

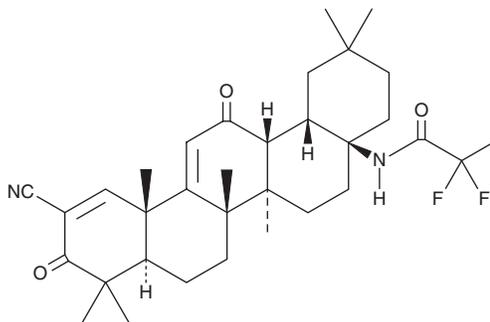
# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## RTA 408

Item No. 17854

**CAS Registry No.:** 1474034-05-3  
**Formal Name:** N-(2-cyano-3,12-dioxo-28-noroleana-1,9(11)-dien-17-yl)-2,2-difluoro-propanamide  
**Synonym:** Omaveloxolone  
**MF:** C<sub>33</sub>H<sub>44</sub>F<sub>2</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>  
**FW:** 554.7  
**Purity:** ≥98%  
**UV/Vis.:** λ<sub>max</sub>: 239 nm  
**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

RTA 408 is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the RTA 408 in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. RTA 408 is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide. The solubility of RTA 408 in these solvents is approximately 2 mg/ml.

RTA 408 is sparingly soluble in aqueous buffers. For maximum solubility in aqueous buffers, RTA 408 should first be dissolved in ethanol and then diluted with the aqueous buffer of choice. RTA 408 has a solubility of approximately 0.25 mg/ml in a 1:2 solution of ethanol:PBS (pH 7.2) using this method. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

### Description

RTA 408 is a synthetic triterpenoid that binds Keap1 and attenuates the degradation of Nrf2 at concentrations ≤25 nM.<sup>1</sup> In this way, it suppresses the generation of nitric oxide and pro-inflammatory cytokines in macrophages stimulated with IFN-γ.<sup>1</sup> At higher concentrations, RTA 408 inhibits tumor cell growth (GI<sub>50</sub> = 260 nM), blocks NF-κB signaling, and decreases levels of cyclin D1.<sup>1</sup> Topical application of RTA 408 activates Nrf2 and provides cytoprotective effects.<sup>2,3</sup>

### References

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#### WARNING

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

#### SAFETY 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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