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Product Name: 3-Thiatetradecanoic Acid

Cat. No.: GC12289

Chemical Properties

Cas. No. 116296-31-2

Chemical Name (undecylthio)-acetic acid

SMILES CCCCCCCCCCCCSCC(O)=O

Formula C₁₃H₂₆O₂S

M.Wt 246.4

Solubility ≤30mg/ml in ethanol;30mg/ml in DMSO;30mg/ml in dimethyl formamide

Storage Store at -20°C

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

3-Thiatetradecanoic Acid is an activator of PPAR.

The peroxisome proliferator-activated receptors (PPARs) are transcription factors involved in fatty acid metabolism and energy homeostasis. The PPARs also play crucial roles in the control of cellular growth and differentiation.

In vitro: In BT4Cn cells, 3-thiatetradecanoic acid could activate all PPAR subtypes dose-dependently. In cell culture experiments, the PPAR γ -selective ligand BRL49653 moderately inhibited growth of BT4Cn cells, while administration of 3-thiatetradecanoic acid led to a marked growth inhibition. Moreover, the administration of the PPAR γ -selective antagonist GW9662 abolished BRL49653-induced growth inhibition, but only marginally reduced the effect of 3-thiatetradecanoic acid [1].

In vivo: Administration of 3-thiatetradecanoic acid increased mitochondrial and

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peroxisomal beta-oxidative capacity and carnitine palmitoyltransferase activity, but reduced free fatty acid and triacylglycerol levels in plasma compared to palmitic acid-treated rats and controls. 3-Thiatetradecanoic acid administration was able to affect the fatty acid composition in plasma and liver by increasing the amount of monoenes [2].

Clinical trial: A previous study described the clinical, hematological, and biochemical safety of 3-thiatetradecanoic acid. 3-Thiatetradecanoic acid was given as a single oral dose for 7 consecutive days. No significant changes were observed in the hematological or clinical chemical parameters in blood/urine. 3-Thiatetradecanoic acid did not induce significant changes in the blood lipids or free fatty acids, but it did lead to an increase in plasma concentration of $\Delta 9$ desaturated 3-thiatetradecanoic acid. 3-thiatetradecanoic acid was found to be safe and well tolerated [3].

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