

Yohimbine Datasheet

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[Product Information]

Name: Yohimbine

Catalog No.: CFN90147

Cas No.: 146-48-5

Purity: >=98%

M.F: C₂₁H₂₆N₂O₃

M.W: 354.44

Physical Description: Cryst

Synonyms: Aphrodine; Corynine; Yocon; 17 Alpha-Hydroxy-yohimban-16 alpha-carboxylic acid methyl ester.

[Intended Use]

- 1. Reference standards;
- 2. Pharmacological research;
- 3. Synthetic precursor compounds;
- 4. Intermediates & Fine Chemicals;
- 5. Others.

[Source]

The peel of Corynante yohimbe.

[Biological Activity or Inhibitors]

Yohimbine is an alpha-2 adrenoreceptor antagonist that provokes stress- and anxiety-like

responses in both humans and laboratory animals, the extrahypothalamic corticotrotropin

-releasing factor 1(CRF1) receptors are involved in the effect of yohimbine on operant

alcohol self-administration and on relapse to alcohol seeking and support the notion that

CRF1 receptor antagonists should be considered in alcohol addiction treatment.[1]

Yohimbine and phentolamine inhibit ATP-sensitive K+ channels in mouse pancreatic

beta-cells.[2]

Yohimbine has potentiation of alpha-adrenoceptor-mediated vasoconstriction in response

to clonidine in the rabbit ear vein.[3]

[Solvent]

Chloroform, Dichloromethane, Ethyl Acetate, DMSO, Acetone, etc.

[HPLC Method]^[4]

Mobile phase: (Methanol-water-trifluoroacetic acid=30:70:0.1)-(Methanol-water

-trifluoroacetic acid=55:45:0.1), gradient elution;

Flow rate: 1.0 ml/min;

Column temperature: 30°C;

The wave length of determination:230 nm.

[Storage]

2-8°C, Protected from air and light, refrigerate or freeze.

[References]

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