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Aniracetam

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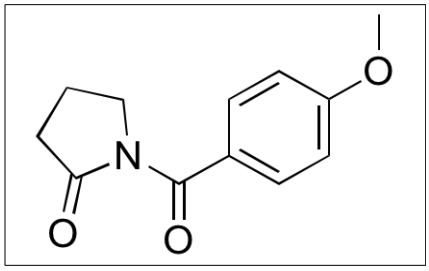
Product Information

Product ID A5326
CAS No. 72432-10-1
Chemical Name 1-(4-Methoxybenzoyl)-2-pyrrolidinone

Synonym Ro-13-5057, Draganon, Sarpul



Formula $C_{12}H_{13}NO_3$
Formula Wt. 219.24
Melting Point 121-122°C
Purity ≥98%
Solubility Soluble in chloroform and ethyl acetate. Slightly soluble in ethanol. Insoluble in water.
Store Temp Ambient
Ship Temp Ambient

Bulk quanitites available upon request

Product ID	Size
A5326	25 mg
A5326	100 mg
A5326	500 mg
A5326	1 g

Description Aniracetam is a nootropic ampakine that exhibits anxiolytic and neuroprotective activities. Aniracetam acts as a positive allosteric modulator of AMPA receptors, slowing receptor deactivation; it also acts on D2 receptors, 5-HT2A receptors, and nicotinic acetylcholine receptors (nAChRs), likely displaying agonist activity. Aniracetam decreases anxiety in vivo in the condition fear stress test, elevated plus maze test, and in social interaction tests. Additionally, this compound inhibits H2O2-induced deficits in long-term potentiation and neuron viability. Aniracetam shows some clinical benefit in the enhancement of cognitive deficits associated with stroke and Alzheimer's disease.

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