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**Product Data Sheet**

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Product Name: AS 1892802

Cat. No.: GC11754

**Chemical Properties**

Cas. No. 928320-12-1

Chemical Name (S,Z)-N'-(2-hydroxy-1-phenylethyl)-N-(4-(pyridin-4-yl)phenyl)carbamimidic acid

SMILES OC[C@](/N=C(O)/NC1=CC=C(C2=CC=NC=C2)C=C1)([H])C3=CC=CC=C3Formula  $C_{20}H_{19}N_3O_2$  M.Wt 333.38

Solubility DMF: 25 mg/ml, DMSO: 25 mg/ml, DMSO:PBS (pH 7.2) (1:7): 0.12 mg/ml Storage Store 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**

AS 1892802 is a potent and selective inhibitor of ROCK with IC<sub>50</sub> values of 52, 57 and 122 nM for human ROCK2, rat ROCK2 and human ROCK1, respectively [1].

Rho kinase (ROCK) is a serine-threonine kinase and is a downstream effector of Rho, a small GTP-bound protein. ROCK phosphorylates target proteins such as myosin light chain kinase and LIM kinase and regulates cellular shape modification, migration, growth and contraction [2].

AS 1892802 is a potent ROCK inhibitor. AS 1892802 inhibited ROCK1 and ROCK2 with IC<sub>50</sub> values of 1.69 and 0.10 μM, respectively [3]. In ATDC5 cells, AS1892802 induce chondrocyte differentiation. In HIG82 cells, AS1892802 significantly inhibited prostaglandin E2 production induced by IL-1β or bradykinin [4].

In both an adjuvant-induced arthritis (AIA) rat model and a monoiodoacetate (MIA) -

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induced arthritis (MIA) rat model, AS1892802 showed potent antinociceptive effect with ED50 value of 0.15 mg/kg [1]. In monoiodoacetate-induced arthritis and streptozotocin-induced neuropathy models, AS1892802 showed analgesic effect [2]. In MIA-injected rats, the mRNA levels of ROCK I and II increased in knee joints. AS1892802 significantly inhibited cartilage damage in a dose-dependent way [4].

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