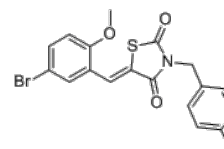


**Product Name** : GQ-16  
**Cat. No.** : PC-49036  
**CAS No.** : 870554-67-9  
**Molecular Formula** : C<sub>19</sub>H<sub>16</sub>BrNO<sub>3</sub>S  
**Molecular Weight** : 418.305  
**Target** : PPAR  
**Solubility** : 10 mM in DMSO



## Biological Activity

GQ-16 is a peroxisome proliferator-activated receptor  $\gamma$  (**PPAR $\gamma$** ) ligand and partial agonist with  $K_i$  value of 160 nM, specific for PPAR $\gamma$  with no detectable activity to activate other PPAR subtypes (PPAR $\alpha$  or PPAR $\beta/\delta$ ) or RXR $\alpha$ .

GQ-16 elicited only approximately one-third of the maximal activation stimulated by rosiglitazone at high concentrations. GQ-16 is significantly less effective in promoting the interaction between PPAR $\gamma$  and SRC-1 than the TZD troglitazone in in vitro binding studies.

GQ-16 displayed reduced adipogenic potential in both NIH-3T3 and C3H10T1/2 cells, established models of PPAR $\gamma$ -dependent adipogenesis.

GQ-16 improves insulin-signaling components in liver, muscle, and adipose tissue of obese Swiss mice.

GQ-16 improves insulin sensitivity without evoking weight gain and inhibits Cdk5 phosphorylation of PPAR $\gamma$  in vitro.

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