PRODUCT INFORMATION



Arachidonic Acid Leelamide

Item No. 10008617

Formal Name: 1R,2,3,4,4aS,9,10,10aR-octahydro-1,4a-

dimethyl-7-(1-methylethyl)-1-phenanthrene-

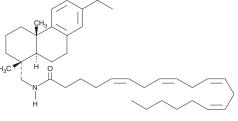
5Z,8Z,11Z,14Z-eicosatetraenamide

MF: C₄₀H₆₁NO FW: 571.9 **Purity:** ≥95%

Supplied as: A solution in ethanol

Storage: -20°C Stability: ≥1 year

Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.



Laboratory Procedures

Arachidonic acid leelamide is supplied as a solution in ethanol. To change the solvent, simply evaporate the ethanol under a gentle stream of nitrogen and immediately add the solvent of choice. Solvents such as DMSO and dimethyl formamide purged with an inert gas can be used. The solubility of arachidonic acid leelamide in these solvents is approximately 20 mg/ml.

Description

Arachidonic acid leelamide is the arachidonic amide analog of leelamine. Leelamine has weak affinity for the human central cannabinoid (CB₁) and peripheral cannabinoid (CB₂) receptors, exhibiting 20% displacement of [3H]-CP55940 at a concentration of 10 μM.1 Leelamine inhibits pyruvate dehydrogenase kinase (PDK) with an IC₅₀ value of 9.5 μM.² Derivatives of leelamine exhibit anti-inflammatory activity and show moderate inhibition of phospholipase A2 activity from a variety of sources.3 There are no published studies of the pharmacological properties of arachidonic acid leelamide.

References

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WARNING
THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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