



# **Pepstatin Trifluoroacetate**

Catalog No: tcsc0021273



## **Available Sizes**

Size: 10mg

Size: 50mg



# **Specifications**

#### Formula:

 $C_{36}H_{64}F_3N_5O_{11}$ 

### **Pathway:**

Metabolic Enzyme/Protease; Metabolic Enzyme/Protease

#### **Target:**

Proteasome; HIV Protease

### **Purity / Grade:**

>98%

# **Solubility:**

DMSO: 32 mg/mL (40.00 mM; Need warming)

#### **Alternative Names:**

Pepstatin A Trifluoroacetate

#### **Observed Molecular Weight:**

799.92

# **Product Description**

Pepstatin Trifluoroacetate is a specific **aspartic protease** inhibitor produced by actinomycetes, with **IC**<sub>50</sub>s of 4.5 nM, 6.2 nM, 150 nM, 290 nM, 520 nM and 260 nM for hemoglobin-pepsin, hemoglobin-proctase, casein-pepsin, casein-proctase, casein-acid protease and hemoglobin-acid protease, respectively. Pepstatin Ammonium also inhibits HIV protease.

IC50 & Target: IC50: 4.5 nM (Hemoglobin-pepsin), 6.2 nM (Hemoglobin-proctase), 150 nM (Casein-pepsin), 260 nM (Hemoglobin-acid protease), 290 nM (Casein-proctase), 520 nM (Casein-acid protease)<sup>[1]</sup>





In Vitro: Pepstatin Trifluoroacetate is a specific acid protease inhibitor produced by actinomycetes, with IC $_{50}$ s of 4.5 nM, 6.2 nM, 150 nM, 290 nM, 520 nM and 260 nM for hemoglobin-pepsin, hemoglobin-proctase, casein-pepsin, casein-proctase, casein-acid protease and hemoglobin-acid protease, respectively<sup>[1]</sup>. Pepstatin (Pepstatin A) inhibits the recombinant HIV protease with an IC $_{50}$  of 250  $\mu$ M. Pepstatin shows no effect on cellular protein synthesis and probably does not exert severe cell toxicity<sup>[2]</sup>.

In Vivo: Pepstatin has a very low toxicity, with  $LD_{50}$ s of 1090 mg/kg, 875 mg/kg, 820 mg/kg and 450 mg/kg for mice, rats, rabbits, and dogs by i.p. route, and > 2000 mg/kg for all species by oral route. Pepstatin (0.5-50 mg/kg, p.o.) suppresses stomach ulceration of the pylorus in ligated Shay rats<sup>[1]</sup>.

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