Epicoccamide
Item No. 24176

CAS Registry No.: 606139-26-8
Formal Name: 1,2-dihydro-5-hydroxy-4-[16-(β-D-mannopyranosyloxy)-2-methyl-1-oxohexadecyl]-1,2-dimethyl-3H-pyrrol-3-one
MF: C_{29}H_{51}NO_{9}
FW: 557.7
Purity: ≥98%
Supplied as: A residue
Storage: -20°C
Stability: ≥2 years

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

Laboratory Procedures

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

Epicoccamide is sparingly soluble in aqueous solutions. To enhance aqueous solubility, dilute the organic solvent solution into aqueous buffers or isotonic saline. If performing biological experiments, ensure the residual amount of organic solvent is insignificant, since organic solvents may have physiological effects at low concentrations. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

Description

Epicoccamide is a marine fungal metabolite originally isolated from E. purpurascens. It is comprised of three subunits including a glycosidic subunit, a fatty acid, and a tetramic acid. Epicoccamide has no activity against various bacteria, fungi, and nematodes and is not cytotoxic.

References