

Nigericin Sodium Salt

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Also Known as: Antibiotic K178 Formula: $C_{40}H_{67}NaO_{11}$ MW: 746.94 g/mol CAS No.: 28643-80-3

Source: Streptomyces hygroscopicus

Form: Powder

Solubility: Soluble in Ethanol up to 25 mg/mL; <3 mg/mL in DMSO. Insoluble in water. To

achieve better solubility, warm the solution at 37 °C and sonicate in an ultrasonic

water bath.

Prepartion of Stocks in 5 mg/mL = 6.69 mM **Ethanol:** 25 mg/mL = 33.47 mM

Quality Assurance: >95% purity assayed by NMR.

Description: Nigericin sodium salt is an antibiotic derived from *Streptomyces hygroscopicus*.

Functions as an H^+ , K^+ , and Pb^{2+} ionophore. Disrupts mitochondrial membrane potential and activates the **NLRP3** inflammasome to induce inflammation.

Storage: Eligible for room temperature shipping. Store at -20°C upon receiving.

Literature: 1. Eytan et al., J. Biol. Chem., 1990,22, 12949