

Catalog # 10-2527 Reparixin

CAS# 266359-83-5 αR-Methyl-4-(2-methylpropyl)-N-(methylsulfonyl)-benzeneacetamide DF 1681Y; Repertaxin Lot # X106715

Reparixin is a noncompetitive allosteric inhibitor of IL-8 (CXCL8) activation of CXCR1 and CXCR2 chemokine receptors ($IC_{50} = 1$ and 100 nM, respectively). It blocks a number of activities related to IL-8 signaling, including leukocyte recruitment ($IC_{50} = 1$ nM) without affecting receptor activation induced by other CXCR1 and CXCR2 agonists. In spontaneously hypertensive rats, 5 mg/kg reparixin administered daily for three weeks was shown to reduce blood pressure by inhibiting hypertension-related mediators. It attenuates inflammatory responses and promotes recovery of function after traumatic lesion to the spinal cord. Reparixin blockade (100 nM) of CXCR1 has also been used to deplete a cancer stem cell population in human breast cancer cell lines *in vitro*.

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- 3) Gorio et al. (2007), Reparixin, an inhibitor of CXCR2 function, attenuates inflammatory responses and promotes recovery of function after traumatic lesion to the spinal cord; J. Pharmacol. Exp. Ther., **322** 973
- Ginestier et al. (2010), CXCR1 blockade selectively targets human breast cancer stem cells in vitro and in xenografts;
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PHYSICAL DATA

Molecular Weight: 283.39

Molecular Formula: C₁₄H₂₁NO₃S

Purity: 99% by HPLC

NMR: (Conforms)

Solubility: DMSO (up to 100 mg/ml) or Ethanol (up to 25 mg/ml)

Physical Description: 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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