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EC Number: 225-908-6

Product Name: 3-Methyladenine Catalog No.: 3977 Batch No.: 5

CAS Number: 5142-23-4

IUPAC Name: 3-Methyl-3*H*-purin-6-amine

1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula: $C_6H_7N_5.4H_2O$

Batch Molecular Weight: 153.65 **Physical Appearance:** White solid

Solubility: DMSO to 20 mM Storage: Store at +4°C

Batch Molecular Structure:

2. ANALYTICAL DATA

HPLC: Shows 99.8% purity

1H NMR: Consistent with structure

Mass Spectrum: Consistent with structure

Microanalysis:

Carbon Hydrogen Nitrogen
Theoretical 46.9 4.92 45.58
Found 46.68 4.98 45.55





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Description:

Inhibitor of class III phosphatidylinositol 3-kinase (PI 3-kinase); also inhibits the autophagic sequestration of cell proteins in rat hepatocytes. Blocks apoptosis in cerebellar granule cells (CGCs) following serum and potassium deprivation.

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Solubility & Usage Info:

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Stability and Solubility Advice:

Some solutions can be difficult to obtain and can be encouraged by rapid stirring, sonication or gentle warming (in a 45-60°C water bath).

Information concerning product stability, particularly in solution, has rarely been reported and in most cases we can only offer a general guide. Our standard recommendations are:

SOLIDS: Provided storage is as stated on the product label and the vial is kept tightly sealed, the product can be stored for up to 6 months from date of receipt.

SOLUTIONS: We recommend that stock solutions, once prepared, are stored aliquoted in tightly sealed vials at -20°C or below and used within 1 month. Wherever possible solutions should be made up and used on the same day.

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