PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Benastatin B

Synonyms:

Specifications

Code No. : 14653

CAS# : 138968-86-2 Molecular Formula : $C_{30}H_{30}O_7$ Molecular Weight : 502.563

Source : *Streptomyces* sp. MI384-DF12 Appearance : Brownish-yellow powder

Purity : > 95% (HPLC) Long Term Storage : at - 20 $^{\circ}$ C

Solubility : Soluble in DMSO. Poorly soluble in MeOH, Acetone, EtOAc.

Insoluble in H₂O.

Application Notes

Benastatin B is isolated from the culture broth of *Streptomyces* sp. MI384-DF12 as an inhibitor of glutathione S-transferase (GST).^{1,2)} The inhibition of benastatin B against GST is competitive with 3,4-dichloronitrobenzene (Ki: 3.7 × 10⁻⁶ M), and noncompetitive with glutathione (Ki: 4.2 × 10⁻⁶ M). Benastatin B has activity against Gram-positive bacteria including methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA).¹⁾

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