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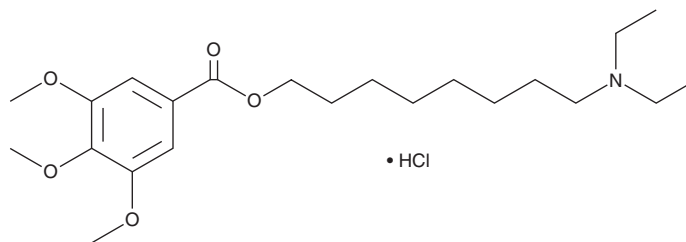
# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## TMB 8 (hydrochloride)

Item No. 23928

**CAS Registry No.:** 53464-72-5  
**Formal Name:** 3,4,5-trimethoxy-benzoic acid, 8-(diethylamino) octyl ester, monohydrochloride  
**MF:** C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>37</sub>NO<sub>5</sub> • HCl  
**FW:** 432.0  
**Purity:** ≥98%  
**Supplied as:** A solid  
**Storage:** -20°C  
**Stability:** ≥2 years



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

### Laboratory Procedures

TMB 8 (hydrochloride) is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the TMB 8 (hydrochloride) in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. TMB 8 (hydrochloride) is slightly soluble in methanol and chloroform.

TMB 8 (hydrochloride) is sparingly soluble in aqueous solutions. To enhance aqueous solubility, dilute the organic solvent solution into aqueous buffers or isotonic saline. If performing biological experiments, ensure the residual amount of organic solvent is insignificant, since organic solvents may have physiological effects at low concentrations. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

### Description

TMB 8 is a non-competitive antagonist of nicotinic acetylcholine receptors (nAChRs) with IC<sub>50</sub> values of 390 and 350 nM, respectively, for human muscle-type and α3β4 subunit-containing ganglionic nAChRs expressed in TE671/RD or SH-SY5Y cells.<sup>1</sup> It inhibits nicotine-induced dopamine release from rat brain synaptosomes (IC<sub>50</sub> = 480 nM). TMB 8 also reduces calcium availability in smooth and skeletal muscle, blocking the contractile response in isolated rabbit aortic strip when used at a concentration of 50 μM and inhibiting calcium influx and efflux in isolated guinea pig ileum when used at a concentration of 65 μM.<sup>2</sup> It has been used in the study of intracellular calcium dynamics, particularly in smooth muscle.<sup>3,4</sup> TMB 8 also inhibits protein kinase C (PKC) activity in a dose-dependent manner.<sup>5</sup>

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

#### SAFETY DATA

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