

Catalog #10-4608 S-Farnesyl-L-cysteine methyl ester

CAS# 125741-64-2

(2R)-2-Amino-3-[(2E,6E)-3,7,11-trimethyldodeca-2,6,10-trienyl]sulfanylpropanoic acid methyl ester Lot # FBA4130

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S-Farnesyl-L-cysteine methyl ester stimulates multidrug resistance transporter ATPase activity (4-5 fold @ 10-20 μ M) and competes for drug binding.¹ It modifies the carboxyl terminus of the *Saccharomyces cerevisiae* RAS2 protein.²

- 1) Zhang et al. (1994), Interaction of prenylcysteine methyl esters with multidrug resistance transporter; J.Biol.Chem. **269** 15973
- 2) Stimmel et al. (1990), Evidence for an S-farnesylcysteine methyl ester at the carboxyl terminus of the Saccharomyces cerevisiae RSA2 protein; Biochemistry **29** 9651

PHYSICAL DATA

Molecular Weight: 339.54
Molecular Formula: C₁₉H₃₃NO₂S

Purity: >98% (TLC:5% Methanol/methylene chloride)

NMR: (Conforms)

Solubility: DMSO (25 mg/mL) and ethanol (25 mg/mL)

Physical Description: Pale yellow oil

Storage and Stability: Store as supplied 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 3 months.

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