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Product Name: *ω*-Conotoxin GVIA
CAS Number: 106375-28-4

Catalog No.: 1085 Batch No.: 17

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1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula:	C ₁₂₀ H ₁₈₈ N ₃₈ O ₄₃ S ₆
Batch Molecular Weight:	3037
Physical Appearance:	White lyophilised solid
Net Peptide Content:	85%
Solubility:	Soluble to 1 mg/ml in water
Storage:	Store at -20°C
Peptide Sequence:	Cys-Lys-Ser-Hyp-Gly-Ser-Ser-Cys-Ser-Hyp- ↓ ↓ Thr-Ser-Tyr-Asn-Cys-Cys-Arg-Ser-Cys-Asn- ↓ Hyp-Tyr-Thr-Lys-Arg-Cys-Tyr-NH ₂

2. ANALYTICAL DATA

HPLC: Shows >95% purity
Mass Spectrum: Consistent with structure

3. AMINO ACID ANALYSIS DATA

Amino Acid Theoretical Actual		Amino Acid Theoretical Actual		
Ala		Lys	2.00	2.01
Arg	2.00	2.16	Met	
Asx	2.00	2.25	Phe	
Cys	6.00		Pro	
Glx		Ser	6.00	6.37
Gly	1.00	1.02	Thr	2.00
His			Trp	
Ile		Tyr	3.00	2.51
Leu		Val		

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Description:

ω -Conotoxin GVIA is a peptide neurotoxin; selectively and reversibly blocks N-type calcium channels ($IC_{50} = 0.15$ nM). Reduces (RS)-3,5-DHPG (Cat. No. 0342)-induced long term depression in vivo.

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Hyp-Tyr-Thr-Lys-Arg-Cys-Tyr-NH₂

Storage: Store at -20°C**Solubility & Usage Info:**

Soluble to 1 mg/ml in water

This product is supplied in lyophilized form. It may appear as a solid, gel or film and be very hard to visualize. Solutions should be made by adding solvent directly to the vial. The vial should then be vortexed vigorously to ensure the product has completely dissolved.

Net Peptide Content: 85% (Remaining weight made up of counterions and residual water).

Stability and Solubility Advice:

Some solutions can be difficult to obtain and can be encouraged by rapid stirring, sonication or gentle warming (in a 45-60°C water bath).

Peptides in solution are much less stable than in lyophilized form. This is especially true for peptides whose sequences contain amino acids such as Cys, Met, Trp, Asn, Gln, and N-terminal Glu.

Therefore we recommend storing peptides in solution for as short a time as possible. Avoid repeated freeze thaw cycles by dividing the peptide solution into aliquots and storing the aliquots at -20°C. Any portion of an aliquot unused after thawing should be discarded.

Peptides stored in solution can occasionally be susceptible to bacterial degradation. We recommend using sterile solutions or passing the peptide solution through a 0.2 μ m filter to remove potential bacterial contamination whenever possible.

Other Information:

This product is supplied as a lyophilised solid and may be very hard to visualise. Solutions should be made by adding solvent directly to the vial. The vial should then be vortexed vigorously to ensure the product has completely dissolved.

References:

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