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CAS Number: 57186-25-1

IUPAC Name: (2R,4bS,6aS,12bS,12cR,14aS)-5,6,6a,7,12,12b,12c,13,14,14a-Decahydro-4b-hydroxy-2-(1-hydroxy-1-methylethyl)-

12b,12c-dimethyl-2*H*-pyrano[2",3":5',6']benz[1',2':6,7]indeno[1,2-*b*]indol-3(4bH)-one

1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula: C₂₇H₃₃NO₄.½H₂O

Batch Molecular Weight: 444.57

Physical Appearance: Off White solid
Solubility: DMSO to 100 mM
Storage: Store at -20°C

Batch Molecular Structure:

2. ANALYTICAL DATA

HPLC: Shows 99.7% purity

¹H NMR: Consistent with structure

Mass Spectrum: Consistent with structure

Microanalysis: Carbon Hydrogen Nitrogen

Theoretical 72.95 7.71 3.15 Found 71.88 7.94 3.06

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Product Information

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Description:

Paxilline is a potent blocker of high-conductance Ca^{2+} -activated K+ (BK_{Ca}, K_{Ca}1.1) channels. Binds to the α -subunit of BK_{Ca} (K_i = 1.9 nM for block of currents in α -subunit-expressing oocytes) and enhances binding of charybdotoxin to BK_{Ca} channels in vascular smooth muscle. Also inhibits sarco/endoplasmic reticulum Ca^{2+} -ATPase (IC₅₀ = 5 - 50 μ M).

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Minimum Purity: ≥98%

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H Me OH OH

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Solubility & Usage Info:

DMSO to 100 mM

This product contains 1 molar equivalent of acetonitrile.

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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