

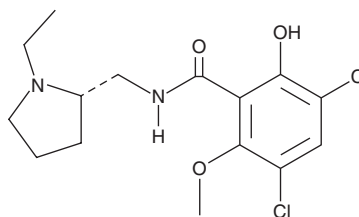
PRODUCT INFORMATION



Raclopride

Item No. 17422

CAS Registry No.: 84225-95-6
Formal Name: 3,5-dichloro-N-[[[(2S)-1-ethyl-2-pyrrolidinyl]methyl]-2-hydroxy-6-methoxy-benzamide
Synonym: (S)-(-)-Raclopride
MF: C₁₅H₂₀Cl₂N₂O₃
FW: 347.2
Purity: ≥98%
Supplied as: A solid
Storage: -20°C
Stability: ≥2 years



Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.

Laboratory Procedures

Raclopride is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the raclopride in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Raclopride is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol and DMSO. The solubility of raclopride in these solvents is approximately 20 and 100 mM, respectively.

Description

Raclopride is a selective dopamine D₂/D₃ receptor antagonist with K_i values of 1.8, 3.5, 2,400, and 18,000 nM for D₂, D₃, D₄, and D₁ receptors, respectively.¹ It passes the blood brain barrier and can be used in *in vivo* binding and autoradiography studies of the dopamine system under normal and pathological conditions such as Huntington's disease.^{2,3}

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WARNING

THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

SAFETY DATA

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the [complete](#) Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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