

Catalog # 10-2073 Forskolin

CAS# 66575-29-97 β -Acetoxy-8,13-epoxy- $1\alpha,6\beta,9\alpha$ -trihydroxylabd-14-en-11-one Lot # A102192

Forskolin is a widely used adenylate cyclase activator. It also is a positive inotropic agent, vasodilator and induces platelet activation among other activities. 2-5

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PHYSICAL DATA

Molecular Weight: 410.51
Molecular Formula: C₂₂H₃₄O₇
Purity: >98% (HPLC)

NMR (Conforms)

Solubility: DMSO (10 mg/ml)

Physical Description: White solid

Storage and Stability: Store as supplied at room temperature for up to 1 year from the date of purchase.

Store solutions at -20°C for up to 4 months.

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