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CAS Number: 148439-49-0

1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula:	C ₈₀ H ₁₃₈ N ₂₆ O ₂₄ S ₂
Batch Molecular Weight:	1912.26
Physical Appearance:	White lyophilised solid
Net Peptide Content:	77%
Counter Ion:	TFA
Solubility:	Soluble to 1 mg/ml in water
Storage:	Desiccate at -20°C
Peptide Sequence:	Lys-Thr-Asn-Met-Lys-His-Met-Ala-Gly-Ala-Ala-Ala-Gly-Ala-Val-Val-Gly-Gly-Leu-Gly

2. ANALYTICAL DATA

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

3. AMINO ACID ANALYSIS DATA

	Amino Acid Theoretical	Actual	Amino Acid Theoretical	Actual
Ala	6.00	5.70	Lys	2.00
Arg			Met	2.00
Asx	1.00	0.98	Phe	
Cys			Pro	
Glx			Ser	
Gly	5.00	5.06	Thr	1.00
His	1.00	1.05	Trp	
Ile			Tyr	
Leu	1.00	1.07	Val	2.00
				1.77

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Product Information

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Description:

Prion peptide fragment that shares many physiochemical features with PrP^{Sc}. Exhibits neurotoxicity caused by amplification of PrP^C-associated signaling responses and induces NF- κ B-mediated apoptosis in the mouse neuroblastoma cell line N2a. Forms β -sheet-rich, insoluble, protease-resistant fibrils and is used as a model to study prion diseases in vitro.

Physical and Chemical Properties:Batch Molecular Formula: C₈₀H₁₃₈N₂₆O₂₄S₂

Batch Molecular Weight: 1912.26

Physical Appearance: White lyophilised solid

Peptide Sequence:

Lys-Thr-Asn-Met-Lys-His-Met-Ala-Gly-Ala-Ala-Ala-Gly-Ala-Val-Val-Gly-Gly-Leu-Gly

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

Soluble to 1 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: 77% (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 μ m filter to remove potential bacterial contamination whenever possible.

References:

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