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## DATASHEET

Perlapine dihydrochloride (water soluble)

### Product overview

<b>Name</b>	Perlapine dihydrochloride (water soluble)
<b>Cat No</b>	HB6126
<b>Alternative names</b>	NSC291840 dihydrochloride
<b>Biological action</b>	Activator
<b>Purity</b>	>98%
<b>Description</b>	Effective agonist for muscarinic-based DREADDs in vitro and in vivo. Non-CNO chemogenetic actuator. Water soluble.

### Biological Data

**Biological description** Perlapine dihydrochloride is the water soluble of perlapine which is a potent agonist at muscarinic based DREADDs such as the excitatory hM3Dq, hM1Dq and inhibitory hM4Di DREADDs (pEC<sub>50</sub> values are 8.08, 8.38 and 7.27 at hM3Dq, hM1Dq and hM4Di respectively).

Perlapine exhibits >10,000-fold selectivity for hM3Dq over wildtype hM3 and interacts with wildtype hM1 and hM4 receptors with relatively low affinity. Perlapine lacks agonist activity at wild type receptors.

It has been reported that perlapine does not undergo back metabolism to clozapine.

Perlapine also acts as a sleep inducing, hypnotic agent.

CNO dihydrochloride (water soluble), Clozapine N-oxide (CNO) freebase, Compound 21, Salvinorin B (SalB) and perlapine freebase also available.

#### Stability Studies

For more info on the stability of water-soluble DREADD ligands in solution, please see the following guides:

- [Stability of Water-Soluble DREADD ligands in Solution: A Technical Review](#)

### Solubility & Handling

<b>Storage instructions</b>	-20 °C
<b>Solubility overview</b>	Soluble in water (100 mM). Always store solutions at -20 °C.
<b>Handling</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Hygroscopic solid, contact with air may cause material to become sticky. Product performance should not be affected but we recommend storing the material in a sealed jar.</li><li>• Always store solutions at -20 °C.</li></ul>

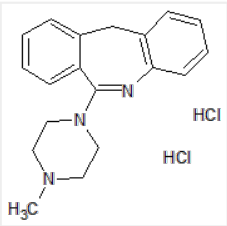
**Important** This product is for RESEARCH USE ONLY and is not intended for therapeutic or diagnostic use. Not

Storage instructions

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for human or veterinary use

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## Chemical Data

Chemical name	6-(4-Methyl-1-piperazinyl)-11H-dibenz[b,e]azepine dihydrochloride
Molecular Weight	360.3
Chemical structure	
Molecular Formula	C <sub>19</sub> H <sub>21</sub> N <sub>3</sub> ·2HCl
PubChem identifier	0
SMILES	CN1CCN(CC1)C2=NC=CC=CC=C3CC4=CC=CC=C42.Cl.Cl
Source	Synthetic
Appearance	White solid

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