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## Product Data Sheet

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Product Name: Upidosin  
Cat. No.: GC67715

### Chemical Properties

Cas. No. 152735-23-4

Formula  $C_{31}H_{33}N_3O_4$  M.Wt 511.61

Solubility Storage 4°C, protect from light

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

Upidosin (Rec 15/2739) is an  $\alpha$ -1 adrenoceptor ( **$\alpha$ -1 AR**) antagonist. Upidosin shows moderate selectivity for the  $\alpha$ -1A AR subtype. Upidosin shows uroselectivity in urethra and prostate with a  $K_b$  value of 2-3 nM higher than in ear artery and aorta with a  $K_b$  value of 20-100 nM. Upidosin inhibits [3H]prazosin binding to cloned human  $\alpha$ -1A adrenergic receptor. Upidosin can be used for the research of urethral obstruction<sup>[1]</sup>.

Upidosin is one of the most potent compounds action on the prostate with comparing the apparent pKB values, but its potency is slightly lower than that of tamsulosin and is higher than the potencies of prazosin, terazosin and 5-methylurapidil<sup>[2]</sup>. Upidosin shows binding affinities to cloned human  $\alpha$ 1A, human  $\alpha$ 1B, human  $\alpha$ 1D adrenoceptors with pK<sub>i</sub> value of 9.0, 7.5 and 8.6, respectively<sup>[3]</sup>.

Upidosin shows greater selectivity than any other  $\alpha$ -1 AR antagonist terazosin and tamsulosin in the anesthetized dog<sup>[1]</sup>.

Upidosin (1-300  $\mu$ g/kg; i.v.) is a more potent antagonist of phenylephrine mediated increases in prostatic pressure with a pA<sub>2</sub> value of 8.74 compared to blood pressure with a pA<sub>2</sub> value of 7.51<sup>[3]</sup>.

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