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Product Name: MMF Catalog No.: 4511 Batch No.: 1

EC Number: 220-412-6 CAS Number: 2756-87-8

IUPAC Name: 2(E)-Butenedioic acid 1-methyl ester

1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

C₅H₆O₄ **Batch Molecular Formula:** 130.1 **Batch Molecular Weight:** White solid

Physical Appearance:

Solubility: DMSO to 100 mM ethanol to 100 mM

Storage: Store at RT

Batch Molecular Structure:

CO₂Me

2. ANALYTICAL DATA

HPLC: Shows 99.3% purity ¹H NMR: Consistent with structure **Mass Spectrum:** Consistent with structure

Microanalysis: Carbon Hydrogen Nitrogen

> Theoretical 46.2 4.65 Found 46.21 4.65



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Description:

Nuclear factor (erythroid-derived-2)-like 2 (Nrf2) pathway activator. Also exhibits agonist activity at GPR109A. Primary metabolite of DMF (Cat. No. 4512).

Physical and Chemical Properties:

Batch Molecular Formula: $C_5H_6O_4$ Batch Molecular Weight: 130.1 Physical Appearance: White solid

Minimum Purity: >99%

Batch Molecular Structure:

Storage: Store at RT

Solubility & Usage Info:

DMSO to 100 mM ethanol to 100 mM

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).

Information concerning product stability, particularly in solution, has rarely been reported and in most cases we can only offer a general guide. Our standard recommendations are:

SOLIDS: Provided storage is as stated on the product label and the vial is kept tightly sealed, the product can be stored for up to 6 months from date of receipt.

SOLUTIONS: We recommend that stock solutions, once prepared, are stored aliquoted in tightly sealed vials at -20°C or below and used within 1 month. Wherever possible solutions should be made up and used on the same day.

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