# PRODUCT INFORMATION



# Ezetimibe-d<sub>4</sub> Item No. 25044

CAS Registry No.: 1093659-89-2

Formal Name:  $(3R,4S)-1-(4-fluorophenyl-2,3,5,6-d_{4})-3-[(3S)-$ 

3-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-hydroxypropyl]-4-(4-

hydroxyphenyl)-2-azetidinone

Synonym: Ezetrol-d₄

MF:  $C_{24}H_{17}D_4F_2NO_3$ 

FW: 413.5

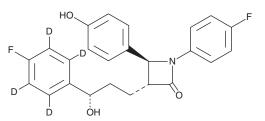
**Chemical Purity:** ≥98% (Ezetimibe)

Deuterium

Incorporation:  $\geq$ 99% deuterated forms (d<sub>1</sub>-d<sub>4</sub>);  $\leq$ 1% d<sub>0</sub>

Supplied as: A solid -20°C Storage: Stability: ≥4 years

Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.



## **Laboratory Procedures**

Ezetimibe-d<sub>4</sub> is intended for use as an internal standard for the quantification of ezetimibe (Item No. 16331) by GC- or LC-MS. The accuracy of the sample weight in this vial is between 5% over and 2% under the amount shown on the vial. If better precision is required, the deuterated standard should be quantitated against a more precisely weighed unlabeled standard by constructing a standard curve of peak intensity ratios (deuterated versus unlabeled).

Ezetimibe- $d_4$  is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the ezetimibe- $d_4$  in the solvent of choice. Ezetimibe- $d_{\Delta}$  is soluble in organic solvents such as methanol, ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide, which should be purged with an inert gas.

#### Description

Ezetimibe inhibits intestinal cholesterol absorption by preventing cholesterol uptake by the Niemann-Pick C1-like 1 (NPC1L1) protein, a cholesterol transporter located in the apical membrane of enterocytes. 1.2 Upon oral administration ezetimibe undergoes rapid glucuronidation in the intestine where its glucuronide binds NPC1L1.<sup>1,2</sup> Ezetimibe exhibits ED<sub>50</sub> values of 0.0005-0.05 mg/kg in various animal models, selectively blocking cholesterol absorption without inhibiting pancreatic lipolytic enzyme activities in the intestinal lumen, affecting bile acid micelle solubilization of cholesterol, or interfering with the absorption of triglycerides, fatty acids, or bile acids.<sup>2,3</sup>

#### References

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WARNING
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