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CAS Number: 491851-53-7

1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula:	C ₅₄ H ₈₄ N ₁₄ O ₁₄ S
Batch Molecular Weight:	1185.4
Physical Appearance:	White lyophilised solid
Net Peptide Content:	76%
Counter Ion:	TFA
Solubility:	Soluble to 0.70 mg/ml in water
Storage:	Desiccate at -20°C
Peptide Sequence:	Thr-Gly-Lys-Ala-Ser-Gln-Phe-Phe-Gly-Leu-Met-NH ₂

2. ANALYTICAL DATA

HPLC:	Shows 97.2% purity
Mass Spectrum:	Consistent with structure

3. AMINO ACID ANALYSIS DATA

	Amino Acid Theoretical		Amino Acid Theoretical	
Ala	1.00	0.96	Lys	1.00
Arg			Met	1.00
Asx			Phe	2.00
Cys			Pro	1.98
Glx	1.00	0.95	Ser	1.00
Gly	2.00	2.05	Thr	1.00
His			Trp	
Ile			Tyr	
Leu	1.00	1.00	Val	

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Product Information

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Description:

Endogenous substance P homolog that is a selective agonist at the tachykinin NK₁ receptor (IC₅₀ values are 1.8, 370 and 480 nM for NK₁, NK₃ and NK₂ receptors respectively). Has proliferative and antiapoptotic actions on B-cells in vitro and is antihypertensive in vivo.

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Soluble to 0.70 mg/ml in water

This product is supplied as a lyophilized solid and may 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: 76% (Remaining weight made up of counterions and residual water).

Counter Ion: TFA**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 µm filter to remove potential bacterial contamination whenever possible.

References:

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