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Certificate of Analysis

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Product Name: **Prostaglandin E_2** **Catalog No.: 2296** **Batch No.: 13**

CAS Number: 363-24-6 EC Number: 206-656-6

IUPAC Name: (5*Z*,11α,13*E*,15*S*)-11,15-Dihydroxy-9-oxo-prosta-5,13-dien-1oic acid

1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula: $C_{20}H_{32}O_5$

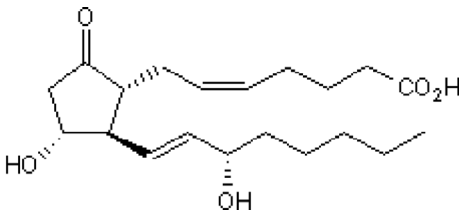
Batch Molecular Weight: 352.47

Physical Appearance: White solid

Solubility: DMSO to 100 mM
ethanol to 45 mM

Storage: Store at -20°C

Batch Molecular Structure:



2. ANALYTICAL DATA

HPLC: Shows 99.7% purity

^{1}H NMR: Consistent with structure

Mass Spectrum: Consistent with structure

Microanalysis:

	Carbon	Hydrogen	Nitrogen
Theoretical	68.15	9.15	0
Found	68.36	9.11	0

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Description:

Prostaglandin E_2 is an endogenous prostaglandin and primary product of arachidonic acid/cyclooxygenase pathway. Prostaglandin E_2 binds with high affinity to EP_1, EP_2, EP_3 and EP_4 receptors (K_d values range between ~ 1 - 10 nM). Prostaglandin E_2 influences a wide range of processes including inflammation, vasodilation, smooth muscle relaxation, fertility, gastric mucosal integrity and platelet aggregation. Prostaglandin E_2 regulates vertebrate hematopoietic stem cell (HSC) homeostasis, acts as viral transduction enhancer and is tumorigenic in some cancers. Please see product specific page on www.tocris.com for full description.

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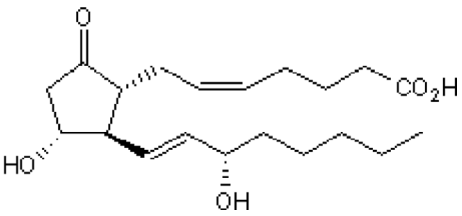

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CAUTION - This product is light sensitive and we recommend that the solid material and any solutions obtained are protected from exposure to light.

Solubility & Usage Info:

DMSO to 100 mM
ethanol to 45 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. *Unless contradicted by product-specific protocols or instructions, our standard recommendations apply:

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.

References:

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