PRODUCT INFORMATION



S-ethyl Isothiourea (hydrobromide)

Item No. 81275

CAS Registry No.: Formal Name:	1071-37-0 ethyl carbamimidothioate, hydrobromide		
Synonyms:	Ethiron bromide; 2-Ethyl-2-thiopseudourea hydrobromide; SEIT (HBr); WR 539	N/H	
MF:	$C_3H_8N_2S \bullet HBr$		HBr
FW:	185.1	\downarrow	
Purity:	≥98%	H ₂ N S	
Supplied as:	A crystalline solid		
Storage:	-20°C		
Stability:	≥4 years		
Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.			

Laboratory Procedures

S-ethyl Isothiourea (hydrobromide) (SEIT (HBr)) is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the SEIT (HBr) in an organic solvent purged with an inert gas. SEIT (HBr) is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide. The solubility of SEIT (HBr) in these solvents is approximately 30 mg/ml.

Further dilutions of the stock solution into aqueous buffers or isotonic saline should be made prior to performing biological experiments. Ensure that the residual amount of organic solvent is insignificant, since organic solvents may have physiological effects at low concentrations. Organic solvent-free aqueous solutions of SEIT (HBr) can be prepared by directly dissolving the crystalline compound in aqueous buffers. The solubility of SEIT (HBr) in PBS, (pH 7.2), is approximately 10 mg/ml. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

Description

SEIT is a potent inhibitor of NOS in vitro but lacks good in vivo efficacy due to poor cellular penetration. The K; values are 19, 39 and 29 nM using purified human iNOS, eNOS, and nNOS, respectively.¹⁻³

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

SAFFTY DATA

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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