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# **Corosolic acid Datasheet**

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### [ Product Information ]

Name: Corosolic acid

Catalog No.: CFN98685

Cas No.: 4547-24-4

**Purity:** > 98%

 $\textbf{M.F:} C_{30}H_{48}O_4$ 

M.W: 472.7

Physical Description: Powder

**Synonyms:**2α-Hydroxyursolic-acid;(1S,2R,4aS,6aR,6aS,6bR,8aR,10R,11R,12aR,14bS)-10,11-dihydroxy-1,2,6a,6b,9,9,12a-heptamethyl-2,3,4,5,6,6a,7,8,8a,10,11,12,13,14b-tetra decahydro-1H-picene-4a-carboxylic acid.

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### [ Intended Use ]

- 1. Reference standards;
- 2. Pharmacological research;
- 3. Synthetic precursor compounds;
- 4. Care and daily chemicals;
- 5. Intermediates & Fine Chemicals;
- 6. Ingredient in supplements, beverages;
- 7. Others.

### [Source]

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#### [Biological Activity or Inhibitors]

Corosolic acid (CRA), a constituent of banaba leaves, has been reported to have anti-inflammatory and hypoglycemic activities, it can ameliorate hypertension, abnormal lipid metabolism, and oxidative stress as well as the inflammatory state in SHR-cp rats, suggests CRA can be beneficial for preventing atherosclerosis-related diseases.<sup>[1]</sup>

Corosolic acid significantly inhibits cell viability in both a dose- and a time-dependent manner, induces apoptosis is associated with the activation of caspases via a mitochondrial pathway, suggests it could have strong potentials for clinical application in treating human cervix adenocarcinoma and improving cancer chemotherapy.<sup>[2]</sup>

Corosolic acid can suppress the M2 polarization of macrophages and tumor cell proliferation by inhibiting both STAT3 and NF-κB activation, thus, it might be a potential new tool for tumor prevention and therapy.<sup>[3]</sup>

Corosolic acid has antidiabetic effects(especially type 2 diabetes), can improve glucose metabolism by reducing insulin resistance, it inhibits the enzymatic activities of several diabetes-related non-receptor protein tyrosine phosphatases (PTPs) in vitro, such as PTP1B, T-cell-PTP, src homology phosphatase-1 and src homology phosphatase-2.<sup>[4,5]</sup> Corosolic acid has antitumor effects in murine sarcoma model through significantly impairing subcutaneous tumor development and lung metastasis and targeting the immunosuppressive activity of myeloid-derived suppressor cells (MDSC), and can enhance the antitumor effects of adriamycin and cisplatin in in vitro.<sup>[6]</sup>

#### [ Solvent ]

Pyridine, DMSO, etc.

#### [HPLC Method]<sup>[7]</sup>

Mobile phase: Methanol-Distilled H2O-Phosphoric acid=82:18:0.2;

Flow rate: 1.0 ml/min;

Column temperature: 30 °C;

The wave length of determination: 205 nm.

### [Storage]

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

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