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DATASHEET

Clozapine

Product overview

Name	Clozapine
Cat No	HB1607
Alternative names	CLZ-ChemoNM
Biological action	Agonist
Purity	>99%
Description	Prototypic, atypical antipsychotic, binds to both serotonin and dopamine receptors

Images



Biological Data

Biological description

Clozapine is a prototypic, atypical antipsychotic which binds to both serotonin and dopamine receptors (K_i values are 35, 83 and 22, 250 and 141 nM at D_2 , D_3 and D_4 , D_5 , D_1 and 12.6 and 13.2 nM at 5-HT_{2A} and 5-HT_{2C} receptors respectively) and also shows activity at other receptors.

Clozapine shows high BBB permeability and is active *in vivo*. It shows antipsychotic, antidepressant and anxiolytic activities.

Recently, clozapine (which CNO rapidly converts to) has been indicated to show high DREADD (hM3Dq and hM4Di) affinity and potency. Subthreshold clozapine injections are indicated to induce preferential DREADD-mediated behaviors.

Water soluble version of clozapine also [available](#)

Solubility & Handling

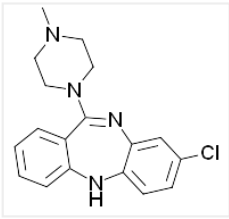
Storage instructions Solubility overview Important

Room temperature

Soluble in DMSO (100 mM) and in ethanol (50 mM)

This product is for RESEARCH USE ONLY and is not intended for therapeutic or diagnostic use. Not for human or veterinary use.

Chemical Data

Chemical name	8-Chloro-11-(4-methyl-1-piperaziny)-5H-dibenzo[<i>b,e</i>][1,4]diazepine
Molecular Weight	326.83
Chemical structure	
Molecular Formula	C ₁₈ H ₁₉ ClN ₄
CAS Number	5786-21-0
PubChem identifier	2818
SMILES	CN1CCN(CC1)C2=C3C=CC=CC3=NC4=C(N2)C=C(C=C4)Cl
InChi	InChI=1S/C18H19ClN4/c1-22-8-10-23(11-9-22)18-14-4-2-3-5-15(14)20-16-7-6-13(19)12-17(16)21-18/h2-7,12,21H,8-11H2,1H3
InChiKey	ZUXABONWMNSFBN-UHFFFAOYSA-N
MDL number	MFCD00153785
Appearance	Yellow solid

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