



Product Information

Bumetanide

Product Number **B 3023**
Store at Room Temperature

Product Description

Molecular Formula: $C_{17}H_{20}N_2O_5S$
Molecular Weight: 364.4
CAS Number: 28395-03-1
Melting Point: 230-231 °C¹
Synonyms: 3-(aminosulfonyl)-5-(butylamino)-4-phenoxybenzoic acid; 3-(butylamino)-4-phenoxy-5-sulfamoylbenzoic acid¹

Bumetanide is a benzoic acid derivative that is used in ion channel research. It is an inhibitor of cation-chloride cotransporters, which mediate the coupled ion movement of Na^+ , K^+ , and Cl^- across the plasma membrane of animal cells.²

Bumetanide has been used to probe the role of prostaglandin E_2 in the regulation of chloride secretion across porcine endometrial epithelial cells.³ A study of the effects of bumetanide application and subsequent sodium potassium chloride cotransporter 1 (NKCC1) inhibition in cultured liver cells has indicated increased α_1 -smooth muscle actin expression in 2-day-cultured hepatic stellate cells.⁴ An investigation of lactic acidosis treatment of suspended G6 glial cells with bumetanide included at 0.1 mM has shown diminished cell swelling due to lactic acidosis.⁵

An HPLC method for the analysis of bumetanide in plasma has been published.⁶ The hydrogen abstraction and ionization patterns of bumetanide and other diuretic compounds in negative electrospray ionization mass spectrometry have been investigated.⁷

Precautions and Disclaimer

For Laboratory Use Only. Not for drug, household or other uses.

Preparation Instructions

This product is soluble in ethanol (50 mg/ml), with heat as needed, yielding a clear to slightly hazy, colorless to yellow solution. It is also soluble in acetone and alkaline solutions, slightly soluble in chloroform and in ether, and very slightly soluble in water.⁸

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