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CAS Number: 136054-22-3

1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula:	C ₄₉ H ₆₃ N ₁₃ O ₆
Batch Molecular Weight:	930.12
Physical Appearance:	White lyophilised solid
Counter Ion:	Acetate
Solubility:	Soluble to 0.50 mg/ml in water
Storage:	Store at -20°C
Peptide Sequence:	His-D-Trp-D-Lys-Trp-D-Phe-Lys-NH ₂

2. ANALYTICAL DATA

HPLC:	Shows 98.5% purity
Mass Spectrum:	Consistent with structure

3. AMINO ACID ANALYSIS DATA

	Amino Acid Theoretical Actual		Amino Acid Theoretical Actual	
Ala			Lys	2.00
Arg			Met	
Asx			Phe	1.00
Cys			Pro	
Glx			Ser	
Gly			Thr	
His	1.00	0.94	Trp	2.00
Ile			Tyr	
Leu			Val	

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Product Information

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Description:

[D-Lys³]-GHRP-6 is an antagonist at the ghrelin receptor (GHS-R1a) ($IC_{50} = 0.9 \mu M$). Also weakly binds to melanocortin receptors ($K_i = 26-120 \mu M$). Centrally active in vivo.

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Peptide Sequence:His-D-Trp-D-Lys-Trp-D-Phe-Lys-NH₂**Storage:** Store at -20°C**Solubility & Usage Info:**

Soluble to 0.50 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: Acetate**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.

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