PRODUCT INFORMATION



Penicillide

Item No. 26912

CAS Registry No.:	55303-92-9	
Formal Name:	11-hydroxy-3-[(1S)-1-hydroxy-3-	OH
	methylbutyl]-4-methoxy-9-methyl-5H,7H-	$\land \land \land$
	dibenzo[b,g][1,5]dioxocin-5-one	
Synonym:	Vermixocin A	HO
MF:	$C_{21}H_{24}O_{6}$	
FW:	372.4	
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

Penicillide is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the penicillide in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Penicillide is soluble in the organic solvent DMSO.

Description

Penicillide is a fungal metabolite originally isolated from Penicillium that has diverse biological activities.¹⁻⁵ It is an inhibitor of calpain 2/m-calpain (IC₅₀ = 7.1 μ M) and acyl-coenzyme A:cholesterol acyltransferase (ACAT; IC₅₀ = 22.9 μ M).^{2,3} It is also an antagonist of oxytocin receptors (IC₅₀ = 67 μ M).⁴ Penicillide inhibits RNA synthesis in P388 murine leukemia cells.⁵

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

SAFETY DATA

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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