# PRODUCT INFORMATION



# Pal-GHK

Item No. 27059

CAS Registry No.: 147732-56-7

Formal Name: N-(1-oxohexadecyl)glycyl-L-histidyl-L-lysine

Synonyms: C<sub>16</sub>-GHK, C<sub>16</sub>-GK-3, Palmitoyl

≥4 years

Oligopeptide, Palmitoyl Tripeptide-1

MF:  $C_{30}H_{54}N_6O_5$ 578.8 FW: ≥95% **Purity:** UV/Vis.:  $\lambda_{max}$ : 283 nm Supplied as: A solid Storage: -20°C

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

### **Laboratory Procedures**

Pal-GHK is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the pal-GHK in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Pal-GHK is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide (DMF). The solubility of pal-GHK in ethanol and DMF is approximately 30 mg/ml and approximately 10 mg/ml in DMSO.

#### Description

Stability:

Pal-GHK is a form of the extracellular matrix-derived peptide GHK (Item No. 27168) containing palmitic acid (Item No. 10006627), which allows it to penetrate the stratum corneum to the epidermal and dermal skin layers.<sup>1</sup> Pal-GHK (0.5 μM) increases collagen synthesis in human skin fibroblasts in vitro. It reduces collagen degradation ex vivo in patient-derived human skin samples irradiated with UVA light when used at a concentration of 6 ppm. It has been used with the zwitterionic surfactant C<sub>12</sub> dodecyldimethylamine oxide ( $C_{12}$ DMAO) to study self-assembly of the mixture into aggregates, ribbons, and nanobelts.<sup>2,3</sup> Pal-GHK has also been used as an internal standard for the quantification of pal-KTTKS in anti-wrinkle creams by LC-MS/MS.4

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

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