# **PRODUCT** INFORMATION



3',4'-Dihydroxyflavone

Item No. 35226

CAS Registry No.: Formal Name:	4143-64-0 2-(3,4-dihydroxyphenyl)-4H-1- benzopyran-4-one	0
Synonym:	3',4'-DHF	
MF:	C <sub>15</sub> H <sub>10</sub> O <sub>4</sub>	
FW:	254.2	Ч Д дон
Purity:	≥95%	
UV/Vis.:	λ <sub>max</sub> : 245, 345 nm	
Supplied as:	A crystalline solid	ОН
Storage:	-20°C	
Stability:	≥4 years	

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

## Laboratory Procedures

3',4'-Dihydroxyflavone is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the 3'.4'-dihydroxyflavone in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. 3'.4'-Dihydroxyflavone is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide (DMF). The solubility of 3',4'-dihydroxyflavone in DMSO is approximately 10 mg/ml and approximately 15 mg/ml in DMF. 3',4'-Dihydroxyflavone is slightly soluble in ethanol.

Further dilutions of the stock solution into aqueous buffers or isotonic saline should be made prior to performing biological experiments. Ensure that the residual amount of organic solvent is insignificant, since organic solvents may have physiological effects at low concentrations. Organic solvent-free aqueous solutions of 3',4'-dihydroxyflavone can be prepared by directly dissolving the crystalline solid in aqueous buffers. The solubility of 3',4'-dihydroxyflavone in PBS (pH 7.2) is approximately 0.16 mg/ml. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

# Description

3',4'-Dihydroxyflavone is a synthetic flavonoid that has diverse biological activities.<sup>1-4</sup> It inhibits tankyrase 1 (TNKS1) and TNKS2 (IC<sub>50</sub>s = 0.23 and 0.17  $\mu$ M for the human enzymes, respectively).<sup>1</sup> 3',4'-Dihydroxyflavone is active against L. donovani, T. brucei, and T. cruzi with IC50 values of 2, 1.1, and 10.1  $\mu$ g/ml, respectively.<sup>2</sup> It induces apoptosis in and inhibits migration of GL15 glioblastoma cells when used at a concentration of 50 µM.<sup>3</sup> 3',4'-Dihydroxyflavone (5 mg/kg) prevents LPS-induced increases in brain levels of COX-2 and inducible nitric oxide synthase (iNOS) in a mouse model of neuroinflammation.<sup>4</sup>

## References

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### SAFFTY 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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