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PRODUCT: BEC

ALTERNATE NAME: S-(2-boronoethyl)-L-cysteine

**CATALOG #**: 2359-1, 5

AMOUNT: 1 mg, 5 mg

STRUCTURE:

MOLECULAR FORMULA: C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>12</sub>BNO<sub>4</sub>S

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 193.03

**CAS NUMBER:** 63107-40-4

**APPEARANCE:** White solid

**SOLUBILITY:** PBS, pH 7.2 (~ 5 mg/ml)

PURITY: ≥98%

**STORAGE:** At -20°C. Protect from air and moisture

**DESCRIPTION:** A potent, slow-binding competitive inhibitor of recombinant rat

liver arginase I with a  $K_i$  of  $0.4\text{--}0.6~\mu\text{M}$ . It is also a potent inhibitor of human arginase II with  $K_i$  values of  $0.31~\mu\text{M}$  and 30~nM at pH 7.5 and 9.5, respectively. It does not inhibit murine iNOS at concentrations up to 1 mM. BEC significantly enhances NO-dependent relaxation of human penile corpus canvernosum smooth muscle in vitro at concentrations

between 0.1-1.0 mM.

**REFERENCE:** Kim, N.N., et al. (2001). Biochemistry **40**, 2678-2688.

**HANDLING:** Do not take internally. Wear gloves and mask when handling

the product! Avoid contact by all modes of exposure.

**RELATED PRODUCTS:** 

1400W hydrochloride (Cat. No. 2055-5, 25) Diphenyleneiodonium chloride (Cat. No. 2358-5)

eNOS Antibody (Cat. No. 3426R-100)

L-NAME hydrochloride (Cat. No. 2356-100, 500, 1000)

L-NMMA acetate (Cat. No, 2348-5, 25, 100)

Nitric Oxide Colorimetric Assay Kit (Cat. No. K262-200)

Nitric Oxide Fluorometric Assay Kit (Cat. No. K252-20

7-Nitroindazole (Cat. No. 2360-50, 250)

3-Bromo-7-Nitroindazole (Cat. No. 2361-10, 50)

ODQ (Cat. No. 2501-10, 50)

USAGE: FOR RESEARCH CH USE ONLY! Not to be used in

humans