

Ajmalicine

Chemical Properties

CAS No. : 483-04-5

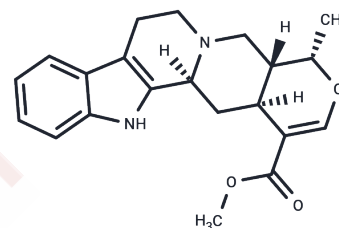
Formula: C₂₁H₂₄N₂O₃

Molecular Weight: 352.43

Storage: Keep away from moisture, Keep away from direct sunlight

Powder: -20°C for 3 years | In solvent: -80°C for 1 year

Actual storage temperature shall be subject to the COA.



Biological Description

Description	Ajmalicine (Raubasine) (Raubasine) is a potent adrenolytic agent which preferentially blocks α 1-adrenoceptor. Ajmalicine is an reversible but non-competitive nicotine receptor full inhibitor, IC ₅₀ = 72.3 μ M. Ajmalicine also can be used as anti-hypertensive, and serpentine, with sedative activity.
Targets(IC50)	Adrenergic Receptor, Cholinesterase (ChE)
In vitro	Ajmalicine preferentially blocks α 1-adrenoceptor than α 2-adrenoceptor[1]. Ajmalicine inhibits contractions in a concentration-dependent manner, IC ₅₀ =72.3 \pm 22.5 μ M[2]. Ajmalicine acts preferentially at postsynaptic sites, competitively antagonizes the effect of noradrenaline on postsynaptic alpha-adrenoceptor with a pA ₂ value of 6.57, blocks the inhibitory effect of clonidine with an pA ₂ value of 6.2[3].
In vivo	Ajmalicine blocks the pressor action of electrical stimulation and is active against sympathetic stimulation. Ajmalicine (0.5-4 mg/kg) induces a marked dose-dependent inhibition against the pressor response to noradrenaline[1].

Solubility Information

Solubility	DMSO: 2.5 mg/mL (7.09 mM), Sonication is recommended. (< 1 mg/ml refers to the product slightly soluble or insoluble)
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Preparing Stock Solutions

	1mg	5mg	10mg
1 mM	2.8374 mL	14.1872 mL	28.3744 mL
5 mM	0.5675 mL	2.8374 mL	5.6749 mL
10 mM	0.2837 mL	1.4187 mL	2.8374 mL
50 mM	0.0567 mL	0.2837 mL	0.5675 mL

Please select the appropriate solvent to prepare the stock solution, according to the solubility of the product in different solvents. Please use it as soon as possible.

Note: The dilution table applies only to solid products. For liquid products, please calculate the stock solution based on the stated concentration and/or density.

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