

Pentostatin PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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Product Name: Pentostatin

Product Number: P076

CAS Number: 53910-25-1

Molecular Formula: $C_{11}H_{16}N_4O_4$

Molecular Weight: 268.3 Storage Conditions: -20°C

Description: Pentostatin is a potent antitumor antibiotic isolated from a Streptomyces

species. Pentostatin is a potent inhibitor of adenine deaminase and has been

used therapeutically as an antitumor agent.

Pentostatin is soluble in ethanol, methanol, DMF or DMSO. Good water

solubility.

Mechanism of Action: Pentostatin is a potent inhibitor of adenine deaminase (ADA) and has been

used therapeutically as an antitumor agent.

References: A novel adenosine and ara-A deaminase inhibitor, (R)-3-(2-deoxy-b-D-erythro-

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