

PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Bicyclomycin benzoate

Code: **BIA-B1318**

Pack sizes: 5 mg, 25 mg

Synonyms : Bicozamycin benzoate

Specifications

CAS # : 38129-37-2 Molecular Formula : $C_{19}H_{22}N_2O_8$

Molecular Weight : 406.4

Source : Streptomyces sp

Appearance : White solid

Purity : >99% Storage : -20°C

Solubility : Soluble in ethanol, methanol, DMF or DMSO. Partial water solubility.

Application Notes

Bicyclomycin is a polar metabolite first isolated from *Streptomyces sapporonensis* in 1972 with activity against Gram negative bacteria. The selective Gram negative profile of bicyclomycin is rare among Streptomyces metabolites, and in an effort to overcome its poor *in vivo* absorption, the benzoate ester was prepared by reaction with the more exposed primary alcohol. Bicyclomycin benzoate has limited use as a veterinary antibiotic.

References

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