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Product Name: SB 4

100874-08-6 CAS Number: **IUPAC Name:** 2-[[(4-Bromophenyl)methyl]thio]benzoxazole

1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula: Batch Molecular Weight: Physical Appearance: Solubility:

Batch Molecular Structure:

C₁₄H₁₀BrNOS 320.2 Beige solid DMSO to 100 mM ethanol to 20 mM Store at -20°C

Br

2. ANALYTICAL DATA

TLC: HPLC: ¹H NMR: Mass Spectrum: **Microanalysis:**

 $R_f = 0.45$ (Ethyl acetate:Petroleum ether [95:5]) Shows 99.9% purity consistent with structure Consistent with structure Carbon Hydrogen Nitrogen Theoretical 52.51 3.15 4.37 52.69 Found 3.13 4.51

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Description:

SB 4 is a potent BMP4 agonist ($EC_{50} = 74$ nM). Activates canonical BMP signaling and increases SMAD-1/5/9 phosphorylation, with no effect on p-SMAD-2, p-SMAD-3 or p-TAK1. Bypasses noggin-induced inhibition of type I BMP receptors. When used in combination, SB 4 enhances BMP4 signaling and embryonic stem cell differentiation.

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Minimum Purity: ≥99%

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Storage: Store at -20°C

Solubility & Usage Info:

DMSO to 100 mM ethanol to 20 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).

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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.

References:

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