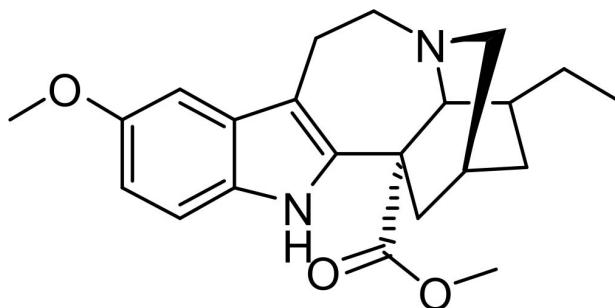


Voacangine



Synonyms:

(-)-Voacangine, 10-Methoxycoronaridine, Carbomethoxyibogaine

Specifications

CAS #	: 510-22-5
Molecular Formula	: C22H28N2O3
Molecular Weight	: 368.48
Source	: -
Appearance	: Light tan solid
Purity	: >95% by HPLC
Long Term Storage	: -20°C
Solubility	: Soluble in ethanol, methanol, DMF or DMSO.

Application Notes

Voacangine is an indole alkaloid derived from various species of *Voacanga*, indigenous to Africa. In the Pacific region, voacangine was successfully isolated from *Tabernaemontana aurantiaca* (syn. *Rejoua aurantiaca*) from the coastal districts of New Guinea by Ritchie and Taylor, University of Sydney, Australia in 1965. Voacangine inhibits angiogenesis in HUVEC lines in vitro and in vivo. Voacangine decreases the expression of hypoxia inducible factor-1 α and its target gene, VEGF, in a dose-dependent manner. Voacangine is a transient antagonist of thermosensitive TRPV1 and TRPM8, and an agonist of TRPA1. Voacangine is also active against *Onchocerca*.

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