



Cerliponase alfa

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IDENTIFICATION

Name

Cerliponase alfa

Accession Number

DB13173

Type

Biotech

Groups

Approved, Investigational

Biologic Classification

Protein Based Therapies
Recombinant Enzymes

Description

Cerliponase alfa is an enzyme replacement treatment for a specific form of Batten disease. It was the first FDA-approved treatment to slow loss of walking ability (ambulation) in symptomatic pediatric patients 3 years of age and older with late infantile neuronal ceroid lipofuscinosis type 2 (CLN2), also known as tripeptidyl peptidase-1 (TPP1) deficiency. Intraventricular administration of the drug allows significant uptake into the brain. Cerliponase alfa was approved in April, 2017 (as Brineura).

Protein chemical formula

Not Available

Protein average weight



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SYSPEPDQRRTLPPGWVSLGRADPEEELSLTFALRQQNVERLSELVQAVSDPSSPQYGKY
LTLENVADLVRPSPLTLHTVQKWLAAAGAKCHSVITQDFLTCWLSIRQAELLLPGAEFH
HYVGGPTETHVVRSPHPYQLPQALAPHVDFVGGGLHRFPPTSSLRQRPEPQVTGTVGLHLG
VTPSVIRKRYNLTSDVSGTSNNSQACAQFLEQYFHDSDLAQFMRLFGGNFAHQASVAR
VVGQQGRGRAGIEASLDVQYLM SAGANISTWVYSSPGRHEGQEPFLQWLMLLSNESALPH
VHTVSYGDDEDSLSSAYIQRVNTLMKAAARGLTLLFASGDSGAGCWSVSGRHQFRPTFP
ASSPYVTTVGGTSFQEPFLITNEIVDYISGGGFSNVFPRPSYQEEAVTKFLSSSPHLPPS
SYFNASGRAYPDVAALSDGYWVSNRVPIPWVSGTSASTPVFGGILSLINEHRILSGRPP
LGF LNPRLYQQHGAGLFDVTRGCHECLDEEVEGQGFCSGPGWDPVTGWGTPNFPALLKT
LLNP

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Synonyms

Immature cell growth-inhibiting gene 1 protein

Immature human tripeptidyl-peptidase 1

Immature lysosomal pepstatin-insensitive protease

Immature tripeptidyl-peptidase I

External IDs [i](#)

BMN 190 / BMN-190

Prescription Products

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Brineura	Kit	150 mg/5mL	Intraventricular	Biomarin International Limited	2017-04-27	Not applicable			

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Categories

[Hydrolytic Lysosomal N-terminal Tripeptidyl Peptidase](#)

[P-glycoprotein/ABCB1 Substrates](#)



X8R2D92QP1

CAS number

151662-36-1

PHARMACOLOGY

Indication

Cerliponase alfa is a treatment for late infantile neuronal ceroid lipofuscinosis type 2 (CLN2) disease to decelerate the progressive motor function decline in patients 3 years of age and older. CLN2 disease is a form of Batten disease, a rare inherited neurodegenerative disorder and is associated with seizures, ataxia, rapid loss of language and motor functions, blindness, and early death [4]. It is caused by the lack the lysosomal enzyme tripeptidyl peptidase-1 (TPP1) and subsequent accumulation of lysosomal storage materials normally metabolized by this enzyme in the central nervous system.

Associated Conditions

[Neuronal ceroid lipofuscinosis type 2](#)

Pharmacodynamics

Cerliponase alfa contains the active substance tripeptidyl peptidase-1 (rhTPP1), a recombinant human lysosomal exopeptidase which cleaves the N-terminal of tripeptides with a broad substrate specificity. Cerliponase alfa slows the progressive decline in motor function caused by abnormal motor signalling in the brain by restoring the normal levels and activity of TPP1.

Mechanism of action

The mature form of enzyme contains 5 consensus N-glycosylation sites with high mannose, phosphorylated high mannose and complex glycosylation structures. It is taken up by LINCL fibroblasts and translocated to the lysosomes through the Cation Independent Mannose-6-Phosphate Receptor (CI-MPR, also known as M6P/IGF2 receptor). Cerliponase alfa is activated in the lysosome under low pH conditions and the activated proteolytic form of rhTPP1 cleaves tripeptides from the N-terminus of stored proteins.

