

## **Pyrimethamine**

**ALTERNATE NAME:** 5,4-chlorophenyl-6-ethyl-2,4-pyrimidinediamine

NSC3061 Darapram

**CATALOG #**: B3264-10 10 mg B3264-50 50 mg

STRUCTURE:

H<sub>3</sub>C NH<sub>3</sub>

MOLECULAR FORMULA: C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>13</sub>CIN<sub>4</sub>

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 248.71

**CAS NUMBER:** 58-14-0

APPEARANCE: White to off-white solid

PURITY: ≥98%

SOLUBILITY: ~10 mg/ml DMSO

**DESCRIPTION:** Pyrimethamine is an antiprotozoal agent that inhibits the protozoal enzyme dihydrofolate reductase

(DHFR). By blocking DHFR activity, pyrimethamine prevents the production of tetrahydrofolic acid, an essential coenzyme involved in DNA and RNA synthesis. In in vivo antimalarial mouse models,

pyrimethamine displays a prophylactic effect at an ED50 value of 0.5 mg/kg.

**STORAGE TEMPERATURE:** -20°C. Protect from light

HANDLING: Do not take internally. Wear gloves and mask when handling the product! Avoid contact by all modes of

exposure.

**RELATED PRODUCTS:** 

Dihydrofolate Reductase Inhibitor Screening Kit (Colorimetric) (K247)

Pemetrexed (B1862)

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