

# Carmofur

**Catalog No: tcsc2064** 

Available Sizes

**Size:** 100mg

Size: 500mg

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**Specifications** 

CAS No:

61422-45-5

#### Formula:

 $\mathsf{C_{11}H_{16}FN_{3}O_{3}}$ 

Pathway: Cell Cycle/DNA Damage

#### **Target:**

Nucleoside Antimetabolite/Analog

#### Purity / Grade:

>98%

### **Solubility:** 10 mM in DMSO

# Alternative Names:

HCFU

**Observed Molecular Weight:** 257.26

## **Product Description**

Carmofur is a derivative of fluorouracil, an antimetabolite used as an antineoplastic agent.

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Carmofur, which is used in the clinic to treat colorectal cancers, is a potent AC inhibitor and that this property is essential to its antiproliferative effects. Carmofur inhibited AC activity with a median effective concentration (IC50) of  $29 \pm 5$  nM (mean  $\pm$  standard error of the mean, s.e.m.; n = 4), whereas 5-FU had no such effect (IC50>1 mM). systemic administration of carmofur (10 or 30 mgkg-1, intraperitoneal, i.p.) to mice produced a dose-dependent inhibition of AC activity in various tissues, including lungs and brain cortex.



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