

Sinefungin PRODUCT DATA SHEET

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Product Name: Sinefungin

Product Number: \$069

CAS Number: 58944-73-3

Molecular Formula: $C_{15}H_{23}N_7O_5$

Molecular Weight: 381.4

Appearance: White solid

Storage Conditions: -20°C

Description: Sinefungin, a polar nucleoside antifungal active with broad biological activity,

was isolated from a number of species of Streptomyces in the early 1970s. Sinefungin is widely used as a bioprobe to block methyltransferase-dependent

pathways.

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

Mechanism of Action: Sinefungin acts by inhibiting a wide range of methyltransferases, including the

methylation of bases in DNA and RNA which alters cytosine deamination and

gene expression.

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