

Certificate of Analysis

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Product Name: Metyrapone

Catalog No.: 3292

Batch No.: 5

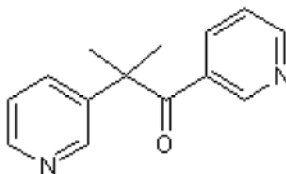
CAS Number: 54-36-4

EC Number: 200-206-2

IUPAC Name: 2-Methyl-1,2-di-3-pyridinyl-1-propanone

1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula: C₁₄H₁₄N₂O
Batch Molecular Weight: 226.27
Physical Appearance: Off White solid
Solubility: water to 10 mM
DMSO to 100 mM
Storage: Store at +4°C
Batch Molecular Structure:



2. ANALYTICAL DATA

HPLC: Shows 99.3% purity
¹H NMR: Consistent with structure
Mass Spectrum: Consistent with structure

Microanalysis:

	Carbon Hydrogen Nitrogen		
Theoretical	74.31	6.24	12.38
Found	74.34	6.18	12.31

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Description:

Metyrapone is a cytochrome P450 inhibitor. Blocks glucocorticoid synthesis via inhibition of steroid 11- β hydroxylase (CYP11B1) activity (IC_{50} = 7.83 μ M). Also inhibits CYP3A4 and cytochrome P450-mediated ω/ω -1 hydroxylase activity.

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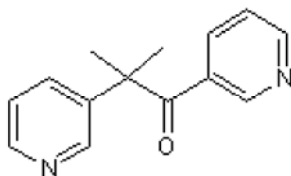
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Solubility & Usage Info:

water to 10 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:

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