

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Code No.: BIA-A1444

Pack sizes: 1 mg, 5 mg

Synonyms : Blastmycin, NSC 58239

## Specifications

Antimycin A3

CAS # : **522-70-3**Molecular Formula : **C**<sub>26</sub>**H**<sub>36</sub>**N**<sub>2</sub>**O**<sub>9</sub>

Molecular Weight : 520.6

Source : Streptomyces sp.

Appearance : White solid
Purity : >95% by HPLC

Long Term Storage : -20°C

Solubility : Soluble in ethanol, methanol, DMF or DMSO. Poor water solubility.

## **Application Notes**

Antimycin A3 is a homologue of the antimycin complex, first isolated in 1958 from Streptomyces blastimyceticus and coproduced with antimycin A4. Antimycin A3 is a more polar analogue of A1 and A2. Like all antimycins, antimycin A3 is a potent inhibitor of respiration by inhibiting the oxidation of ubiquinol to ubiquinone. Antimycin A3 exhibits broad biological activity as an antifungal, anthelmintic, insecticidal, antiviral and antitumor active. Lack of availability of the individual antimycin components has hindered greater understanding of the common and unique molecular targets of the components of the antimycin complex.

## References

1. Studies on the chemical structure of blastmycin. Yonehara H. & Takeuchi S. J. Antibiotics Ser. A 1958, 11, 254.

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