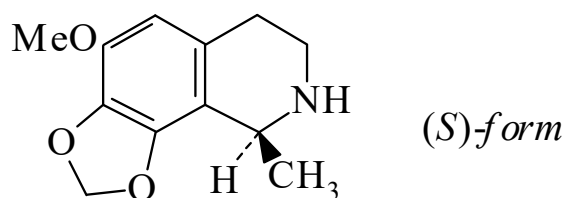




>> **Name:** Anhalonine

**Synonym(s):** 6,7,8,9-Tetrahydro-4-methoxy-9-methyl-1,3-dioxolo[4,5-*h*]isoquinoline, 9Cl. 1,2,3,4-Tetrahydro-6-methoxy-1-methyl-7,8-methylenedioxyisoquinoline



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**Source/Synthesis:** Obt. by resoln.

**Melting Point:** Mp 84.5-85.5°

**Optical Rotation:** [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup>+56.7 (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)

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**Biological Source:** Alkaloid from *Anhalonium lewinii* (*Lophophora williamsii*), *Gymnocalycium lecanum* and *Trichocereus terscheckii* (Cactaceae). Also obt. by resoln. and by synthesis

**Physical Description:** Cryst. (Et<sub>2</sub>O/petrol)

**Melting Point:** Mp 85-86°

**Optical Rotation:** [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup>−56.3 (CHCl<sub>3</sub>). [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup>−62.9 (c, 1 in MeOH). [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup>−51 (c, 1 in 1M HCl)

>>**Derivative:** Hydrochloride

**Melting Point:** Mp 258-259°

**Optical Rotation:** [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup>−40 (c, 1 in 50% EtOH)

>>**Derivative:** Hydrobromide

**Physical Description:** Cryst. (H<sub>2</sub>O)

**Melting Point:** Mp 270-271°

**Optical Rotation:** [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup>−30 (c, 1 in H<sub>2</sub>O)

>>**Derivative:** *N*-Me

**Synonym(s):** **Lophophorine.** 6,7,8,9-Tetrahydro-4-methoxy-8,9-dimethyl-1,3-dioxolo[4,5-*h*]isoquinoline, 9Cl. 1,2,3,4-Tetrahydro-6-methoxy-1,2-dimethyl-7,8-methylenedioxyisoquinoline

**CAS Registry Number:** 17627-78-0

**Molecular Formula:** C<sub>13</sub>H<sub>17</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>

**Molecular Weight:** 235.282

**Accurate Mass:** 235.120844

**Percentage Composition:** C 66.36%; H 7.28%; N 5.95%; O 20.40%

**Biological Source:** Alkaloid from *Gymnocalycium gibbosum*, *Gymnocalycium lecanum*, *Lophophora diffusa* and *Lophophora williamsii* (Cactaceae)

**Use/Importance:** Respiratory stimulant, convulsive agent

**Physical Description:** Oil

**Boiling Point:** Bp<sub>0.05</sub> 140-145°

**Optical Rotation:** [α]<sub>D</sub><sup>25</sup>−47.3 (CHCl<sub>3</sub>)

**Hazard & Toxicity:** Toxic, LD<sub>50</sub> 15-20 mg/kg (i.v., rabbit)