

## Siccanin PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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Product Name:	Siccanin
Product Number:	S082
CAS Number:	22733-60-4
Molecular Formula:	C <sub>22</sub> H <sub>30</sub> O <sub>3</sub>
Molecular Weight:	342.5
Appearance:	White solid
Storage Conditions:	-20°C
Description:	Siccanin is an unusual fused phenolic pentacycle first isolated from Helminthosporium siccans and reported in 1962 as a potent antifungal agent. Siccanin inhibits succinate dehydrogenase in the terminal electron transport system. More recent studies note the proximity of the siccanin binding site to the quinone-binding site of the enzyme. Species-selective inhibition by siccanin is unique among succinate dehydrogenase inhibitors and offers a lead for new chemotherapeutics.
	Siccanin is soluble in ethanol, methanol, DMF and DMSO.
Mechanism of Action:	Siccanin inhibits succinate dehydrogenase in the terminal electron transport system.
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