

Nootkatone Datasheet

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[Product Information]

Name: Nootkatone

Catalog No.: CFN98699

Cas No.: 4674-50-4

Purity: >95%

M.F: C₁₅H₂₂O

M.W: 218.33

Physical Description: Oil

Synonyms:4,4a,5,6,7,8-hexahydro-4,4a-dimethyl-6-(1-methylethenyl)-2(3h)-naphthaleno n;(+)-5,6-dimethyl-8-isopropenylbicyclo[4.4.0]dec-1-en-3-one.

[Intended Use]

- 1. Reference standards;
- 2. Pharmacological research;
- 3. Synthetic precursor compounds;
- 4. Intermediates & Fine Chemicals;
- 5. Others.

[Source]

The rhizoma of Bupleurum longibrachiatum Turcz.

[Biological Activity or Inhibitors]

Nootkatone, a sesquiterpene ketone, isolated from vetiver oil is a strong repellent and

toxicant to Formosan subterranean termites, the lowest effective concentration tested is

10 micrograms/g substrate. [1]

Plant-derived acaricides nootkatone and carvacrol can suppress Ixodes scapularis Say

and Amblyomma americanum (L.) (Acari: Ixodidae).[2]

(+)-Nootkatone has potent inhibitory effect on collagen-, thrombin-, and AA-induced

platelet aggregation, it also has a significant inhibitory effect on rat platelet aggregation ex

vivo, suggests that (+)-nootkatone may be of therapeutic benefit for the prevention of

platelet-associated cardiovascular diseases. [3]

Nootkatone, a naturally occurring AMPK activator, can stimulate energy metabolism and

prevents diet-induced obesity by activating AMPK, indicates that long-term intake of

nootkatone is beneficial toward preventing obesity and improving physical performance

and that these effects are due, at least in part, to enhanced energy metabolism through

AMPK activation in skeletal muscle and liver.[4]

Nootkatone has antiproliferative activity. [5]

[Solvent]

Chloroform, Dichloromethane, Ethyl Acetate, DMSO, Acetone, etc.

[HPLC Method]^[6]

Mobile phase: Acetonitrile-H2O, gradient elution;

Flow rate: 1.0 ml/min;

Column temperature: Room Temperature;

The wave length of determination: 240 nm.

[Storage]

2-8°C, Protected from air and light, refrigerate or freeze.

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