PRODUCT INFORMATION



Metaraminol (tartrate)

Item No. 23938

CAS Registry No.:	33402-03-8	
Formal Name:	αR-[(1S)-1-aminoethyl]-3-	
	hydroxy-benzenemethanol, 2R,3R-	QH
	dihydroxybutanedioate)	HO, A
MF:	$C_9H_{13}NO_2 \bullet C_4H_6O_6$	
FW:	317.3	NH ₂
Purity:	≥98%	• C.H.O.
Supplied as:	A solid	4 166
Storage:	-20°C	
Stability:	≥4 years	

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

Laboratory Procedures

Metaraminol (tartrate) is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the metaraminol (tartrate) in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Metaraminol (tartrate) is slightly soluble in DMSO.

Description

Metaraminol is a vasoconstrictor.^{1,2} In vivo, metaraminol (0.05 mg/kg) increases cardiac output, mean arterial pressure, and coronary blood flow and decreases pulse rate in a canine model of cardiogenic shock.¹ It increases survival in a canine model of hemorrhagic hypotension.² Metaraminol also reverses acetoxycycloheximide-induced transient amnesia in a shock avoidance test in rats.³

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

SAFETY DATA

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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