

# **Certificate of Analysis**

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# Catalog No.: 1626 Batch No.: 4

CAS Number: IUPAC Name:

Storage:

121263-19-2

(1*R*)-2-[12-[(2*R*)-2-(Benzoyloxy)propyl]-3,10-dihydro-4,9-dihydroxy-2,6,7,11-tetramethoxy-3,10-dioxo-1-perylenyl]-1-methylethylcarbonic acid 4-hydroxyphenyl ester

# 1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula: Batch Molecular Weight: Physical Appearance: Solubility:

**Batch Molecular Structure:** 

C<sub>44</sub>H<sub>38</sub>O<sub>14</sub> 790.76 Dark red solid Soluble in DMSO Soluble in ethanol Desiccate at +4°C



# 2. ANALYTICAL DATA HPLC:

Shows >98% purity

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#### **Description:**

Potent, selective and photo-dependent inhibitor of protein kinase C that targets the regulatory domain ( $IC_{50} = 50$  nM). Displays > 1000-fold selectivity over other protein kinases such as cAMP-dependent protein kinase and tyrosine-specific protein kinase. Inhibits cell proliferation of malignant glioma cells in light-treated conditions in vitro ( $IC_{50} \sim 40 - 60$  nM). Also an antagonist of the Tcf/ $\beta$ -catenin complex.

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CAUTION - This product is light sensitive and we recommend that the solid material and any solutions obtained are protected from exposure to light.

### Solubility & Usage Info:

Soluble in DMSO Soluble in ethanol

#### Stability and Solubility Advice:

Some solutions can be difficult to obtain and can be encouraged by rapid stirring, sonication or gentle warming (in a  $45-60^{\circ}$ 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.

### **References:**

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