## UNC0638

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CAS Registry No.: 1255580-76-7

| MF: | $\mathrm{C}_{30} \mathrm{H}_{47} \mathrm{~N}_{5} \mathrm{O}_{2}$ |
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| FW: | 509.7 |
| Purity: | $\geq 98 \%$ |
| UV/Vis.: | $\lambda_{\text {max }}: 216,245,320,333 \mathrm{~nm}$ |
| Supplied as: | Acrystalline solid |
| Storage: | $-20^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ |
| Stability: | $\geq 4$ years |

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

Laboratory Procedures
UNC0638 is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the UNC0638 in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. UNC0638 is soluble in the organic solvent DMSO at a concentration of approximately $20 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{ml}$.

## Description

The methylation of lysine residues on histones plays a central role in determining euchromatin structure and gene expression. The histone methyltransferase (HMTase) G9a can mono- or dimethylate lysine 9 on histone $3(\mathrm{H} 3)$, contributing to early embryogenesis, genomic imprinting, and lymphocyte development. ${ }^{1-3}$ UNC0638 is a potent G9a HMTase inhibitor, exhibiting an $\mathrm{IC}_{50}$ value of $<15 \mathrm{nM}$ in vitro. UNC0638 also inhibits GLP, a closely-related H3K9 HMTase, with an $\mathrm{IC}_{50}$ value of 19 nM , but is more than 10,000-fold selective against SET7/9 (a H3K4 HMTase), SET8 (a H4K20 HMTase), PRMT3, and SUV39H2. UNC0638 inhibits H3K9 dimethylation in MDA-MB231 cells with an $\mathrm{IC}_{50}$ value of 81 nM and demonstrates favorable separation of functional and toxic effects. ${ }^{4}$ See the Structural Genomics Consortium (SGC) website for more information.

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