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# **ProductInformation**

#### Cat. No. R-134

#### RILMENIDINE HEMIFUMARATE

### OXAMINOZOLINE

Selective I<sub>1</sub> imidazoline receptor agonist.

**Mol. Formula**:  $C_{10}H_{16}N_2O \bullet 0.5 C_4H_4O_4$ 

**Mol. Wt**.: 238.29 (anhyd.)

**m.p**.: 185-192°C

**CAS Registry No.**: 207572-68-7

**Chemical Name**: N-(Dicyclopropylmethyl)-4,5-dihydro-2-oxazolamine

Physical Properties: White solid.

**Caution**: While no human toxicity data is available for this substance, it should be handled with care.

Precautions should be taken to avoid contact by all routes of exposure.

**Storage**: Store tightly sealed at room temperature.

**Solubility**: Soluble in DMSO at 13 mg/mL with heat; insoluble in water.

Disposal: Dissolve or mix the material with a combustible solvent and burn in a chemical incinerator

equipped with an afterburner and scrubber. OBSERVE ALL LOCAL, STATE AND FEDERAL

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