PRODUCT INFORMATION



Piclamilast

Item No. 29170

CAS Registry No.:	144035-83-6	
Formal Name:	3-(cyclopentyloxy)-N-(3,5-dichloro-	
	4-pyridinyl)-4-methoxy-benzamide	
Synonyms:	RP 73401, RPR 73401	СІ Ц
MF:	C ₁₈ H ₁₈ Cl ₂ N ₂ O ₃	
FW:	381.3	
Purity:	≥98%	
Supplied as:	A solid	N V
Storage:	-20°C	✓ `CI
Stability:	≥4 years	

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

Laboratory Procedures

Piclamilast is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the piclamilast in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Piclamilast is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol and DMSO. The solubility of piclamilast in ethanol is approximately 20 mM and approximately 100 mM in DMSO.

Description

Piclamilast is a phosphodiesterase 4 (PDE4) inhibitor ($IC_{50} = 0.31 \text{ nM}$).¹ It is selective for PDE4 over PDE1, PDE2, PDE3, PDE5, and PDE7A in cell-free assays (IC₅₀s = >100, 40, >100, 14, and >10 μ M, respectively).^{2,3} Piclamilast inhibits superoxide production by guinea pig eosinophils and histamine-induced contraction in isolated guinea pig trachea (IC₅₀s = 24 and 2 nM, respectively).^{1,4} It inhibits eosinophil, neutrophil, lymphocyte, and TNF- α accumulation in bronchoalveolar lavage fluid (BALF) from ovalbumin-sensitized rats (ED₅₀s = 23.8, 14.1, 19.5, and 14.4 μmol/kg, respectively).⁵ Piclamilast also inhibits ovalbumin-induced bronchoconstriction in a guinea pig model of asthma (ED₅₀ = 0.033 mg/kg).²

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