

#### PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Code No.: BIA-C2359

Pack sizes: 0.5 mg, 2.5 mg

# Callosobruchusic acid

Synonyms : (2E,7R)-3,7-Dimethyl-2-octenedioic acid, (R)-(-)-Callosobruchusic acid

## Specifications

CAS # : 87172-91-6

Molecular Formula : C<sub>10</sub>H<sub>16</sub>O<sub>4</sub>

Molecular Weight : 200.23

Source : Synthetic

Appearance : Tan solid

Purity : >95% by HPLC

Long Term Storage : -20°C

Solubility : Soluble in methanol or DMSO

## **Application Notes**

Callosobruchusic acid is the active component of a species-specific pheromone of the seed beetle and bean weevil. Both enantiomers of callosobruchusic acid are active as as the copulation-release pheromone. The (2S,6R)-1 isomer is the main component of the pheromone, while the (S)-2 has an additive effect. Its analogue, 2,6-dimethyloctane-1,8-dioic acid, shows sterospecific activity with the (2R,6S)-1 is inactive and significantly masks the pheromonal activity of (2S,6R)-1.

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