PRODUCT INFORMATION



Cyperine

Item No. 29937

CAS Registry No.:	33716-82-4	
Formal Name:	2-(3-hydroxy-5-methylphenoxy)-	
	5-methoxy-3-methyl-phenol	OH
Synonym:	Cyperin	
MF:	C ₁₅ H ₁₆ O ₄	
FW:	260.3	
Purity:	≥70%	
Supplied as:	A solid	
Storage:	-20°C	
Stability:	≥4 years	
Item Origin:	Fungus/Zopfia sp.	
Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.		

Laboratory Procedures

Cyperine is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the cyperine in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Cyperine is soluble in ethanol, methanol, dichloromethane, and DMSO.

Description

Cyperine is a phytotoxic fungal metabolite that has been found in A. cypericola.¹ It inhibits A. thaliana enoyl-acyl carrier protein reductase (ENR; IC_{50} = 89 μ M).² Cyperine induces necrosis in a panel of nine plant species in a leaf bioassay and inhibits root growth in A. *thaliana* seedlings (IC₅₀ = 38.4 μ M).^{2,3}

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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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