# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## Pasireotide (aspartate) (trifluoroacetate salt)

Item No. 24092

Formal Name: cyclo[(2R)-2-phenylglycyl-D-tryptophyl-L-lysyl-

> O-(phenylmethyl)-L-tyrosyl-L-phenylalanyl-(4R)-4-[[[(2-aminoethyl)amino]carbonyl]oxy]-Lprolyl], L-aspartate (1:2), trifluoroacetate salt

Synonym: SOM230

MF:  $C_{58}H_{66}N_{10}O_9 \bullet 2C_4H_7NO_4 \bullet XCF_3COOH$ 

FW: 1,313.4 **Purity:** ≥95%

Supplied as: A crystalline solid

Storage: -20°C Stability: ≥4 years

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

#### **Laboratory Procedures**

Pasireotide (aspartate) (trifluoroacetate salt) is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the pasireotide (aspartate) (trifluoroacetate salt) in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Pasireotide (aspartate) (trifluoroacetate salt) is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide. The solubility of pasireotide (aspartate) (trifluoroacetate salt) in these solvents is approximately 33 mg/ml.

Pasireotide (aspartate) (trifluoroacetate salt) is sparingly soluble in aqueous buffers. For maximum solubility in aqueous buffers, pasireotide (aspartate) (trifluoroacetate salt) should first be dissolved in ethanol and then diluted with the aqueous buffer of choice. Pasireotide (aspartate) (trifluoroacetate salt) has a solubility of approximately 0.25 mg/ml in a 1:3 solution of ethanol:PBS (pH 7.2) using this method. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

#### Description

Pasireotide is a somatostatin receptor (SSTR) agonist that binds selectively to SST<sub>1</sub>, SST<sub>2</sub>, SST<sub>3</sub>, and  $SST_5$  over  $SST_4$  (IC<sub>50</sub>s = 9.3, 1, 1.5, 0.16, and >100 nM, respectively, for human recombinant receptors). It dose-dependently inhibits growth hormone release stimulated by growth hormone-releasing hormone (GHRH) in primary rat anterior pituitary cells and inhibits adrenocorticotropic hormone (ACTH) secretion by some primary human corticotrope adenomas at a concentration of 10 nM.<sup>1,2</sup> Pasireotide (10 nM) also inhibits ACTH release from and proliferation of mouse AtT20 pituitary corticotrope cells in vitro and inhibits tumor growth of subcutaneously implanted AtT20 cells in vivo in nude mice when administered at a dose of 1.5 µg per day.<sup>3</sup> Pasireotide (0.03 mg/kg) decreases plasma ACTH concentrations and tumor size in dogs with ACTH-dependent Cushing's disease.4 Formulations containing pasireotide have been used in the treatment of acromegaly and Cushing's disease.

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