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CAS# 183232-66-8 N-(Piperidin-1-yl)-5-(4-iodophenyl)-1-(2,4-dichlorophenyl)-4-methyl-1H-pyrazole-3-carboxamide Lot # X101761

A potent cannabinoid CB₁ receptor antagonist with selectivity over CB₂ receptors (306-fold).¹⁻³ Displays anorectic effects and antidepressant-like effects in mice.⁴ Behaves as an agonist at GPR55, EC₅₀=39nM.⁵ Active *in vivo*.

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- 3) Pertwee et al. (2005), Inverse agonism and neutral antagonism at cannabinoid CB1 receptors; Life Sci., 76 1307
- 4) Shearman et al. (2003), Antidepressant-like and anorectic effects of the cannabinoid CB1 receptor inverse agonist AM251 in mice; behave. Pharmacol., **14** 573
- 5) Ryberg et al. (2007), The orphan receptor GPR55 is a novel cannabinoid receptor; Br. J. Pharmacol., 152 1092

PHYSICAL DATA

Molecular Weight: 555.24

Solubility:

Molecular Formula: C₂₂H₂₁Cl₂IN₄O
Purity: 98% by TLC
NMR: (Conforms)

DMSO (up to 50 mg/ml) or Ethanol (up to 13 mg/ml)

Physical Description: Off-white solid

Storage and Stability: Store as supplied desiccated at -20°C for up to 1 year from the date of purchase. Solutions in

DMSO or ethanol may be stored at -20°C for up to 3 months.

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