

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

cyclo(L-Pro-L-Val)

Code: BIA-C1360

Pack sizes: 5 mg, 25 mg

Synonyms : -

## Specifications

CAS # : 2854-40-2 Molecular Formula :  $C_{10}H_{16}N_2O_2$  Molecular Weight : 196.3

Source : **Synthetic**Appearance : **White solid** 

Purity : >98% Storage : -20°C

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

## **Application Notes**

Cyclo(L-Pro-L-Val) is a diketopiperazine formed by the fusion of valine and proline which has been reported as a secondary metabolite of fungi and bacteria. In *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*, cyclo(L-Pro-L-Val) is capable of activating N-acylhomoserine lactones (AHLs). Cyclo(L-Pro-L-Val) is also capable of activating or antagonizing other LuxR-based quorum-sensing systems. While the mode of action of the cyclo(L-Pro-L-Val) is not known, its activity suggests the existence of cross talk among bacterial signalling systems.

## References

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