sup>[2]</sup>.</p> <p>LY3020371 (10 mg/kg, a single i.p.) increases in monoamine efflux in the medial prefrontal cortex of freely moving rats<sup>[2]</sup>. LY3020371 (1-30 mg/kg, a single i.v.) increases the cumulative wake time of rats in a dose- and time-dependent manner without rebound hypersomnolence<sup>[2]</sup>.</p> <p>LY3020371 (0.1-10 mg/kg, a single i.v.) decrease the time rats are immobile in the forced-swim test in the rat forced-swim assay<sup>[2]</sup>.</p> <p>MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.</p>	
	<b>Animal Model:</b>	Male Sprague-Dawley rats (230-350 g) <sup>[1]</sup>
	<b>Dosage:</b>	0.3, 1, 3 mg/kg
	<b>Administration:</b>	I.v. daily 5 days per week for 2 weeks
	<b>Result:</b>	Increased the number of actively firing dopamine neurons in the VTA of anesthetized rats.

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