# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## Gilvocarcin M

Item No. 25762

CAS Registry No.: 77879-89-1

4-(6-deoxy-α-D-galactofuranosyl)-1-hydroxy-10,12-Formal Name:

dimethoxy-8-methyl-6H-benzo[d]naphtho[1,2-b]pyran-6-one

Synonym:

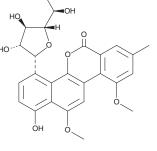
MF:  $C_{26}H_{26}O_9$ 482.5 FW: **Purity:** ≥95%

Supplied as: A lyophilized powder

Storage: -20°C Stability: ≥4 years

Item Origin: Bacterium/Streptomyces sp.

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



## **Laboratory Procedures**

Gilvocarcin M is supplied as a lyophilized powder. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the gilvocarcin M in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Gilvocarcin M is soluble in organic solvents such as DMSO and dimethyl formamide, which should be purged with an inert gas.

#### Description

Gilvocarcin M is an antibiotic originally isolated from S. gilvotanareus.<sup>1</sup> It is active against S. aureus when used at a concentration of 32 µg/ml.<sup>2</sup> Gilvocarcin M inhibits growth of KB cells  $(IC_{50} = 0.52 \mu g/ml)$  but has no effect on survival in a P388 mouse model of leukemia when used at doses ranging from 25 to 400 mg/kg.<sup>3</sup> Gilvocarcin M intercalates into bacteriophage PM2 DNA.<sup>4</sup> It is toxic to rats with an intravenous LD<sub>50</sub> value of 450 mg/kg.<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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