

Product Datasheet

EVP-6124 hydrochloride (orb1223102)

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Description

EVP-6124 hydrochloride is a new-type partial agonist of $\alpha 7$ neuronal nicotinic acetylcholine receptors (nAChRs). (In Vitro): Encenicline (EVP-6124) displaces [3H]-MLA (Methyllycaconitine) ($K_i=9.98$ nM, $pIC_{50}=7.65\pm 0.06$, $n=3$) and [125I]- α -bungarotoxin ($K_i=4.33$ nM, $pIC_{50}=8.07\pm 0.04$, $n=3$). Encenicline (EVP-6124) is approximately 300 fold more potent than the natural agonist ACh ($K_i=3$ μ M), measured in binding assays using [3H]-MLA. Encenicline hydrochloride inhibits the 5-HT₃ receptor by 51% at 10 nM, the lowest concentration tested. Evaluation of the human 5-HT_{2B} receptor expressed in CHO cells demonstrates displacement of [3H]-mesulergine ($K_i=14$ nM) and only antagonist activity in the rat gastric fundus assay at an IC_{50} of 16 μ M. In binding and functional experiments, Encenicline (EVP-6124) shows selectivity for $\alpha 7$ nAChRs and does not activate or inhibit heteromeric $\alpha 4\beta 2$ nAChRs. (In Vivo): Encenicline hydrochloride has good brain penetration and an adequate exposure time. Encenicline hydrochloride (0.3 mg/kg, p.o.) significantly restores memory function in scopolamine-treated rats (0.1 mg/kg, i.p.) in an object recognition task (ORT). Although donepezil at 0.1 mg/kg, p.o. or Encenicline hydrochloride at 0.03 mg/kg, p.o. did not improve memory in this task, co-administration of these sub-eficacious doses fully restored memory. In a natural forgetting test, an ORT with a 24 h retention time, Encenicline hydrochloride improved memory at 0.3 mg/kg, p.o. This improvement is blocked by the selective $\alpha 7$ nAChR antagonist methyllycaconitine (0.3 mg/kg, i.p. or 10 μ g, i.c.v.). Encenicline hydrochloride is found to bind moderately to rat plasma proteins with a mean f_u of 0.11 ± 0.01 (mean \pm SD) or 11%. Over a range of 0.1-30 mg/kg, p.o., Encenicline hydrochloride demonstrates proportional dose escalation. T_{max} is at 4 h in plasma and 2 h brain, although the brain concentrations remained similar between 2 and 8 h. The B:P ratios are 1.7-5.1 between 1 and 8 h. Pharmacokinetic studies have shown that Encenicline hydrochloride (0.4 mg/kg, i.p.) reaches peak brain concentration 2 hr after administration and remains at effective concentrations for at least 4 hr. Encenicline hydrochloride is administered to WT mice at ZT0 (0.4 mg/kg i.p single dose) and significantly increases the saturation index of NMDARs in slices obtained 4 hr later without causing prolonged wakefulness or enhanced locomotor activity .

Target	$\alpha 7$ nAChR
Purity	>98% (HPLC)
MW	357.3
Target Areas	$\alpha 7$ nAChR

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Solubility (25°C)	DMSO : \geq 50 mg/mL; 139.94 mM
CAS Number	550999-74-1
Formula	$C_{16}H_{17}ClN_2OS \cdot HCl$
SMILES	<chem>C1CN2C[C@@H](C1CC2)NC(=O)c1sc2c(c1)cccc2Cl.Cl</chem>
Storage	Storage temperature: -20°C. Stability: \geq 2 years
Note	For research use only
Expiration Date	12 months from date of receipt.

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