

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Code No.: BIA-F1030

Pack sizes: 0.1 mg, 0.5 mg

Synonyms : Phosphotrienin, CI 920, CL 1565A, PD 110161, NSC 339638

Specifications

Fostriecin

CAS # : 87810-56-8 Molecular Formula : $C_{19}H_{26}NaO_{9}P$

Molecular Weight : 452.4

Source : Streptomyces sp.

Appearance : White powder

Purity : >95% by HPLC

Long Term Storage : -20°C

Solubility : Soluble in water, optimial stability in aqueous buffered solutions at pH 6.5. NOTE:

hydrolysis of the phosphate ester will result from inappropriate storage.

Application Notes

Fostriecin is the most fully characterised member of a family of phosphate esters of a triene antibiotic. The antitumor potential of fostriecin has attracted considerable interest, focused on its mode of action as a topoisomerase II inhibitor. Subsequent research has focused on this metabolite's selective inhibition of protein phosphatase PP2A.

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