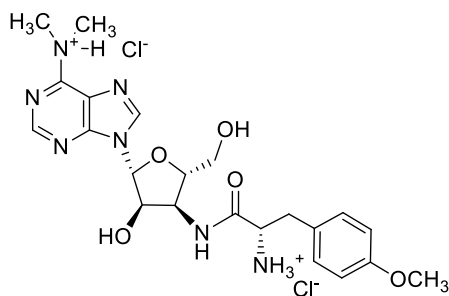


## Puromycin dihydrochloride

Code No.: **BIA-P1221**

Pack sizes: **25 mg, 100 mg**



Synonyms : Stylomycin dihydrochloride, CL 13900 dihydrochloride, CL16536, NSC 3055, P638 dihydrochloride.

### Specifications

CAS #	: <b>58-58-2</b>
Molecular Formula	: <b>C<sub>22</sub>H<sub>31</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>N<sub>7</sub>O<sub>5</sub></b>
Molecular Weight	: <b>544.4</b>
Source	: <b><i>Streptomyces alboniger</i></b>
Appearance	: <b>White powder</b>
Purity	: <b>&gt;95% by HPLC</b>
Long Term Storage	: <b>-20°C</b>
Solubility	: <b>Soluble in ethanol, methanol, DMF or DMSO. Good water solubility.</b>

### Application Notes

Puromycin dihydrochloride is a salt of puromycin, a nucleoside antibiotic isolated from *Streptomyces alboniger* in the 1950s as an anti-trypanosomal agent with antibiotic activity. While the salt shares the same pharmacological properties as puromycin free base, its greater water solubility offers advantages in some in vitro applications. Physicochemical properties and chromatographic behaviour will depend on whether the pH is buffered. In non-pH controlled systems, the free base and salt may behave differently.

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