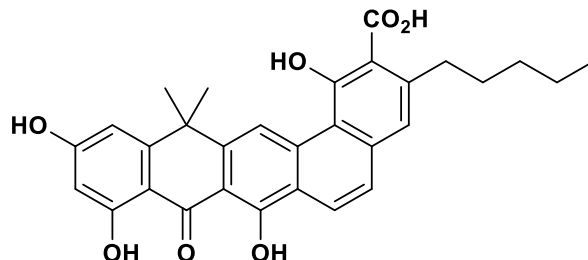


## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

### Benastatin A



Synonyms:

### Specifications

Code No.	: 00379
CAS#	: 138968-85-1
Molecular Formula	: C <sub>30</sub> H <sub>28</sub> O <sub>7</sub>
Molecular Weight	: 500.547
Source	: <i>Streptomyces</i> sp. MI384-DF12
Appearance	: Brownish-yellow powder
Purity	: > 95% (HPLC)
Long Term Storage	: at - 20 °C
Solubility	: Soluble in DMSO. Poorly soluble in MeOH, CHCl <sub>3</sub> . Insoluble in H <sub>2</sub> O.

### Application Notes

Benastatin A is isolated from the culture broth of *Streptomyces* sp. MI384-DF12 as an inhibitor of glutathione S-transferase (GST).<sup>1,2)</sup> The inhibition of benastatin A against GST is competitive with 3,4-dichloronitrobenzene ( $K_i$ :  $5.0 \times 10^{-6}$  M), and noncompetitive with glutathione ( $K_i$ :  $3.5 \times 10^{-6}$  M). Benastatin A has activity against Gram-positive bacteria including methicillin-resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (MRSA).<sup>1)</sup>

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