**Proteins** 



## MCE ®

## (d(CH2)51,Tyr(Me)2,Thr4,Orn8,Tyr-NH29)-Vasotocin

Molecular Weight: 1154.4

**Sequence Shortening:** XYITNC(Unk)PXY(Me)-NH2

Target: Oxytocin Receptor
Pathway: GPCR/G Protein

Storage: Please store the product under the recommended conditions in the Certificate of

Analysis.

## **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

Description	(d(CH2)51,Tyr(Me)2,Thr4,Orn8,Tyr-NH29)-Vasotocin is an oxytocin antagonist and can be used for the research of sexual behavior <sup>[1]</sup> .				
IC <sub>50</sub> & Target	$Oxytocin^{[1]}$				
In Vivo	(d(CH2)51,Tyr(Me)2,Thr4,Orn8,Tyr-NH29)-Vasotocin (50-1000 ng; Intra-MPOA; 1 μL) inhibits certain aspects of male sexual behavior in rats <sup>[1]</sup> . (d(CH2)51,Tyr(Me)2,Thr4,Orn8,Tyr-NH29)-Vasotocin (100 ng; i.c.v.; 1 μL) effectively suppresses hypoalgesia following copulatory behavior in male rats <sup>[2]</sup> . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.				
	Animal Model:	Adult Long–Evans/Blue-Spruce rats <sup>[1]</sup>			
	Dosage:	50 ng, 200 ng, and 1 μg			
	Administration:	Intra-MPOA (medial preoptic area) injection, 1 $\mu L$			
	Result:	Significantly increased intromission latency and anogenital investigation at 1 $\mu$ g dose. Significantly decreased intromission ratio (2) at all doses.			
	Animal Model:	Adult male and female Long-Evans rats (8 weeks old, 220–260 g BW) <sup>[2]</sup>			
	Dosage:	100 ng			
	Administration:	Intracerebroventricular injection, 1 μL			
	Result:	Was effective in reducing pain threshold heightened by copulatory behavior.			

## **REFERENCES**

[1]. Gil M, et al. Oxytocin in the medial preoptic area facilitates male sexual behavior in the rat. Horm Behav. 2011 Apr;59(4):435-43.

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