

# Rifapentine

Catalog No: tcsc2258

Available Sizes

Size: 50mg

Size: 100mg

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**Specifications** 

CAS No:

61379-65-5

#### Formula:

 $C_{47}H_{64}N_4O_{12}$ 

## Pathway:

Anti-infection

#### **Target:**

Bacterial

### Purity / Grade:

>98%

**Solubility:** 10 mM in DMSO

#### Alternative Names:

DL 473;Cyclopentylrifampicin

# **Observed Molecular Weight:**

877.03

## **Product Description**

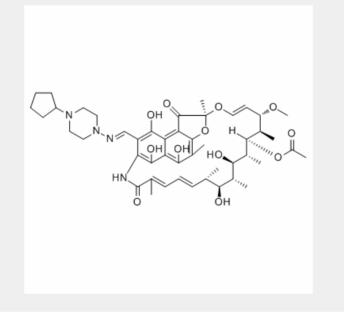
Rifapentine (Priftin; DL 473) is an antibiotic compound used in the treatment of tuberculosis.

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#### Target: Antibacterial

Rifapentine inhibits DNA-dependent RNA polymerase activity in susceptible cells. Specifically, it interacts with bacterial RNA polymerase but does not inhibit the mammalian enzyme. A review of alternative regimens for prevention of active tuberculosis in HIV-negative individuals with latent TB found that a weekly, directly observed regimen of rifapentine with isoniazid for three months was as effective as a daily, self -administered regimen of isoniazid for nine months. But the rifapentine-isoniazid regimen had higher rates of treatment completion and lower rates of hepatotoxicity . However the rates of treatment-limiting adverse events were higher in the rifapentine-isoniazid regimen [1].



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