# PRODUCT INFORMATION



# VU0134992 (hydrochloride)

Item No. 37299

Formal Name: 2-[2-bromo-4-(1-methylethyl)

phenoxy]-N-(2,2,6,6-tetramethyl-4-

piperidinyl)-acetamide, hydrochloride C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>31</sub>BrN<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> • XHCl

MF: FW: **Purity:** ≥95% Supplied as: A solid Storage: -20°C Stability:

≥4 years

XHCI

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

### **Laboratory Procedures**

VU0134992 (hydrochloride) is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the VU0134992 (hydrochloride) in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. VU0134992 (hydrochloride) is soluble in organic solvents such as DMSO and dimethyl formamide. The solubility of VU0134992 (hydrochloride) in these solvents is approximately 1 and 2 mg/ml, respectively.

### Description

VU0134992 is an inhibitor of inward-rectifier potassium channel 4.1 ( $K_{ir}4.1$ ;  $IC_{50}$  = 5.2  $\mu M$  in a thallium flux assay). It is selective for  $K_{ir}4.1$  over  $K_{ir}2.3$ ,  $K_{ir}7.1$ , and  $SUR1/K_{ir}6.2$  (IC $_{50}$ s = 13.2, 34.2, and 11.4  $\mu$ M, respectively), as well as  $K_{ir}1.1$ ,  $K_{ir}2.1$ , and  $K_{ir}2.2$  at 30  $\mu$ M, but also inhibits  $K_{ir}4.2$ , heteromeric GIRK1/GIRK2, also known as  $K_{ir}3.1$ / $K_{ir}3.2$ , and heteromeric GIRK1/GIRK4 (IC<sub>50</sub>s = 8.1, 2.5, and 3.1  $\mu$ M, respectively). VU0134992 (5 μM) reduces polymyxin B-induced decreases in cell viability in HK-2 human kidney tubular cells and prevents polymyxin B-induced increases in apoptosis in mouse embryonic kidney explant cultures.<sup>2</sup> In vivo, VU0134992 (50 and 100 mg/kg) increases urine volume and urinary sodium and potassium levels in rats.<sup>1</sup>

#### References

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

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