# **PRODUCT INFORMATION**



# (±)-Felodipine-d<sub>5</sub>

Item No. 30123

CAS Registry No.: 1242281-38-4

Formal Name: 4-(2,3-dichlorophenyl)-1,4-dihydro-2,6-

dimethyl-3,5-pyridinedicarboxylic acid,

3-(ethyl-d<sub>5</sub>) 5-methyl ester

MF:  $C_{18}H_{14}CI_2D_5NO_4$ 

389.3 FW:

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

Deuterium

Incorporation:  $\geq$ 99% deuterated forms (d<sub>1</sub>-d<sub>5</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**

(±)-Felodipine-d<sub>5</sub> is intended for use as an internal standard for the quantification of felodipine (Item No. 17535) 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).

(±)-Felodipine- $d_5$  is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the (±)-felodipine- $d_5$ in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. ( $\pm$ )-Felodipine-d<sub>5</sub> is soluble in the organic solvent chloroform.

#### Description

Felodipine is an inhibitor of L-type calcium channels. It induces relaxation of precontracted isolated porcine coronary artery segments (EC<sub>50</sub> = 0.15 nM), which highly express L-type calcium channels.<sup>2</sup> Felodipine is selective for L-type calcium channels over N-, R-, and P/Q-type channels at 10  $\mu$ M, as well as the T-type  $Ca_v3.2$  channel ( $IC_{50}$  = 6.8  $\mu$ M).<sup>1,3</sup> Felodipine preferentially inhibits L-type calcium channels in isolated rat portal vein over rat left ventricle ( $IC_{50}$ s = 33.9 and 3,981 nM, respectively).<sup>4</sup> It decreases mean arterial blood pressure and total peripheral resistance in a rabbit model of hypertension induced by renal artery ligation when administered intravenously at doses of 30 and 100 nmol/kg.<sup>5</sup>

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WARNING
THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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