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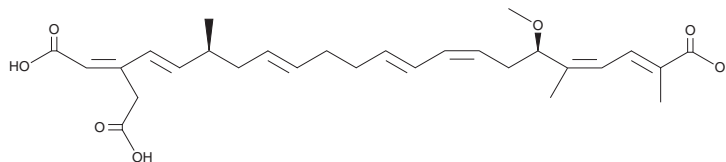
PRODUCT INFORMATION



Bongkreic Acid

Item No. 38230

CAS Registry No.: 11076-19-0
Formal Name: 20-(carboxymethyl)-6R-methoxy-2,5,17S-trimethyl-2E,4Z,8Z,10E,14E,18E,20Z-docosaeptaenedioic acid
Synonym: Bongkrek Acid
MF: C₂₈H₃₈O₇
FW: 486.6
Purity: ≥98%
Supplied as: A solution in 0.01 M Tris buffer, pH 7.5
Storage: -20°C
Stability: ≥2 years
Item Origin: Bacterium/*Pseudomonas gladioli*



Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.

Laboratory Procedures

Bongkreic acid is supplied as a solution in 0.01 M Tris buffer, pH 7.5. To change the solvent, simply evaporate the Tris buffer under a gentle stream of nitrogen and immediately add the solvent of choice. Solvents such as DMSO purged with an inert gas can be used. Bongkreic acid is miscible in DMSO.

Description

Bongkreic acid is polyketide and bacterial toxin that has been found in *B. gladioli*.^{1,2} It is an inhibitor of ADP/ATP translocase (AAT), a carrier protein that imports ADP into the mitochondrial matrix and exports ATP into the intermembrane space.^{1,3} It prevents ADP import and inhibits mitochondrial respiration ($K_i = 20$ nM in isolated rat liver mitochondria).^{4,5} Bongkreic acid induces cell death in MCF-7 human breast cancer cells deprived of estradiol for six months ($EC_{50} = 2.58$ μ M).⁶ It is toxic to mice (LD_{50} s = 0.68-6.84 mg/kg, p.o.).⁷

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WARNING

THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

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