**Proteins** 

## **Benidipine**

Cat. No.: HY-B1448A CAS No.: 105979-17-7 Molecular Formula:  $C_{28}H_{31}N_3O_6$ Molecular Weight: 505.56

Target: Apoptosis; Calcium Channel

Pathway: Apoptosis; Membrane Transporter/Ion Channel; Neuronal Signaling

Storage: Please store the product under the recommended conditions in the Certificate of

Analysis.

**Product** Data Sheet

## **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

Description

Benidipine is a potent and orally active calcium channel antagonist [1]. Benidipine shows anti-apoptosis effects in is chaemic/reperfused myocardial cells[2]. Benidipine increases the activity of endothelial cell-type nitric oxide synthase and improves coronary circulation in hypertensive rats<sup>[3]</sup>.

In Vivo

Benidipine  $(3, 5, 10 \,\mu\text{g/kg}; i.v.)$  shows significant anti-apoptosis effects in a haemodynamically independent manner [2]. Benidipine (5 mg/kg; i.v.; every other day for 6 weeks) increases the activity of endothelial cell-type nitric oxide synthase (eNOS) and improves coronary circulation in hypertensive rats<sup>[3]</sup>.

Benidipine (1, 3, 10 mg/kg; p.o.; once daily for 1 week) significant cardioprotective effects against ischemia-reperfusion injury<sup>[4]</sup>.

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Animal Model:	Sham MI (myocardial ischaemia)/R (ischmia reperfused injury) rabbits and MI/R rabbits $^{[2]}$
Dosage:	3, 5, 10 μg/kg
Administration:	l.v.
Result:	Caused a significant decreased in HR ( heart rate), MABP (mean arterial blood pressure), PRI (pressure-rateindex) at 10 $\mu$ g/kg, decreased apoptotic positive cells to 7.4% at 3 $\mu$ g/kg and not significantly different from that seen in the group treated with higher dose.
Animal Model:	Renovascular hypertensive rats (RHR) <sup>[3]</sup>
Dosage:	5 mg/kg (dissolved in peanut oil)
Administration:	I.v.; every other day for 6 weeks
Result:	Significantly decreased the blood pressure and coronary vascular resistance index, but increased nitrite production and eNOS mRNA expression and significantly increased the coronary flow at rest, the capillary density.
Animal Model:	Rats (heart model (Langendorff perfusion)) <sup>[4]</sup>

Dosage:	1, 3, 10 mg/kg
Administration:	P.o.; once daily for 1 week
Result:	Significantly increased the post-ischemic recovery of LVDP and LV dP/dt max (LVDP:
	87.5±10.1 vs 64.6±11.9%; LV dP/dt max: 97.8±10.4 vs 70.2±15.7%; p<0.05) at 3 mg/kg.

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