

# **Certificate of Analysis**

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CAS Number: 29331-92-8

IUPAC Name: 10,11-Dihydro-10-hydroxy-5*H*-dibenz(*Z*)[*b*,*f*]azepin-5-carboxamide

### 1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula: $C_{15}H_{14}N_2O_2$ Batch Molecular Weight:254.28Physical Appearance:White solid

**Solubility:** DMSO to 100 mM ethanol to 50 mM

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Storage: Store at RT

Batch Molecular Structure:

#### 2. ANALYTICAL DATA

**HPLC:** Shows 100% purity

<sup>1</sup>H NMR: Consistent with structure Mass Spectrum: Consistent with structure

Microanalysis: Carbon Hydrogen Nitrogen

Theoretical 70.85 5.55 11.02 Found 70.46 5.57 10.97



## **Product Information**

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#### **Description:**

Active metabolite of oxcarbazepine (Cat. No. 3864). Produces dose-dependent inhibition of glutamatergic excitatory postsynaptic potentials (EPSPs). Displays anticonvulsant activity; exhibits minor potentiation of GABA<sub>A</sub> receptor currents.

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#### Solubility & Usage Info:

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#### Stability and Solubility Advice:

Some solutions can be difficult to obtain and can be encouraged by rapid stirring, sonication or gentle warming (in a 45-60°C water bath).

Information concerning product stability, particularly in solution, has rarely been reported and in most cases we can only offer a general guide. Our standard recommendations are:

SOLIDS: Provided storage is as stated on the product label and the vial is kept tightly sealed, the product can be stored for up to 6 months from date of receipt.

SOLUTIONS: We recommend that stock solutions, once prepared, are stored aliquoted in tightly sealed vials at -20°C or below and used within 1 month. Wherever possible solutions should be made up and used on the same day.

#### References:

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