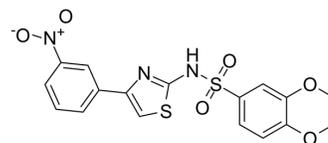


## Ro 61-8048

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-12347		
<b>CAS No.:</b>	199666-03-0		
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>17</sub> H <sub>15</sub> N <sub>3</sub> O <sub>6</sub> S <sub>2</sub>		
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	421.45		
<b>Target:</b>	Others		
<b>Pathway:</b>	Others		
<b>Storage:</b>	Powder	-20°C	3 years
		4°C	2 years
	In solvent	-80°C	2 years
		-20°C	1 year



### SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

#### In Vitro

DMSO : ≥ 59 mg/mL (139.99 mM)  
 \* "≥" means soluble, but saturation unknown.

Preparing Stock Solutions	Solvent		Mass		
	Concentration		1 mg	5 mg	10 mg
	1 mM		2.3728 mL	11.8638 mL	23.7276 mL
	5 mM		0.4746 mL	2.3728 mL	4.7455 mL
	10 mM		0.2373 mL	1.1864 mL	2.3728 mL

Please refer to the solubility information to select the appropriate solvent.

#### In Vivo

- Add each solvent one by one: 50% PEG300 >> 50% saline  
 Solubility: 20 mg/mL (47.46 mM); Suspended solution; Need ultrasonic
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline  
 Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (5.93 mM); Clear solution
- Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE-β-CD in saline)  
 Solubility: 2.5 mg/mL (5.93 mM); Suspended solution; Need ultrasonic

### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

#### Description

Ro 61-8048 is an orally active and selective inhibitor of kynurenine 3-hydroxylase, with an IC<sub>50</sub> of 37 nM. Ro 61-8048 provokes a significant increase of extracellular kynurenic acid concentrations<sup>[1]</sup>.

#### In Vitro

In gerbils, a dose of 30 μmol/kg po (12.64 μg/kg Ro 61-8048, compound 16) leads to inhibition of the cerebral enzyme which peaked after 2h (-85% inhibition) and persisted for up to 8 h<sup>[1]</sup>.  
 Ro 61-8048 (0.1-100 μM) strongly reduces QUIN neo-formation, suggesting that, in vitro, kynurenine hydroxylase activity is

required for QUIN neosynthesis<sup>[3]</sup>.

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#### In Vivo

Ro 61-8048 (50, 100 and 150 mg/kg i.p.) significantly reduces the severity of dystonia in dt<sup>SZ</sup> hamsters without leading to marked central side effects<sup>[2]</sup>.

Ro 61-8048 (100 mg/kg i.p.) provokes a two- to threefold increase of the endogenous broad spectrum glutamate receptor antagonist kynurenic acid in the striatum, cerebellum and brainstem of mutant hamsters<sup>[2]</sup>.

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Animal Model: Male and female dt<sup>SZ</sup> mutant Syrian golden hamsters<sup>[2]</sup>.

Dosage: 50, 100 and 150 mg/kg.

Administration: I.P., one dose.

Result: Significantly reduced the individual maximum severity of dystonia reached at the end of the observation period of 3 h at doses of 50, 100 and 150 mg/kg i.p..  
100 and 150 mg/kg significantly decreased the severity, indicating a fast onset of action. Adelayed onset of dystonic attacks was observed after treatment with 150 mg/kg but not after administration of 50 and 100 mg/kg.  
At lower doses of 10 and 25 mg/kg, the compound failed to exert any antidystonic effects. Caused a moderate sedation and hypolocomotion 5 to 70 min after administration of 100 and 150 mg/kg, while no central adverse effects were observable at a dose of 50 mg/kg or lower doses.

## CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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