# **PRODUCT** INFORMATION



## **Brevicompanine B**

Item No. 27962

CAS Registry No.:	215121-47-4	
Formal Name:	(3R,5aS,10bR,11aS)-10b-(1,1-dimethyl-	
	2-propen-1-yl)-6,10b,11,11a-tetrahydro-	
	3-(2-methylpropyl)-2H-pyrazino[1',2':1,5]	
	pyrrolo[2,3-b]indole-1,4(3H,5aH)-dione	
MF:	$C_{22}H_{29}N_{3}O_{2}$	
FW:	367.5	
Purity:	≥95%	N H U
Supplied as:	A solid	$\sim$
Storage:	-20°C	H
Stability:	≥4 years	
Item Origin:	Fungus/Penicillium sp.	
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Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.

### Laboratory Procedures

Brevicompanine B is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the brevicompanine B in the solvent of choice. Brevicompanine B is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, methanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide, which should be purged with an inert gas.

### Description

Brevicompanine B is a fungal metabolite originally isolated from P. brevicompactum that has plant growth and circadian rhythm regulatory activity.<sup>1</sup> It inhibits hypocotyl elongation in lettuce seedlings when used at a concentration of 100 mg/L but does not inhibit elongation in rice seedlings at a concentration of 300 mg/L. Brevicompanine B (100  $\mu$ M) inhibits primary root growth in Arabidopsis seedlings and disrupts the transcription of various genes involved in the regulation of plant circadian rhythm.<sup>2</sup> It is active against *P. falciparum* with an  $IC_{50}$  value of 35 mg/ml.<sup>3</sup>

### References

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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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