

## **Niclofolan**

Cat. No.: HY-113715 CAS No.: 10331-57-4 Molecular Formula:  $C_{12}H_{6}Cl_{2}N_{2}O_{6}$ Molecular Weight: 345.09

Target: Parasite

Pathway: Anti-infection Storage: 4°C, protect from light

\* In solvent : -80°C, 6 months; -20°C, 1 month (protect from light)

**Product** Data Sheet

## **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

Description

Niclofolan (BAY 9015) is an orally active anthelmintic agent. Niclofolan can be used in the research of parasite infection  $^{[1][2]}$ [3]

In Vitro

Niclofolan (0.12 mg/mL, 60 min) is effective against Gyrodactylus sp. under in vitro conditions<sup>[3]</sup>. MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

Cell Viability Assay<sup>[3]</sup>

Cell Line:	Gyrodactylus sp. (parasite)	
Concentration:	0.12 mg/mL	
Incubation Time:	60 min	
Result:	Reduced the number of live Gyrodactylus sp. By 100%.	

In Vivo

Niclofolan (2 mg/kg, intramuscular injection) is effective against fasciola hepatica infected sheep<sup>[2]</sup>. Niclofolan (1 or 2 mg/kg, oral gavage) shows therapeutic effects against P.iloktsuenesis infected rats<sup>[4]</sup>. MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

Animal Model:	fasciola hepatica infected sheep <sup>[2]</sup>	
Dosage:	2 mg/kg	
Administration:	Intramuscular injection	
Result:	Showed effectiveness against the infection and produced no untoward effects except for transient signs of pain at the site of injection.	
Animal Model:	Rats infected with P.iloktsuenesis <sup>[4]</sup>	
Dosage:	1 mg/kg, daily for 3 days; 2 mg/kg every other day for 2 times.	
Administration:	Oral gavage	

Result:	Reduced the worms in rats.

## **REFERENCES**

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