 [Cation-independent mannose-6-phosphate receptor](#)

ligand

Human



Volume of distribution

The estimated CSF volume of distribution of cerliponase alfa following intraventricular infusion of 300mg of Brineura (median V_{ss} = 245 mL) exceeds the typical CSF volume (100 mL) [Label].

Protein binding

Not Available

Metabolism

Predicted to be metabolized through peptide hydrolysis.

Route of elimination

Not Available

Half life

Refer to FDA Label

Clearance

Refer to FDA Label

Toxicity

No data from carcinogenicity, genotoxicity, and fertility studies. Unwanted effects of cerliponase alfa treatment include pyrexia, ECG abnormalities, decreased CSF protein, seizure and hypersensitivity.

Affected organisms

Humans and other mammals

Pathways

Not Available

Pharmacogenomic Effects/ADRs ⓘ

Not Available

INTERACTIONS



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DRUG	↕	INTERACTION	↕
Acetaminophen		The serum concentration of Cerliponase alfa can be increased when it is combined with Acetaminophen.	
Albendazole		The serum concentration of Cerliponase alfa can be increased when it is combined with Albendazole.	
Amiodarone		The serum concentration of Cerliponase alfa can be increased when it is combined with Amiodarone.	
Amlodipine		The serum concentration of Cerliponase alfa can be increased when it is combined with Amlodipine.	
Amoxapine		The serum concentration of Cerliponase alfa can be increased when it is combined with Amoxapine.	
Amsacrine		The serum concentration of Cerliponase alfa can be increased when it is combined with Amsacrine.	
Azelastine		The serum concentration of Cerliponase alfa can be increased when it is combined with Azelastine.	
Azithromycin		The serum concentration of Cerliponase alfa can be increased when it is combined with Azithromycin.	
Benzyl alcohol		The serum concentration of Cerliponase alfa can be increased when it is combined with Benzyl alcohol.	
Bepridil		The serum concentration of Cerliponase alfa can be increased when it is combined with Bepridil.	

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Food Interactions

Not Available

REFERENCES

General References



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4. Intracerebroventricular Cerliponase Alfa (BMN 190) in Children with CLN2 Disease: Interim Results from a Phase 1/2, Open-Label, Dose-Escalation Study [[Link](#)]

External Links

KEGG Drug

[D10813](#)

PubChem Substance

[347911440](#)

ChEMBL

[CHEMBL3544921](#)

Wikipedia

[Cerliponase_alfa](#)

FDA label

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1, 2	Active Not Recruiting	Treatment	CLN2 Disease / CLN2 Disorder / Jansky-Bielschowsky Disease / Juvenile Neuronal Ceroid Lipofuscinosis / Late-Infantile Neuronal Ceroid Lipofuscinosis Type 2	1
1, 2	Completed	Treatment	CLN2 Disease / Jansky-Bielschowsky Disease / Juvenile Neuronal Ceroid Lipofuscinosis / Late-Infantile Neuronal Ceroid Lipofuscinosis Type 2	1



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PHARMACOECONOMICS

Manufacturers

Not Available

Packagers

Not Available

Dosage forms

FORM	↕	ROUTE	↕	STRENGTH	↕
Kit		Intraventricular		150 mg/5mL	

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Prices

Not Available

Patents

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PROPERTIES

State

Liquid

Experimental Properties

Not Available



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Kingdom

Organic Compounds

Super Class

Organic Acids

Class

Carboxylic Acids and Derivatives

Sub Class

Amino Acids, Peptides, and Analogues

Direct Parent

Peptides

Alternative Parents

Not Available

Substituents

Not Available

Molecular Framework

Not Available

External Descriptors

Not Available

TARGETS

1. Cation-independent mannose-6-phosphate receptor

Kind



Pharmacological action

Unknown

Actions

Ligand

General Function

Transporter activity

Specific Function

Transport of phosphorylated lysosomal enzymes from the Golgi complex and the cell surface to lysosomes. Lysosomal enzymes bearing phosphomannosyl residues bind specifically to mannose-6-phosphate r...

Gene Name

IGF2R

Uniprot ID

[P11717](#)

Uniprot Name

Cation-independent mannose-6-phosphate receptor

Molecular Weight

274372.42 Da

References

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