# **PRODUCT** INFORMATION



## Licoflavone C

Item No. 35031

CAS Registry No.:	72357-31-4	
Formal Name:	5,7-dihydroxy-2-(4-hydroxyphenyl)-8-(3-	OH O
	methyl-2-buten-1-yl)-4H-1-benzopyran-4-one	L Ĭ
Synonym:	8-Prenylapigenin	
MF:	$C_{20}H_{18}O_5$	
FW:	338.4	но
Purity:	≥98%	
UV/Vis.:	λ <sub>max</sub> : 274, 328 nm	
Supplied as:	A solid	ОН СОН
Storage:	-20°C	
Stability:	≥4 years	
Item Origin:	Plant/Glycyrrhiza inflata	

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

### Laboratory Procedures

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

#### Description

Licoflavone C is a prenylated flavone that has been found in G. ephedroides and has diverse biological activities.<sup>1-3</sup> It induces estrogen receptor-dependent gene expression in S. cerevisiae expressing human estrogen receptor  $\alpha$  (ER $\alpha$ ) in a reporter assay when used at a concentration of 0.1  $\mu$ M.<sup>1</sup> Licoflavone C inhibits LPS-induced production of nitric oxide (NO) in RAW 264.7 macrophages (IC<sub>50</sub> = 20.4  $\mu$ M).<sup>2</sup> It is active against E. coli, P. aeruginosa, and various strains of Candida (MICs = 7.81-15.62 µg/ml) and is cytotoxic to HepG2 cells (IC<sub>50</sub> = 9  $\mu$ g/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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