# PRODUCT INFORMATION



# α-GalCer analog 8

Item No. 26660

CAS Registry No.: 922727-14-8

Formal Name: (2S,3S,4R)-3,4-dihydroxy-2-(4-

tetracosyl-1H-1,2,3-triazol-1-yl)

octadecyl, α-D-galactopyranoside α-Galactosylceramide analog 8

Synonym: MF:  $C_{50}H_{97}N_3O_8$ 

FW: 868.3 **Purity:** ≥95% Supplied as: A 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**

α-Galactosylceramide analog 8 (α-GalCer analog 8) is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the  $\alpha$ -GalCer analog 8 in the solvent of choice.  $\alpha$ -GalCer analog 8 is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, methanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide, which should be purged with an inert gas.

#### Description

α-GalCer analog 8 is a triazole derivative of α-galactosylceramide.<sup>1</sup> It increases IL-2 secretion by DN32.D3 NKT hybridoma cells when co-cultured with CD1d-transfected RBL cells pre-loaded with α-GalCer analog 8 at a concentration of 32 ng/ml. α-GalCer analog 8 (32 ng/ml) induces IL-4 secretion to a greater extent than the synthetic  $\alpha$ -GalCer KRN 7000 (Item No. 11208) in mouse splenocytes in vitro and in mouse serum following administration of a 1 μg per animal dose, indicating a Th2 response.

#### Reference

1. Lee, T., Cho, M., Ko, S.-Y., et al. Synthesis and evaluation of 1,2,3-triazole containing analogues of the immunostimulant α-GalCer. J. Med. Chem. 50(3), 585-589 (2007).

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