

Piericidin A PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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Product Name: Piericidin A

Product Number: P081

CAS Number: 2738-64-9 Molecular Formula: $C_{25}H_{37}NO_4$

Molecular Weight: 415.6

Appearance: Pale Yellow Oil

Storage Conditions: -20°C

Description: Piericidin A is the major analogue of a family of pyridyl antibiotics isolated

from selected Streptomyces species.

Piericidin A is soluble in ethanol, methanol, DMF or DMSO. Poor water

solubility.

Mechanism of Action: Piericidin A is a specific, potent inhibitor of NADH-ubiquinone oxidoreductase

(Complex I) that binds to ubiquinone binding site(s). Piericidin A inhibits both mitochondrial and bacterial NADH-ubiquinone oxidoreductases, binding close

to NUOD-NUOB interface.

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