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Product Name: Methiothepin maleate

Cat. No.: GC17360

Chemical Properties

Cas. No. 19728-88-2

Chemical Name (R)-1-methyl-4-(8-(methylthio)-10,11-dihydrodibenzo[b,f]thiepin-10-yl)piperazine maleate

SMILES CN1CCN(CC1)[C@@H](C2=C3)CC4=CC=CC=C4SC2=CC=C3SC.OC(/C=C\C(O)=O)=OFormula $C_{20}H_{24}N_2S_2 \cdot C_4H_4O_4$ M.Wt 472.62

Solubility 0.5mg/mL in ethanol, 30mg/mL in DMSO, or in DMF 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**

Methiothepin is a non-selective antagonist of the serotonin (5-HT) receptor.[1] It is a potent antagonist of 5-HT_{1A} and 5-HT_{1B} (IC₅₀ = 16 nM and K_i = 0.2 nM, respectively) as well as 5-HT_{2A}, 5-HT_{2B}, and 5-HT_{2C} receptors (K_is = 3.16, 2.08, and 4.46 nM, respectively).[2],[3],[4] Methiothepin binds to 5-HT_{5A}, 5-HT_{5B}, 5-HT₆, and 5-HT₇ receptors with K_d values of 100, 15.8, 1.8, and 1 nM, respectively. It has been used to characterize the role of serotonin in various biological processes, including renal vasodilation and gastrointestinal function.[5],[6]

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