Oxamflatin
Item No. 13176

CAS Registry No.: 151720-43-3
Formal Name: N-hydroxy-5-[3-[(phenylsulfonyl)amino]phenyl]-2E-penten-4-ynamide
Synonym: Metacept 3
MF: C_{17}H_{14}N_{2}O_{4}S
FW: 342.4
Purity: ≥95%
UV/Vis.: \( \lambda_{\text{max}} \): 241, 296 nm
Supplied as: A crystalline solid
Storage: -20°C
Stability: ≥2 years

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

**Laboratory Procedures**

Oxamflatin is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the oxamflatin in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Oxamflatin is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide (DMF). The solubility of oxamflatin in these solvents is approximately 0.5, 5, and 10 mg/ml, respectively.

Oxamflatin is sparingly soluble in aqueous buffers. For maximum solubility in aqueous buffers, oxamflatin should first be dissolved in DMSO or DMF and then diluted with the aqueous buffer of choice. Oxamflatin has a solubility of approximately 0.1 mg/ml in a 1:10 solution of DMSO:PBS (pH 7.2) and DMF:PBS (pH 7.2) using this method. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

**Description**

Oxamflatin is a potent inhibitor of histone deacetylases (IC_{50} = 15.7 nM).\(^1\) It has been shown to alter the expression of several genes whose products are involved in cell morphology, motility, apoptosis, and cell cycle control, reducing the proliferation of cancer cells.\(^1-3\)

**References**