

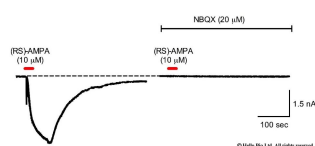
# DATASHEET

## (R,S)-AMPA

### Product overview

<b>Name</b>	(R,S)-AMPA
<b>Cat No</b>	HB0030
<b>Biological action</b>	Agonist
<b>Purity</b>	>98%
<b>Description</b>	Prototypic AMPA receptor agonist

### Images



### Biological Data

#### Biological description Application notes

Prototypic AMPA receptor agonist ( $EC_{50} = 11 \mu\text{M}$ ). (**S**)-AMPA is the active enantiomer form. The AMPA receptor agonist (R,S)-AMPA is typically used at concentrations of 1-100  $\mu\text{M}$ . At 10  $\mu\text{M}$ , (R,S)-AMPA from Hello Bio induces a large depolarising current. This depolarising current was occluded in the presence of the AMPA receptor antagonist **NBQX** (20  $\mu\text{M}$ ). (See Fig 1 above).

#### #Protocol 1: (R,S)-AMPA protocol

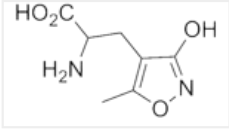
- Whole cell voltage clamp recordings of CA1 pyramidal neurons from the rat hippocampal brain slice.
- Neurons were held at -60 mV and continuously perfused with aCSF in the presence of the GABA receptor antagonist **gabazine** (20  $\mu\text{M}$ ).
- AMPA currents were evoked via applying (R,S)-AMPA directly to the recording chamber during continuous perfusion.
- To test the selectivity of (R,S)-AMPA to AMPA receptors, the experiment was repeated within the same neuron in the presence of the AMPA receptor antagonist **NBQX** (20  $\mu\text{M}$ )
- Under these conditions (R,S)-AMPA failed to induce a depolarising current.

### Solubility & Handling

#### Storage instructions Solubility overview Important

Room temperature  
Soluble in water (10mM, gentle warming)  
This product is for RESEARCH USE ONLY and is not intended for therapeutic or diagnostic use. Not for human or veterinary use.

## Chemical Data

<b>Chemical name</b>	( <i>RS</i> )- $\alpha$ -Amino-3-hydroxy-5-methyl-4-isoxazolepropionic acid
<b>Molecular Weight</b>	186.17
<b>Chemical structure</b>	
<b>Molecular Formula</b>	C <sub>7</sub> H <sub>10</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O <sub>4</sub>
<b>CAS Number</b>	77521-29-0
<b>PubChem identifier</b>	1221
<b>SMILES</b>	CC1=C(C(=O)NO1)CC(C(=O)O)N
<b>Source</b>	Synthetic
<b>InChi</b>	InChI=1S/C7H10N2O4/c1-3-4(6(10)9-13-3)2-5(8)7(11)12/h5H,2,8H2,1H3,(H,9,10)(H,11,12)
<b>InChiKey</b>	UUDAMDVQRQNNHZ-UHFFFAOYSA-N
<b>MDL number</b>	MFCD00213388
<b>Appearance</b>	White solid

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