# PRODUCT INFORMATION



# **Digallic Acid** Item No. 21224

**CAS Registry No.:** 536-08-3

3,4-dihydroxy-5-[(3,4,5-trihydroxybenzoyl)oxy]-Formal Name:

benzoic acid

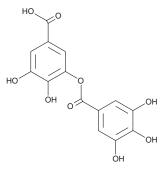
Synonyms: m-Galloylgallic acid, NSC 59263

MF:  $C_{14}H_{10}O_{9}$ FW: 322.2

**Purity:** ≥95% (mixture of para and meta isomers)

Supplied as: A solid 4°C Storage: Stability: ≥4 years

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



## **Laboratory Procedures**

Digallic acid is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the digallic acid in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Digallic acid is soluble in organic solvents such as methanol and DMSO.

## Description

Digallic acid is a natural polyphenolic that can be produced by hydrolysis of gallotannins. Like other polyphenolic compounds, digallic acid has antioxidant activity that can be cytoprotective. Digallic acid inhibits reverse transcriptases from human immunodeficiency virus ( $K_i = 0.58 \mu M$ ) and murine leukemia virus.<sup>2</sup> It also inhibits calcium-activated chloride channels, blocking the initial agonist-stimulated chloride current.3

#### References

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

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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