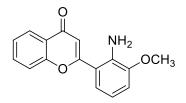


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CAS# 167869-21-8 2-(2-Amino-3-methoxyphenyl)-4H-1-benzopyran-4-one 2'-Amino-3'-methoxyflavone Lot # X102063



Inhibitor of mitogen-activated protein kinase kinase (MKK / MEK). Acts via binding to the inactivated form of MEK, preventing its phosphorylation by cRAF or MEK kinase ($IC_{50}=2-7\Box M$).^{1,2} Accelerates differentiation of RAW264.7 cells into osteoclast-like cells.³ Mimics BMP4 in supporting self renewal of embryonic stem cells⁴.

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PHYSICAL DATA

Molecular Weight:	267.29
Molecular Formula:	C ₁₆ H ₁₃ NO ₃
Purity:	98% by TLC
	NMR: (Conforms)
Solubility:	DMSO (up to 6 mg/ml)
Physical Description:	Yellow solid
Storage and Stability:	Store as supplied at room temperature for up to 2 years from the date of purchase. Solutions in DMSO may be stored at -20°C for up to 3 months

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