PRODUCT INFORMATION



WP1066

Item No. 14736

CAS Registry No.: 857064-38-1

Formal Name: 3-(6-bromo-2-pyridinyl)-2-cyano-N-

[(1S)-1-phenylethyl]-2E-propenamide

Synonym: STAT Inhibitor III

MF: C₁₇H₁₄BrN₃O

356.2 FW: **Purity:** ≥95%

UV/Vis.: λ_{max} : 261, 313 nm Supplied as: A crystalline solid

Storage: -20°C Stability: ≥2 years

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

Laboratory Procedures

WP1066 is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the WP1066 in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. WP1066 is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide (DMF). The solubility of WP1066 in these solvents is approximately 10, 16, and 20 mg/ml, respectively.

WP1066 is sparingly soluble in aqueous buffers. For maximum solubility in aqueous buffers, WP1066 should first be dissolved in DMF and then diluted with the aqueous buffer of choice. WP1066 has a solubility of approximately 0.09 mg/ml in a 1:10 solution of DMF:PBS (pH 7.2) using this method. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

Description

WP1066 is a cell-permeable inhibitor of STAT3 that directs dephosphorylation and nuclear export of constitutively phosphorylated STAT3 in U87-MG and U373-MG malignant glioma cells when given at a concentration of 10 μ M.¹ It also induces apoptosis in U87-MG (IC₅₀ = 5.6 μ M) and U373-MG (IC₅₀ = 3.7 µM) cells. WP1066 is orally bioavailable, crosses the blood-brain barrier, and demonstrates in vivo activity, including immune activation as indicated by the up-regulation of CD80 and CD86 and the induction of proliferation of effector T cells.^{2,3} In addition to inducing apoptosis in cancer cells, WP1066 suppresses vascular smooth muscle cell proliferation after vascular injury in mice and prevents seizures following brain injury in rats.^{4,5}

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