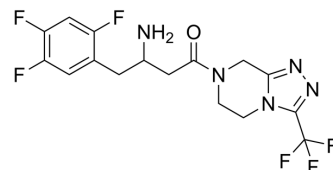


## (Rac)-Sitagliptin

<b>Cat. No.:</b>	HY-13749D
<b>CAS No.:</b>	823817-56-7
<b>Molecular Formula:</b>	C <sub>16</sub> H <sub>15</sub> F <sub>6</sub> N <sub>5</sub> O
<b>Molecular Weight:</b>	407.31
<b>Target:</b>	Autophagy; Dipeptidyl Peptidase
<b>Pathway:</b>	Autophagy; Metabolic Enzyme/Protease
<b>Storage:</b>	Please store the product under the recommended conditions in the Certificate of Analysis.



### BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

<b>Description</b>	(Rac)-Sitagliptin is an isoform of Sitagliptin (HY-13749), which is a potent and orally active inhibitor of DPP4 with an IC <sub>50</sub> of 19 nM in Caco-2 cell extracts <sup>[1]</sup> .
<b>In Vitro</b>	Sitagliptin phosphate exhibits a potent inhibitory effect on DPP-4 with IC <sub>50</sub> of 19 nM from Caco-2 cell extracts <sup>[1]</sup> . Sitagliptin reduces in vitro migration of isolated splenic CD4 T-cells through a pathway involving cAMP/PKA/Rac1 activation <sup>[2]</sup> . Sitagliptin exerts a novel, direct action in order to stimulate GLP-1 secretion by the intestinal L cell through a DPP-4-independent, protein kinase A- and MEK-ERK1/2-dependent pathway. It reduces the effect of autoimmunity on graft survival <sup>[3]</sup> . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.
<b>In Vivo</b>	In vivo, the ED <sub>50</sub> value of sitagliptin phosphate for inhibition of plasma DPP-4 activity is calculated to be 2.3 mg/kg 7 hour postdose and 30 mg/kg 24 hour postdose in freely fed Han-Wistar rats <sup>[1]</sup> . The streptozotocin-induced type 1 diabetes mouse model exhibits elevated DPP-4 levels in the plasma that can be substantially inhibited in mice on an Sitagliptin phosphate diet. This is achieved by a positive effect on the regulation of hyperglycemia, potentially through prolongation of islet graft survival <sup>[4]</sup> . The plasma clearance and volume of distribution of Sitagliptin phosphate are higher in rats (40-48 mL/min/kg, 7-9 L/kg) than in dogs (9 mL/min/kg, 3 L/kg); and its half-life is shorter in rats, 2 hours compared with 4 hours in dogs <sup>[5]</sup> . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

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