

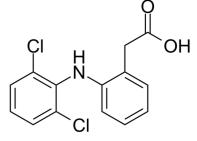
# **Data Sheet**

Product Name: Diclofenac
Cat. No.: CS-2862
CAS No.: 15307-86-5
Molecular Formula: C14H11Cl2NO2

Molecular Weight: 296.15 Target: COX

Pathway: Immunology/Inflammation

**Solubility:** DMSO :  $\geq$  3.5 mg/mL (11.82 mM)



### **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY:**

Diclofenac is a potent and nonselective anti-inflammatory agent, acts as a **COX** inhibitor, with **IC**<sub>50</sub>s of 4 nM, 1.3 nM for human COX-1 and COX-2 in CHO cells, and 5.1, 0.84  $\mu$ M for ovine COX-1 and COX-2, respectively. IC50 & Target: IC50: 4 nM (Human COX-1, in CHO cells), 1.3 nM (Human COX-2, in CHO cells)<sup>[1]</sup>, 5.1  $\mu$ M (Ovine COX-1), 0.84  $\mu$ M (Ovine COX-2)<sup>[2]</sup> **In Vitro**: Diclofenac is a potent COX inhibitor, with IC<sub>50</sub>s of 4 nM and 1.3 nM for human COX-1 and COX-2 in the CHO cells, respectively. Diclofenac effectively blocks COX-1 mediated prostanoid production from U937 cell microsomes, with an IC<sub>50</sub> of 7 ± 3 nM<sup>[1]</sup>. Diclofenac sodium exihibits inhibition on COX-1 and COX-2 enzyme with IC<sub>50</sub>s of 5.1 and 0.84  $\mu$ M, respectively<sup>[2]</sup>. **In Vivo**: Diclofenac (3 mg/kg, b.i.d., for 5 days) significantly increases faecal <sup>51</sup>Cr excretion in rats, and such effect is also observed in squirrel monkeys after administrated of 1 mg/kg twice daily for 4 days<sup>[1]</sup>. Diclofenac (10 mg/kg) shows anti-inflammatory activity in mice<sup>[2]</sup>. Diclofenac (10 mg/kg) decreases oxidized low-densitylipoprotein (Ox-LDL), but shows no effects on the kinetics parameters of catalase and glutathione peroxidase via intramuscularly injection into rats<sup>[3]</sup>.

#### PROTOCOL (Extracted from published papers and Only for reference)

Animal Administration: Diclofenac is suspended in 1% methocellulose<sup>[1]</sup>. [1] Rats<sup>[1]</sup>

Male Sprague-Dawley rats (150  $\pm$  200 g) are dosed orally with Diclofenac either once (acute dosing) or twice daily for 5 days (chronic dosing). A plasma sample is obtained 1 h after the morning dose on day 4 for measurement of Diclofenac concentration. Immediately after the administration of the last dose on day 5, the rats are injected via a tail vein with 0.5 mL of  $^{51}$ Cr-labelled red blood cells from a donor rat after incubation with sodium  $^{51}$ chromate. The rats are placed individually in metabolism cages with food and water ad libitum. Faeces are collected for a 48 h period and  $^{51}$ Cr faecal excretion is calculated as a % of total injected dose (20 mCi per animal)  $^{[1]}$ .

### Squirrel monkeys<sup>[1]</sup>

Squirrel monkeys (Saimiri sciureus;  $0.8 \pm 1.4$  kg) are dosed **orally** with **Diclofenac** twice daily for  $1 \pm 5$  days. One hour after administration of the last dose,  $^{51}$ CrCl<sub>3</sub> in sterile saline (1 mL/kg,  $4 \pm 5$  mCi per animal) is injected via a saphenous vein and plasma samples are obtained for measurement of **Diclofenac** concentration. The monkeys are then housed individually in metabolism cages. Faeces are collected for a 24 h period and  $^{51}$ Cr faecal excretion is calculated as a % of total injected dose<sup>[1]</sup>.

#### References:

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## **CAIndexNames**:

Benzeneacetic acid, 2-[(2,6-dichlorophenyl)amino]-

#### **SMILES:**

 $\mathsf{O} \! = \! \mathsf{C}(\mathsf{O})\mathsf{CC1} \! = \! \mathsf{CC} \! = \! \mathsf{C1NC2} \! = \! \mathsf{C}(\mathsf{CI})\mathsf{C} \! = \! \mathsf{C2CI}$ 

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