

## Catalog # 10-2584 Cilostamide

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N-Cyclohexyl-N-methyl-4-(1,2-dihydro-2-oxo-6-quinolyloxy)butyramide Lot # X101954

Selective inhibitor of phosphodiesterase-3 (PDE3). Displays limited selectivity for PDE3A versus PDE3B ( $IC_{50} = 27$  and 50 nM)<sup>1,2</sup>. Blocks PKB/Akt signaling pathway downstream via inhibition of Akt-activated PDE3B<sup>3</sup>. Reverses the effect of leptin on food intake and body weight<sup>4</sup>.

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## PHYSICAL DATA

Molecular Weight: 342.44 Molecular Formula:  $C_{20}H_{26}N_2O_3$  Purity: 98% by HPLC

NMR: (Conforms)

Solubility: DMSO (up to 30 mg/ml)

Physical Description: White solid

Storage and Stability: Store as supplied at room temperature for up to 1 year from the date of purchase. Solutions in

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

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