



# GaTx2

Product name : GaTx2	Synonyms:
Catalog #: 10GTX002	

### **Product description**

GaTx2 (gating modifier of anion channels 2) was isolated from the venom of Leiurus quinquestriatus hebraeus. GaTx2 is the most potent peptide inhibitor of CIC-2 chloride channel ever described.  $K_d$  value is close to 20 pM. GaTx2 slows CIC-2 activation but without altering channel conductance. The effect is voltage-dependent. It has no effect on CIC-0, CIC-1, CIC-3, CIC-4, CFTR, GABA<sub>C</sub>, Xenopus Cl<sub>Ca</sub>, Shaker B or Kv1.2 channels. Structurally, GaTx2 is composed of two  $\beta$ -strands and one  $\alpha$ -helix. This peptide is also called Leiuropeptide II. Bears 89, 93 and 96% identity with OdK1, neurotoxin P01 and leiuropeptide III, respectively.

# **Product specifications**

**AA sequence:** Val-Ser-Cys<sup>3</sup>-Glu-Asp-Cys<sup>6</sup>-Pro-Asp-His-Cys<sup>10</sup>-Ser-Thr-Gln-Lys-Ala-Arg-Ala-Lys-Cys<sup>19</sup>-Asp-Asn-Asp-Lys-Cys<sup>24</sup>-

Val-Cys<sup>26</sup>-Glu-Pro-Ile-OH

**Disulfide bonds:** Cys<sup>3</sup>-Cys<sup>19</sup>, Cys<sup>6</sup>-Cys<sup>24</sup>, and Cys<sup>10</sup>-Cys<sup>26</sup>

Length (aa): 29

Formula:  $C_{185}H_{273}N_{49}O_{45}S_6$ 

Appearance: White lyophilized solid Molecular Weight: 3191.25 Da

CAS number: Source: Synthetic Counterion: TFA salts

**Solubility:** Water or saline buffer, 5 mg/mL maximum (recommendation)

#### **Formulation**

**Storage/Stability:** Shipped at ambient temperature under lyophilized powder. Store at -20°C (-4°F). Do not freeze-thaw. Aliquot sample if required and store at -80°C (-112°F).

Expiry date: One year

**Use restrictions:** For laboratory use only. Not for drug, household or other uses. Not for use in diagnostic or therapeutic procedures.

## **Related products**

- GaTx1: selective blocker of CFTR channel
- Chlorotoxin: blocker of chloride channels

### **References**

- Thompson CH, et al. (2009) Isolation and characterization of a high affinity peptide inhibitor of CIC-2 chloride channels. J Biol Chem
- Eric Schiffhauer, et al. (2013) Dual activation of CFTR and CLCN2by lubiprostone in murine 4 nasal epithelia. *Am J Physiol Lung Cell Mol Physiol*

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