

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Code No.: BIA-N1159

Pack sizes: 1 mg, 5 mg

Synonyms : Ustin

Specifications

Nornidulin

Source : *Emericella* sp.

Appearance : White solid

Purity : >95% by HPLC

Long Term Storage : -20°C

Solubility : Soluble in ethanol, methanol, DMF or DMSO. Limited water solubility.

Application Notes

Nornidulin is a depsidone produced by several fungal species, with potent and selective antibacterial activity. While literature on nornidulin is limited, it is closely related to folipasatin and unguinol which have both been identified as inhibitors of phospholipase A2, arachidonic acid release from rat polymorphonuclear leukocytes, and nitrendipine binding to porcine heart membrane. While showing some calcium blocking attributes, the nidulans have potential as antiinflammatory agents.

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