

Catalog # 10-2860 Kifunensine

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(5R,6R,7S,8R,8aS)-Hexahydro-6,7,8-trihydroxy-5-(hydroxymethyl)-imidazo[1,2-a]pyridine-2,3-dione; FR-900494 Lot # X101395

Historically isolated from *Kitasatosporia kifunense*. Inhibitor of class I α -mannosidases which inhibit glycoprotein processing. Inhibits human endoplasmic reticulum α -1,2-mannosidase I and Golgi Class I mannosidases IA, IB and IC with K_i values of 130 and 23 nM respectively. Inhibition of endoplasmic reticulum α -mannosidase I activity rescues the human α -sarcoglycan R77C mutation suggesting a new pharmacological approach for limb girdle muscular dystrophy type 2D patients carrying mutations that impair α -sarcoglycan trafficking. Improves maturation of misfolded proteins.

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PHYSICAL DATA

Molecular Weight: 232.19

Molecular Formula: C₈H₁₂N₂O₆

Purity: >98% by TLC

NMR: (Conforms)

Solubility: DMSO (up to 35 mg/ml)

Physical Description: White solid

Storage and Stability: Store as supplied desiccated at -20°C for up to 1 year from the date of purchase. Solutions in

DMSO may be stored at -20°C for up to 1 month.

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