# PRODUCT INFORMATION



# Caylin-2

Item No. 10005002

CAS Registry No.: 1392830-09-9

Formal Name: 4-[4,5-bis(4-trifluoromethyl-phenyl)-

> 2-(2-isopropoxy-4-methoxy-phenyl)-4,5-dihydro-imidazole-1-carboxyl]-

piperazin-2-one

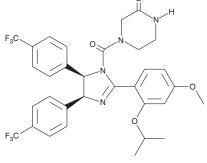
MF:  $C_{32}H_{30}F_6N_4O_4$ 

FW: 648.6 **Purity:** ≥98%

Supplied as: A crystalline solid

Storage: -20°C Stability: ≥4 years

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



## **Laboratory Procedures**

Caylin-2 is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the caylin-2 in an organic solvent purged with an inert gas. Caylin-2 is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide. The solubility of caylin-2 in these solvents is at least 30 mg/ml.

Caylin-2 is sparingly soluble in aqueous buffers. For maximum solubility in aqueous buffers, caylin-2 should first be dissolved in ethanol and then diluted with the aqueous buffer of choice. Caylin-2 has a solubility of 0.025 mg/ml in a 1:3 solution of ethanol:PBS (pH 7.2) using this method. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

#### Description

Nutlin-3 is an activator of p53 that functions by inhibiting the interaction of p53 with MDM2, a negative regulator of p53 activity. 1 Caylin-2 is a nutlin-3 analog in which trifluoromethyl groups have been substituted for chlorine on two of the phenyl rings. At high concentrations, caylin-2 inhibits the growth of HCT116 cells with an IC<sub>50</sub> of approximately 8 µM, making it about 10-fold less potent than nutlin-3. Interestingly, at concentrations between 5-100 nM, caylin-2 promotes the growth of HCT116 cells approximately 40% compared to untreated cells.<sup>2</sup> The mechanism of the growth promoting properties of caylin-2 have not yet been elucidated.

#### References

- 1. Vassilev, L.T., Vu, B.T., Graves, B., et al. In vivo activation of the p53 pathway by small-molecule antagonists of MDM2. Science 303, 844-848 (2004).
- 2. Meade, E.A., [Unpublished] (2004).

WARNING
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