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# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## Desloratadine

Item No. 16931

CAS Registry No.: 100643-71-8

Formal Name: 8-chloro-6,11-dihydro-11-(4-piperidinylidene)-5H-benzo[5,6]cyclohepta[1,2-b]pyridine

Synonyms: Descarboethoxyloratadine, NSC 675447, SCH 34117

MF: C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>19</sub>ClN<sub>2</sub>

FW: 310.8

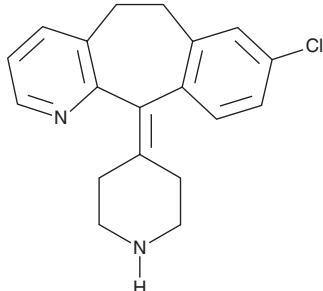
Purity: ≥98%

UV/Vis.: λ<sub>max</sub>: 245 nm

Supplied as: A crystalline 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

Desloratadine is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the desloratadine in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Desloratadine is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide (DMF). The solubility of desloratadine in ethanol and DMF is approximately 30 mg/ml and approximately 10 mg/ml in DMSO.

Desloratadine is sparingly soluble in aqueous buffers. For maximum solubility in aqueous buffers, desloratadine should first be dissolved in ethanol and then diluted with the aqueous buffer of choice. Desloratadine has a solubility of approximately 0.5 mg/ml in a 1:1 solution of ethanol:PBS (pH 7.2) using this method. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

## Description

Desloratadine is the orally active metabolite of the non-sedating antihistamine Desloratadine is a histamine H<sub>1</sub> receptor antagonist (K<sub>i</sub> = 0.97 nM) and an active metabolite of loratadine (Item No. 15625).<sup>1,2</sup> It is formed from loratadine primarily by the cytochrome P450 (CYP) isoforms CYP3A4, CYP2D6, and CYP2C19.<sup>3</sup> It inhibits calcium flow in neurons and glia *in vitro* (IC<sub>50</sub>s = 9.177 and 0.3185 μM, respectively), an effect that can be blocked by knockdown of the 5-HT receptor subtype 5-HT<sub>2A</sub>.<sup>4</sup> Desloratadine (10 mg/kg) reduces ovalbumin-induced sneezing, nose rubbing, eye watering, and congestion in ovalbumin-sensitized guinea pigs.<sup>5</sup> It also increases the clearance of amyloid-β by microglia and reverses learning and memory deficits in the Morris water maze in the transgenic APP/PS1 mouse model of Alzheimer's disease when administered at a dose of 20 mg/kg per day.<sup>4</sup> Formulations containing desloratadine have been used in the treatment of seasonal and perennial allergic rhinitis and chronic idiopathic urticaria.

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