

## PRODUCT DATA SHEET

Tetranactin Code: BIA-T1287

Pack sizes: 1 mg, 5 mg

Synonyms : -

## Specifications

CAS # : 33956-61-5 Molecular Formula :  $C_{44}H_{72}O_{12}$  Molecular Weight : 793.0

Source : Streptomyces sp.

Appearance : White solid

Purity : **>95%** Storage : **-20°C** 

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

## **Application Notes**

Tetranactin is a member of the macrotetrolide complex produced by a range of *Streptomyces* sp. Like the other members of the macrotetrolide family, tetranactin is thought to act as a monvalent cation ionophore with high selectivity for ammonium and potassium. Unlike the other macrotetrolides, tetranactin is reported to exhibit potent insecticidal activity.

## References

- 1. Tetranactin, a new miticidal antibiotic I. Isolation, characterisation and properties of tetranactin. Ando K. et al. J. Antibiot. 1971, 24, 347.
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