
Product Data Sheet

Product Name: Alniditan (Alnitidan)

Cat. No.: GC31054

Chemical Properties

Cas. No. 152317-89-0

SMILES C1(NCCCCNC[C@H]2CCC3=CC=CC=C3O2)=NCCCN1

Formula $C_{17}H_{26}N_4O$ M.Wt 302.41

Solubility Soluble in DMSO 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

Protocol

Animal experiment:

After a stabilisation period of about 1 h, the animals are divided into three groups. In the first group (n=4), values of heart rate, mean arterial blood pressure, carotid blood flow and its distribution, as well as arterial and jugular venous blood gases are measured at baseline, and after four consecutive injections of physiological saline (0.5 mL, every 20 min). The second and third groups of animals (n=6 each) are pre-treated with saline (i.v.) or GR127935 (0.5 mg/kg, i.v.), respectively, given over a period of 5 min at a rate of 1 mL/min. After a waiting period of 15 min, baseline values of heart rate, mean arterial blood pressure, carotid blood flow and its distribution, as well as arterial and jugular venous blood gases are measured. Subsequently, these groups of animals receive sequential i.v. doses of alniditan (3, 10, 30 and 100 µg/kg) every 20 min. Fifteen minutes after each dose of alniditan, all haemodynamic variables are assessed again.

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Background

Alniditan is a potent 5-HT_{1B/1D} receptors agonist, with IC₅₀ of 1.7 and 1.3 nM in HEK 293 cells, and pK_i value of 8.96 and 9.40 for 5-HT_{1B/1D} receptors, respectively.

In vitro, alniditan exhibits little vasoconstrictive effects on the rat basilar artery, although at a very high concentration 1 mM, alniditan causes intensive constriction, most likely through a mechanism independent from 5-HT receptor activation[1]. Alniditan is 10 times more potent than sumatriptan at the h5-HT_{1B} receptor, and twice as potent at the h5-HT_{1D} receptor[3].

The intraperitoneal administration of alniditan ED₅₀=9 µg/kg and sumatriptan ED₅₀=70 µg/kg dose dependently reduces [¹²⁵I]-BSA extravasation in the rat meninges when done 30 min before stimulation. The estimated ED values for alniditan are 9 µg/kg in the absence and 190 µg/kg in the presence of GR 127935[1]. Alniditan (3, 10, 30 and 100 µg/kg) produces a dose-dependent increase in the arteriovenous oxygen saturation difference, which seems to be attenuated in animals treated with GR127935. Alniditan dose-dependently decreases total carotid and arteriovenous anastomotic blood flow and concomitant conductance values; nutrient blood flow and conductance increase. Alniditan also produces significant increases in vascular conductance to the skin, ear, bone, salivary gland, fat, tongue, brain and dura mater; no changes are observed in the muscles and eyes[2].

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