# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## Cytogenin

Item No. 40220

CAS Registry No.: 132971-59-6

Formal Name: 8-hydroxy-3-(hydroxymethyl)-6-

methoxy-1H-2-benzopyran-1-one

MF:  $C_{11}H_{10}O_5$ FW: 222.2 **Purity:** ≥98% Supplied as: A powder Storage: -20°C Stability: ≥4 years

Item Origin: Bacterium/Streptoverticillium eurocidicum

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

#### **Laboratory Procedures**

Cytogenin is supplied as a powder. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the cytogenin in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Cytogenin is soluble in acetone, acetonitrile, and DMSO.

#### Description

Cytogenin is a coumarin derivative originally found in S. eurocidicum that has diverse biological activities. 1,2 It reduces tumor weight in an Ehrlich murine spontaneous adenocarcinoma model when administered at a dose of 25 mg/kg per day. In vivo, cytogenin (30 and 100 mg/kg per day) reduces streptozotocin-induced decreases in body weight and increases in plasma glucose levels and macrophage pancreatic infiltration in a mouse model of diabetes.<sup>2</sup> It also decreases zymosan- and LPS-induced nitric oxide production, as well as LPS-induced increases in II-6 levels, in isolated mouse macrophages after administration at a dose of 100 mg/kg per day.

### References

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- 2. Kumagai, H., Wakazono, K., Agata, N., et al. Effect of cytogenin, a novel immunomodulator, on streptozotocin-induced diabetes in mice. J. Antibiot. (Tokyo) 58(3), 202-205 (2005).

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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