# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## Sinefungin

Item No. 13829

CAS Registry No.: 58944-73-3

Formal Name: 6,9-diamino-1-(6-amino-9H-purin-9-yl)-

1,5,6,7,8,9-hexadeoxy-D-glycero-α-L-

talo-decofuranuronic acid

Synonyms: A 9145, Antibiotic A 9145,

Antibiotic 32232RP, RP 32232

MF:  $C_{15}H_{23}N_7O_5$ FW: 381.4 **Purity:** ≥95% UV/Vis.:  $\lambda_{max}$ : 260 nm Supplied as: A solid -20°C Storage: ≥4 years Stability:

Item Origin: Bacterium/Streptomyces sp.

Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.

#### **Laboratory Procedures**

Sinefungin is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the sinefungin in water. The solubility of sinefungin in water is approximately 20 mg/ml. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

#### Description

Sinefungin is a nucleoside structurally related to S-adenosylhomocysteine (Item No. 13603) and S-adenosylmethionine (Item No. 13956) that was originally isolated from Streptomyces. 1-2 While it has limited use as an antibiotic due to its high in vivo toxicity, sinefungin has proved useful as a non-selective inhibitor of SET domain-containing methyltransferases in the study of epigenetic regulation (IC<sub>50</sub> values range from 0.1-20  $\mu$ M).<sup>3-7</sup>

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WARNING
THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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