# **PRODUCT** INFORMATION



Miltefosine-d<sub>4</sub>

Item No. 34707

Formal Name:	2-[[(hexadecyloxy)hydroxyphosphinyl]oxy]-N,N,N- trimethyl-ethanaminium-1,1,2,2-d₄, inner salt	
Synonyms:	Hexadecylphosphocholine-d <sub>4</sub> , HPC-d <sub>4</sub>	$\sim$
MF:	$C_{21}H_{42}D_4NO_4P$	
FW:	411.6	$\langle \land \land \land \land \land \rangle$
<b>Chemical Purity:</b>	≥90% (Miltefosine)	
Deuterium		$\sim$ $\downarrow$ $\sim$ $_{0}-P-0$
Incorporation:	≥99% deuterated forms (d₁-d₄); ≤1% d₀	
Supplied as:	A solid	
Storage:	-20°C	
Stability:	≥4 years	
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# Laboratory Procedures

Miltefosine- $d_{4}$  is intended for use as an internal standard for the quantification of miltefosine (Item No. 63280) by GC- or LC-MS. The accuracy of the sample weight in this vial is between 5% over and 2% under the amount shown on the vial. If better precision is required, the deuterated standard should be quantitated against a more precisely weighed unlabeled standard by constructing a standard curve of peak intensity ratios (deuterated versus unlabeled).

Miltefosine- $d_4$  is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the miltefosine- $d_4$  in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Miltefosine- $d_4$  is soluble in methanol.

# Description

Miltefosine is an inhibitor of CTP:phosphocholine cytidylyltransferase (CCT).<sup>1</sup> It inhibits liposome-induced CCT activity in MDCK cell homogenates when used at concentrations ranging from 10 to 50  $\mu$ M, as well as induces translocation of CCT from the cell membrane to the cytosol in MDCK cells. Miltefosine inhibits phosphatidylcholine biosynthesis induced by phorbol 12-myristate 13-acetate (PMA; Item No. 10008014) in MDCK and HeLa cells when used at a concentration of 50  $\mu$ M.<sup>2</sup> It inhibits phosphatidylserine-activated PKC (IC<sub>50</sub> = 62  $\mu$ M), as well as PMA-induced morphological changes and proliferation of MDCK cells.<sup>3</sup> Miltefosine is active against clinical isolate promastigotes of L. infantum (EC<sub>50</sub>s = 5-25  $\mu$ M).<sup>4</sup> Topical application of miltefosine (0.5%) completely eradicates L. amazonensis and induces re-epithelialization of lesions in a mouse model of cutaneous leishmaniasis.<sup>5</sup> Formulations containing miltefosine have been used in the treatment of leishmaniasis and various free-living amoeba infections.

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## 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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