# PRODUCT INFORMATION



# Col003

Item No. 39528

CAS Registry No.: 328565-16-8

Formal Name: 2-hydroxy-3-nitro-5-

≥4 years

(phenylmethyl)-benzaldehyde

MF: C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>11</sub>NO<sub>4</sub> FW: 257.2 **Purity:** ≥95% 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**

Col003 is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the Col003 in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Col003 is soluble in methanol and DMSO.

### Description

Stability:

Col003 is an inhibitor of the protein-protein interaction between collagen and heat shock protein 47 (Hsp47;  $IC_{50} = 1.8 \mu M$ ). It decreases procollagen secretion from, and reduces the collagen levels in the extracellular matrix (ECM) of, primary mouse embryonic fibroblasts (MEFs) when used at a concentration of 100  $\mu$ M. Col003 is also an inhibitor of penicillin-binding protein 2 (PBP2; IC<sub>50</sub> = 128  $\mu$ M) and decreases the growth of wild-type, penicillin-resistant, and penicillin- and cephalosporin-resistant N. gonorrhea strains (MIC<sub>50</sub> = 4, 8, 16  $\mu$ g/ml, respectively).<sup>2</sup> It reduces collagen-induced, but not arachidonic acid- or thrombin-induced, isolated rat platelet aggregation when used at a concentration of 50 µM.3 Col003 (50 µM) increases the time to occlusion induced by ferric chloride in carotid arteries in rats. In vivo, Col003 (50 μM) reduces brain infarct area and cell death, as well as improves grip strength, in a rat model of ischemia-reperfusion injury induced by middle cerebral artery occlusion (MCAO).

#### References

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

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