

TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

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Synonyms: (+/-)-10-Hydroxycamptothecin; (S)-10-Hydroxycamptothecin; (+/-)-4-Ethyl-4,9-dihydroxy-

1H-Pyrano[3',4':6,7]indolizino[1,2-b]quinoline-3,14(4H,12H)-dione

CAS No. : 64439-81-2 ; 19685-09-7

EINECS/ELINCS : 2017-001-1Molecular formula : $C_{20}H_{16}N_2O_5$ Molecular weight : 364.357 HONO

Description

Camptothecin is a modified monoterpene indole alkaloid, first isolated from the extract of a Chinese medicinal tree Camptotheca acuminata Decne, and has been extensively used in traditional Chinese medicine. Various organs of the species contain camptothecin and its derivatives, which inhibit the activity of topoisomerase I and have a broad spectrum of anticancer activity in vitro and in vivo. As the 10-hydroxy isomer, 10-Hydroxycamptothecin (10-HCPT) shows less toxicity but similar activity. However, its use has still been limited due to its water-insolubility and toxicity with i.v. administration. Therefore, researchers are working on the developments in drug delivery of such alkaloids, which are of significance in improving their drug-like properties and, thus, treatment efficiencies in clinic. Strategies, including specific delivery via liposomes; sustained delivery via nanoparticles, gels, and emulsions; and transdermal delivery via ethosomes, solid lipid nanoparticles, and penetrating enhancers, have been reported to improve the pharmacokinetic and physicochemical characters of problematic TCM alkaloids, decline their adverse effects, and thus, boost their curative efficacies. Nowadays, the camptothecin derivatives are used throughout the world for the treatment of various cancers, and over a dozen more camptothecin analogues are currently at various stages of clinical development.

Specifications

Purities 99%
Color Off White
Form Light yellow powder
Loss on drying ≤ 5.0%

 $\begin{array}{cccc} \text{Heavy metals} & & \leq 10 \text{ppm} \\ & \text{Lead} & & \leq 1 \text{ppm} \\ & \text{Cadmium} & & \leq 0.5 \text{ppm} \\ & \text{Arsenic} & & \leq 0.5 \text{ppm} \\ & \text{Mercury} & & \leq 0.5 \text{ppm} \end{array}$

Microbials

Total Plate Count NMT 1000 cfu/g
Yeast and Mold NMT 100 cfu/g
Escherichia coli Negative
Salmonella Negative

Solubility (in vitro) Soluble in chloroform, methanol,

ethanol, insoluble in water.

Density 1.6 g/cm³
Melting Point 230-237°C

GHS Classification & H315 (100%): Causes skin irritation

Signal:

Warning

H319 (100%): Causes serious eye irritation H335 (100%): May cause respiratory irritation

Allergement Statements

	Ahsent	Present
Milk and products thereof	X	1 1030110
Eggs and products thereof	X	
Fish and products thereof	Χ	
Crustaceans and products thereof	Χ	
Tree nuts	Χ	
Wheat and products thereof	Χ	
Peanuts and products thereof	Χ	
Soybeans and products thereof	Χ	
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Applications

Pharmaceuticals;

Status

Non GMO product. Not Irradiated product. Gluten Free product. Animal Origin Free product.

Packaging

10g per foil bag.

Shelf life and Storage

24months unopened stored in a cool and dry location.