# **PRODUCT** INFORMATION



5-SAHSA

Item No. 17113

CAS Registry No.:	2126038-70-6	
Formal Name:	5-[(1-oxooctadecyl)oxy]-	
	octadecanoic acid	
MF:	C <sub>36</sub> H <sub>70</sub> O <sub>4</sub>	$\stackrel{\circ}{\downarrow}$ $\sim$ $\sim$ $\sim$ $\sim$ $\sim$ $\sim$ $\sim$
FW:	567.0	
Purity:	≥95%	но
Supplied as:	A solution in methyl acetate	
Storage:	20°C	
Stability:	≥2 years	

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

# Laboratory Procedures

5-SAHSA is supplied as a solution in methyl acetate. To change the solvent, simply evaporate the methyl acetate under a gentle stream of nitrogen and immediately add the solvent of choice. Solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide (DMF) purged with an inert gas can be used. The solubility of 5-SAHSA in DMSO is approximately 15 mg/ml and approximately 20 mg/ml in ethanol and DMF.

5-SAHSA is sparingly soluble in aqueous buffers. For maximum solubility in aqueous buffers, evaporate the methyl acetate and dissolve in ethanol. The ethanolic solution of 5-SAHSA should be diluted with the aqueous buffer of choice. 5-SAHSA has a solubility of 0.5 mg/ml in a 1:1 solution of ethanol:PBS (pH 7.2) using this method. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

# Description

Branched fatty acid esters of hydroxy fatty acids (FAHFAs) are newly identified endogenous lipids regulated by fasting and high-fat feeding and associated with insulin sensitivity.<sup>1</sup> 5-SAHSA is a FAHFA in which stearic acid is esterified to 5-hydroxy stearic acid. The levels of SAHSA are moderately elevated in the serum of glucose tolerant AG4OX mice, which overexpress the Glut4 glucose transporter specifically in adipose tissue.<sup>1</sup> As other FAHFAs improve glucose tolerance, stimulate insulin secretion, and have anti-inflammatory effects, 5-SAHSA may be a bioactive lipid with roles in metabolic syndrome and inflammation.1

# Reference

1. Yore, M.M., Syed, I., Moraes-Vieira, P.M., et al. Discovery of a class of endogenous mammalian lipids with anti-diabetic and anti-inflammatory effects. Cell 159(2), 318-332 (2014).

WARNING THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

## SAFFTY DATA

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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