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Product Name: Apamin
CAS Number: 24345-16-2

Catalog No.: 1652 **Batch No.:** 18
EC Number: 246-182-7

1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula: C₇₉H₁₃₁N₃₁O₂₄S₄
Batch Molecular Weight: 2027.34
Physical Appearance: White lyophilised solid
Counter Ion: TFA
Solubility: Soluble to 1 mg/ml in water
Storage: Store at -20°C
Peptide Sequence:

Cys-Asn-Cys-Lys-Ala-Pro-Glu-Thr-Ala-Leu-
 Cys-Ala-Arg-Arg-Cys-Gln-Gln-His-NH₂

2. ANALYTICAL DATA

HPLC: Shows 97.1% purity
Mass Spectrum: Consistent with structure

3. AMINO ACID ANALYSIS DATA

Amino Acid Theoretical Actual			Amino Acid Theoretical Actual		
Ala	3.00	2.96	Lys	1.00	1.00
Arg	2.00	1.97	Met		
Asx	1.00	0.99	Phe		
Cys	4.00	1.78	Pro	1.00	1.01
Glx	3.00	3.06	Ser		
Gly			Thr	1.00	0.84
His	1.00	1.00	Trp		
Ile			Tyr		
Leu	1.00	1.02	Val		

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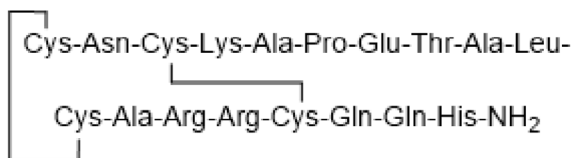
Description:

Apamin is a potent and highly selective inhibitor of small-conductance Ca^{2+} -activated K^{+} -channels ($\text{K}_{\text{Ca}2}$, SK) (IC_{50} values are 87.7 pM, 2.3 nM and 4.1 nM for $\text{K}_{\text{Ca}2.2}$, $\text{K}_{\text{Ca}2.3}$ and $\text{K}_{\text{Ca}2.1}$ channels, respectively). Reduces release and mRNA expression of inflammatory cytokines TNF α and IL-6. In models of kidney and cardiovascular disease apamin ameliorates tissue injury and dysfunction. Brain penetrant, blocks medium after-hyperpolarization in vitro, reduces neuroinflammation, increases microglia node contacts and Purkinje cell instantaneous firing frequency.

Physical and Chemical Properties:

Batch Molecular Formula: $\text{C}_{79}\text{H}_{131}\text{N}_{31}\text{O}_{24}\text{S}_4$
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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.

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 $45\text{--}60^{\circ}\text{C}$ 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 $0.2\ \mu\text{m}$ filter to remove potential bacterial contamination whenever possible.

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