



# **Certificate of Analysis**

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Product Name: Monastrol Catalog No.: 1305 Batch No.: 6

CAS Number: 254753-54-3

IUPAC Name: 1,2,3,4-Tetrahydro-4-(3-hydroxyphenyl)-6-methyl-2-thioxo-5-pyrimidinecarboxylic acid, ethyl ester

# 1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula:  $C_{14}H_{16}N_2O_3S$ 

**Batch Molecular Weight:** 292.35 **Physical Appearance:** White solid

Solubility: ethanol to 20 mM

DMSO to 100 mM

Storage: Store at RT

**Batch Molecular Structure:** 

# 2. ANALYTICAL DATA

**TLC:**  $R_f = 0.42$  (Ethyl acetate:Petroleum ether:NH4OH [1:1:0.1])

**HPLC:** Shows 98.7% purity

<sup>1</sup>H NMR: Consistent with structure Mass Spectrum: Consistent with structure

Microanalysis: Carbon Hydrogen Nitrogen

Theoretical 57.52 5.52 9.58 Found 57.44 5.52 9.59



# **Product Information**

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# **Description:**

Potent, cell-permeable, small molecule mitosis inhibitor that does not interact with tubulin. Arrests cells in mitosis and specifically inhibits the motility of the mitotic kinesin Eg5, a motor protein required for mitotic spindle formation and maintenance (IC $_{50}$  = 14  $\mu$ M).

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# Solubility & Usage Info:

ethanol to 20 mM DMSO to 100 mM

### 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. Our standard recommendations are:

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.

#### References:

Mayer et al (1999) Small molecule inhibitor of mitotic spindle bipolarity identified in a phenotype-based screen. Science 286 971. PMID: 10542155.

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