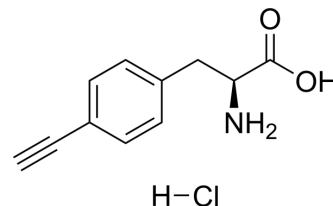


## p-Ethynylphenylalanine hydrochloride

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-23460A
<b>CAS No.:</b>	188640-63-3
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>11</sub> H <sub>12</sub> ClNO <sub>2</sub>
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	225.67
<b>Target:</b>	Tryptophan Hydroxylase
<b>Pathway:</b>	Metabolic Enzyme/Protease
<b>Storage:</b>	4°C, sealed storage, away from moisture * In solvent : -80°C, 6 months; -20°C, 1 month (sealed storage, away from moisture)



### SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

<b>In Vitro</b>	DMSO : 50 mg/mL (221.56 mM; ultrasonic and warming and heat to 60°C)					
	H <sub>2</sub> O : 12.5 mg/mL (55.39 mM; Need ultrasonic)					
	<b>Preparing Stock Solutions</b>	<b>Solvent</b>	<b>Mass</b>	<b>1 mg</b>	<b>5 mg</b>	<b>10 mg</b>
		<b>Concentration</b>				
		<b>1 mM</b>		4.4312 mL	22.1562 mL	44.3125 mL
<b>5 mM</b>			0.8862 mL	4.4312 mL	8.8625 mL	
	<b>10 mM</b>		0.4431 mL	2.2156 mL	4.4312 mL	
Please refer to the solubility information to select the appropriate solvent.						
<b>In Vivo</b>	1. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (11.08 mM); Clear solution					
	2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline) Solubility: 2.5 mg/mL (11.08 mM); Suspended solution; Need ultrasonic					
	3. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (11.08 mM); Clear solution					

### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

<b>Description</b>	p-Ethynylphenylalanine hydrochloride (4-Ethynyl-L-phenylalanine hydrochloride) is a potent, selective, reversible and competitive inhibitor of tryptophan hydroxylase (TPH), with a K <sub>i</sub> of 32.6 μM <sup>[1]</sup> . p-Ethynylphenylalanine (hydrochloride) is a click chemistry reagent, it contains an Alkyne group and can undergo copper-catalyzed azide-alkyne cycloaddition (CuAAC) with molecules containing Azide groups.
<b>IC<sub>50</sub> &amp; Target</b>	Ki: 32.6 μM (TPH) <sup>[1]</sup>
<b>In Vitro</b>	p-Ethynylphenylalanine hydrochloride selectively and reversibly inhibits the biosynthesis of serotonin <sup>[1]</sup> .

?p-Ethynylphenylalanine hydrochloride has a low affinity for various recombinant 5-HT receptors (5-HT<sub>1</sub>, 5-HT<sub>2</sub>, 5-HT<sub>4</sub>, 5-HT<sub>5</sub>, 5-HT<sub>6</sub>, and 5-HT<sub>7</sub>)<sup>[1]</sup>.

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#### In Vivo

p-Ethynylphenylalanine hydrochloride (30 mg/kg; i.p.) decreases in 5-HT and 5-HIAA levels in the rat midbrain but not in tissue<sup>[1]</sup>.

?p-Ethynylphenylalanine hydrochloride does not inhibit the aromatic amino acid decarboxylase<sup>[1]</sup>.

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Animal Model:	Male Sprague-Dawley rats (200 g) <sup>[1]</sup>
Dosage:	30 mg/kg
Administration:	Intraperitoneal injection
Result:	Decreased in 5-HT and 5-HIAA levels in the rat midbrain.

## CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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## REFERENCES

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