

Platencin PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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Product Name: Platencin

Product Number: P089

CAS Number: 869898-86-2 Molecular Formula: $C_{24}H_{27}NO_6$

Molecular Weight: 425.2

Appearance: Light tan solid

Storage Conditions: -20°C

Description: Platencin is a novel, broad spectrum, Gram-positive antibiotic produced by

strains of Streptomyces platensis. Platencin is more potent than its analogue, platensimycin. Platencin shows potent in vivo efficacy without any observed toxicity. Platencin targets two essential proteins, b-ketoacyl-acyl carrier protein (ACP) synthase II (FabF) and III (FabH) whereas platensimycin targets only

FabF.

Platencin is soluble in ethanol, methanol, DMF and DMSO.

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