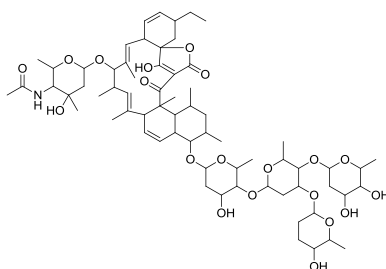


Saccharocarcin A

Code No.: **BIA-S1134**

Pack sizes: **0.5 mg, 2.5 mg**



Synonyms :

Specifications

CAS #	: 158475-32-2
Molecular Formula	: C ₆₇ H ₁₀₁ NO ₂₀
Molecular Weight	: 1240.5
Source	: <i>Amycolatopsis</i> 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

Saccharocarcin A is an unusual tetronic acid structurally related to kijanimicin, chlorothricin, tetrocarcin and versipelostatin, which has pronounced activity against Gram positive bacteria and *Chlamydia trachomatis*. Limited availability has restricted further investigation of this metabolite, however several members of this class have received considerable literature focus. Versipelostatin inhibits transcription from the promoter of GRP78, a gene that is activated as part of a stress signalling pathway under glucose deprivation resulting in unfolded protein response (UPR), causing death of glucose-deprived cells. Tetrocarcin A appears to target the phosphatidylinositide-3'-kinase/Akt signalling pathway.

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