

**Product Name:** (S)-3,4-DCPG

**Catalog No.:** 1302

**Batch No.:** 12

CAS Number: 201730-11-2

IUPAC Name: (S)-3,4-Dicarboxyphenylglycine

**1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**Batch Molecular Formula:** C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>9</sub>NO<sub>6</sub>·½H<sub>2</sub>O

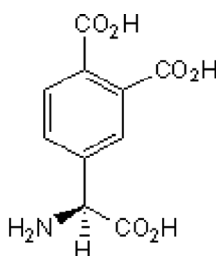
**Batch Molecular Weight:** 248.19

**Physical Appearance:** White solid

**Solubility:** water to 100 mM  
DMSO to 25 mM

**Storage:** Desiccate at RT

**Batch Molecular Structure:**



**2. ANALYTICAL DATA**

**Chiral HPLC:** Shows 99.2% purity

**<sup>1</sup>H NMR:** Consistent with structure

**Mass Spectrum:** Consistent with structure

**Optical Rotation:** [α]<sub>D</sub> = +122.3 (Concentration = 0.5, Solvent = 6M HCl)

**Microanalysis:**

	Carbon	Hydrogen	Nitrogen
Theoretical	48.39	4.06	5.64
Found	47.63	4.07	5.5

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**Description:**

(S)-3,4-DCPG is a potent, selective mGlu<sub>8a</sub> agonist (EC<sub>50</sub> = 31 nM). Displays > 100-fold selectivity over mGlu<sub>1-7</sub> and displays little or no activity at NMDA and kainate receptors. Increases c-Fos expression in stress-related brain areas following systemic administration in mice in vivo. Also potent anticonvulsant in mice in vivo. Caged (S)-3,4-DCPG, Racemate and R-enantiomer also available.

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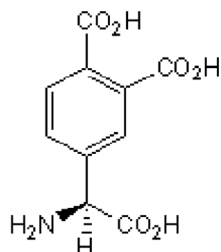
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**Minimum Purity:** ≥98%

**Batch Molecular Structure:**



**References:**

**Linden et al** (2003) Systemic administration of the potent mGlu<sub>8</sub> receptor agonist (S)-3,4-DCPG induces c-Fos in stress-related brain regions in wild-type, but not mGlu<sub>8</sub> receptor knockout mice. *Neuropharmacology* **45** 473. PMID: 12907308.

**Moldrich et al** (2001) Anticonvulsant activity of 3,4-dicarboxyphenylglycines in DBA/2 mice. *Neuropharmacology* **40** 732. PMID: 11311902.

**Thomas et al** (2001) (S)-3,4-DCPG, a potent and selective mGlu<sub>8a</sub> receptor agonist activates metabotropic glutamate receptors on primary afferent terminals in the neonatal rat spinal cord. *Neuropharmacology* **40** 311. PMID: 11166323.

**Storage:** Desiccate at RT

**Solubility & Usage Info:**

water to 100 mM

DMSO to 25 mM

CAUTION - Analysis shows that this material rapidly decomposes when dissolved in alkaline solution. Therefore we recommend that this product is dissolved in water.

**Stability and Solubility Advice:**

Some solutions can be difficult to obtain and can be encouraged by rapid stirring, sonication or gentle warming (in a 45-60°C water bath).

Information concerning product stability, particularly in solution, has rarely been reported and in most cases we can only offer a general guide. \*Unless contradicted by product-specific protocols or instructions, our standard recommendations apply:

SOLIDS: Provided storage is as stated on the product label and the vial is kept tightly sealed, the product can be stored for up to 6 months from date of receipt.

SOLUTIONS: We recommend that stock solutions, once prepared, are stored aliquoted in tightly sealed vials at -20°C or below and used within 1 month. Wherever possible solutions should be made up and used on the same day.

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