
Product Data Sheet

Product Name: Amprolium

Cat. No.: GC35328

Chemical Properties

Cas. No. 121-25-5

SMILES CC1=CC=CC=[N+]1CC2=CN=C(CCC)N=C2N.[Cl-]Formula $C_{14}H_{19}ClN_4$ M.Wt 278.78

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 **Background**

Amprolium is a thiamine analog and antiprotozoal agent that interferes with thiamine metabolism and inhibits carbohydrate synthesis.^{1,2,3,4} It competitively inhibits thiamine uptake by *E. tenella* schizonts and by chick host intestinal cells (K_i s = 7.6 and 326 μ M, respectively).¹ It also inhibits hexose formation and pentose utilization *ex vivo* in isolated lysed rat erythrocytes and in liver, kidney, heart, and intestinal tissue homogenates following dietary administration.² Amprolium (1,000 ppm in feed) inhibits oocyst output and sporulation of *Eimeria maxima*, *E. brunetti*, and *E. acervulina* in infected chicks.³ It also decreases lesion and oocyst scores and mortality of *E. tenella*-infected chicks following dietary administration of a 125 ppm dose.⁴ Amprolium (100 μ M) induces apoptosis in PC12 rat adrenal cells and increases the level of cleaved caspase-3.⁵ Formulations containing amprolium have been used as coccidiostats in poultry processing.

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