# PRODUCT INFORMATION



# Pemirolast (potassium salt)

Item No. 17889

CAS Registry No.: 100299-08-9

Formal Name: 9-methyl-3-(2H-tetrazol-5-yl)-4H-pyrido[1,2-a]

pyrimidin-4-one, monopotassium salt

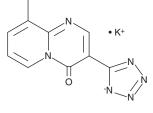
Synonyms: BMY 26517, TBX MF:  $C_{10}H_7N_6O \bullet K$ 

FW: 266.3 ≥98% **Purity:** 

 $\lambda_{max}$ : 211, 259, 364 nm UV/Vis.: Supplied as: A crystalline solid

Storage: Stability: ≥4 years

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



## **Laboratory Procedures**

Pemirolast (potassium salt) is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the pemirolast (potassium salt) in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Pemirolast (potassium salt) is soluble in organic solvents such as DMSO and dimethyl formamide. The solubility of pemirolast (potassium salt) in these solvents is approximately 1 and 0.1 mg/ml, respectively.

Further dilutions of the stock solution into aqueous buffers or isotonic saline should be made prior to performing biological experiments. Ensure that the residual amount of organic solvent is insignificant, since organic solvents may have physiological effects at low concentrations. Organic solvent-free aqueous solutions of pemirolast (potassium salt) can be prepared by directly dissolving the crystalline solid in aqueous buffers. The solubility of pemirolast (potassium salt) in PBS, pH 7.2, is approximately 10 mg/ml. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

### Description

Pemirolast is a histamine H<sub>1</sub> receptor antagonist and a mast cell stabilizer that prevents the release of histamine. It also blocks the release of substance P, neurokinin A, and calcitonin gene-related peptide from sensory nerves.<sup>2</sup> Pemirolast has been used for the treatment of allergic conjunctivitis.<sup>3</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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