

5-Amino-1MQ

NNMT Inhibitor | Small Molecule | 5-amino-1-methylquinolinium

COMPOUND OVERVIEW

5-Amino-1MQ is a selective, membrane-permeable inhibitor of Nicotinamide N-methyltransferase (NNMT), a cytosolic enzyme involved in NAD⁺ metabolism and energy homeostasis. NNMT overexpression is associated with adipogenesis and metabolic dysfunction in animal models.

MECHANISM OF ACTION

By inhibiting NNMT, 5-Amino-1MQ increases intracellular NAD⁺ and S-adenosylmethionine (SAM) availability. Elevated NAD⁺ activates SIRT1, a deacetylase involved in mitochondrial biogenesis and fat oxidation. This pathway operates at the enzymatic level rather than through adrenergic mechanisms.

RESEARCH APPLICATIONS

- NNMT enzyme inhibition pharmacology
- NAD⁺ metabolism and SIRT1 activation research
- Adipogenesis and muscle catabolism model studies
- Metabolic rate modulation without CNS stimulation research

EVIDENCE STATUS & KNOWN LIMITATIONS

Evidence Status: Research is predominantly preclinical with promising rodent model data. No controlled human trials have been published. NNMT inhibition as a therapeutic target is an active area of investigation. Translation from rodent models to human physiology is not yet established.

ANALYTICAL & STORAGE DATA

PURITY	>99.2% by HPLC/MS	PHYSICAL FORM	Lyophilised Powder
STORAGE	Cool, dark environment	CLASS	Small Molecule / NNMT Inhibitor
RECONSTITUTION	Bacteriostatic Water (USP)	BATCH DOCS	Available on Request

RECONSTITUTION NOTE

A stable small molecule. Introduce reconstitution solvent slowly against the vial wall. Gentle swirling (not shaking) may be used to achieve clarity. Refrigerate post-reconstitution.

REGULATORY CLASSIFICATION: All BioUnfolding compounds are strictly intended for laboratory evaluation and in-vitro analysis. These materials are not intended for human consumption, veterinary use, or therapeutic application. Researchers are solely responsible for compliance with applicable local regulations including SAHPRA guidelines.

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