Natural Products



Sorbic acid Datasheet

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[Product Information]

Name: Sorbic acid

Catalog No.: CFN90061

Cas No.: 110-44-1

Purity: >=98%

M.F: C₆H₈O₂

M.W: 112.13

Physical Description: Powder

Synonyms: (2E,4E)-hexa-2,4-dienoic acid.

[Intended Use]

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

[Source]

Not data available.

[Biological Activity or Inhibitors]

Sorbate (sorbic acid) generally is an effective inhibitor of most molds and yeasts and some bacteria.^[1]

Food preservatives sodium sulfite and sorbic acid suppress mitogen-stimulated peripheral blood mononuclear cells, they have a suppressive influence on the activated Th1-type immune response.^[2]

Sorbic acid has fungicidal activity against Saccharomyces cerevisiae. [3]

[Solvent]

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

[HPLC Method]^[4]

Mobile phase: Acetate buffer (pH = 4.4) - Methanol =65:35 ; Flow rate: 1.0 ml/min; Column temperature: Room Temperature; The wave length of determination: 235 nm.

[Storage]

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

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