



>>>Derivative: *O*-(4-Ethoxycarbonyloxy-3,5-dimethoxybenzoyl)

>>>Derivative: *O*-(2-Acetamidobenzoyl), Me ester

>>>Derivative: *O*-(3,4,5-Trimethoxycinnamoyl), Me ester

Synonym(s): Rescinamine, BAN, INN, JAN. **Reserpinine**‡. Anaprel. Apoterin. Cinnaloid. Rescaloid. Moderil. Scinnamina. Many other names

CAS Registry Number: 84-34-4

Extra CAS Registry Numbers(s): 24815-24-5

Molecular Formula: C₃₅H₄₂N₂O₉

Molecular Weight: 634.725

Accurate Mass: 634.289033

Percentage Composition: C 66.23%; H 6.67%; N 4.41%; O 22.69%

Biological Source: Alkaloid from *Rauwolfia vomitoria*, *Rauwolfia caffra*, *Rauwolfia cumminsii*, *Rauwolfia macrophylla*, *Rauwolfia oreogiton*, *Rauwolfia volkensii*, *Rauwolfia mombasiana* and many other *Rauwolfia* spp. (Apocynaceae)

Use/Importance: Antihypertensive agent and tranquilliser agent. Sedative

Physical Description: Cryst. (Me₂CO aq.)

Melting Point: Mp 238-239° (in vacuo)

Optical Rotation: [α]_D¹⁷ -99 (c, 1.3 in CHCl₃)

Calculated Log P Data: Log P 3.6 (calc)

Other Data: Not the same as Reserpinine [CFD70-M](#). Shows similar pharmacol. to Reserpine but is less potent

>>>Derivative: *O*-(3,4,5-Trimethoxycinnamoyl), *O*¹⁷-de-Me, Me ester

Synonym(s): Rescidine

Molecular Formula: C₃₄H₄₀N₂O₉

Molecular Weight: 620.698

Accurate Mass: 620.273383

Percentage Composition: C 65.79%; H 6.50%; N 4.51%; O 23.20%

Biological Source: Alkaloid from *Rauwolfia vomitoria* (Apocynaceae)

Physical Description: Needles (MeOH)

Melting Point: Mp 183-186 dec.°

Optical Rotation: [α]_D -63.4 (c, 1 in CHCl₃)

>>>Derivative: *O*-[3-(3,4,5-Trimethoxyphenyl)propanoyl], Me ester

Synonym(s): Rescinamidine

CAS Registry Number: 110222-52-1

Molecular Formula: C₃₅H₄₄N₂O₉

Molecular Weight: 636.741

Accurate Mass: 636.304683

Percentage Composition: C 66.02%; H 6.96%; N 4.40%; O 22.61%

Biological Source: Alkaloid from roots of *Rauwolfia serpentina*

Physical Description: Yellow needles (CHCl₃/Et₂O)

Melting Point: Mp 260-261°

Optical Rotation: [α]_D²⁰ +207 (CHCl₃)

>>>Derivative: 3-Epimer, *O*-(3,4,5-trimethoxycinnamoyl), Me ester

Synonym(s): 3-Epirescinamine

CAS Registry Number: 187082-77-5

Molecular Formula: C₃₅H₄₂N₂O₉

Molecular Weight: 634.725

Accurate Mass: 634.289033

Percentage Composition: C 66.23%; H 6.67%; N 4.41%; O 22.69%

Biological Source: Alkaloid from root bark of *Rauwolfia vomitoria* (Apocynaceae)

Melting Point: Mp 238°

Optical Rotation: [α]_D²⁰ -137.2 (c, 1 in CHCl₃)

UV: [neutral] $\lambda_{\max}$ 230 (log ϵ 4.57); 300 (log ϵ 4.2) (MeOH)

References: