
Product Data Sheet

Product Name: AR-R 17779 hydrochloride

Cat. No.: GC11060

Chemical Properties

Cas. No. 178419-42-6

Chemical Name (1'R,3'S,4'R)-1'-azaspiro[oxazolidine-5,3'-bicyclo[2.2.2]octan]-2-one hydrochloride

SMILES O=C(NC1O[C@]21[C@H](CC3)CC[N@]3C2.ClFormula $C_9H_{14}N_2O_2 \cdot HCl$ M.Wt 218.68

Solubility <10.93mg/ml in DMSO; <21.87mg/ml in Water Storage Desiccate at RT

General tips For obtaining a higher solubility , please warm the tube at 37 °C and shake it in the ultrasonic bath for a while. Stock solution can be stored below -20°C for several months.

Shipping Condition Evaluation sample solution : ship with blue ice All other available size: ship with RT , or blue ice upon request.

Structure **Background**

AR-R 17779 is a selective agonist of $\alpha 7$ nicotinic acetylcholine receptor ($\alpha 7$ -nAChR) [1] with an EC50 of 21 μM to rat $\alpha 7$ -nAChRs expressed in *Xenopus* oocytes [2].

Nicotine enhances cognitive functions, e.g. learning, attention, retention and memory in both humans and animals, via activation of brain nicotinic acetylcholine receptors (nAChRs). These receptors are homo- or heteropentameric ligand-gated ion channels. The most common nicotinic receptors found in the brain are the $\alpha 4\beta 2$ -nAChR and the $\alpha 7$ -nAChR [3].

The expression of CD38, CD138, and Bcl-6, was sensitive to regulation via nAChRs. Daudi cells exposed to AR-R 17779 \pm methyllycaconitine (MLA) resulted in only moderate changes in the gene expression of CD38, CD138 and Bcl-6, but AR-R 17779 alone significantly ($P < 0.05$) increased protein levels of CD38 and CD138. That means the effect of AR-R 17779 was abolished by MLA [4].

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Cholesterol is necessary for the homeostasis of acetylcholine receptor (AChR) levels for ion translocation and at the plasmalemma [5]. In ApoE-deficient mice, AR-R 17779 significantly reduced atherosclerotic plaque area in the thoracic aorta, and lowered heart rate, blood pressure, serum triglyceride level and serum total cholesterol level compared with which in Ang II + HFD mice. Treatment with AR-R 17779 in mice did not result in any sickness behavior or apparent abnormalities. At the end of the experiment, the serum concentration of AR-R 17779 was $1.18 \pm 0.17 \mu\text{M}$. In ApoE-deficient mice, treatment with AR-R 17779 resulted in significantly reduced aortic diameter comparable to control mice ($0.81 \pm 0.11 \text{ mm}$, $p < 0.0001$ vs. Ang II + HFD) [1].

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