# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## **Trypacidin**

Item No. 33079

CAS Registry No.: 1900-29-4

Formal Name: (-)-4,6'-dimethoxy-6-methyl-3,4'-dioxo-

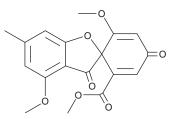
spiro[benzofuran-2(3H),1'-[2,5]cyclohexadiene]-

2'-carboxylic acid, methyl ester

MF: C<sub>18</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>7</sub> FW: 344.3 ≥95% **Purity:** Supplied as: A solid Storage: -20°C Stability: ≥4 years

Item Origin: Fungus/Aspergillus sp.

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



#### **Laboratory Procedures**

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

#### Description

Trypacidin is a fungal metabolite originally isolated from A. fumigatus. 1 It is active against B. subtilis and M. bovis (MICs = 12.5 and 1.25 μg/ml, respectively), as well as T. cruzi and T. gondii (MICs = 5-10 and 10-20 µg/ml, respectively).<sup>1,2</sup> It reduces viability and induces lysis of A549 human lung cancer cells (IC<sub>50</sub>s = 7.4 µM for both).3 Trypacidin increases survival in a mouse model of *T. gondii* infection when administered in six doses of 12.5 mg/kg each.1

#### References

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

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