Trolox

Small Molecules

Vitamin E analog

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Catalog #100-0572 100-0573 250 mg 1 g

## **Product Description**

Trolox is a cell-permeable and hydrophilic analog of vitamin E (Choe et al.; Lee et al.). In mice, Trolox has been shown to suppress osteoclast formation by downregulating receptor activator of NF-kB ligand (RANKL) induction and c-Fos expression (Lee et al.). Trolox also prevents cisplatin-induced apoptosis in renal epithelial cells (Xiao et al.).

Molecular Name: Trolox

Alternative Names: 6-Hydroxy-2,5,7,8-tetramethylchroman-2-carboxylic acid

CAS Number: 53188-07-1 Chemical Formula:  $C_{14}H_{18}O_4$  Molecular Weight: 250.3 g/mol Purity:  $\geq$  98%

Chemical Name: 3,4-dihydro-6-hydroxy-2,5,7,8-tetramethyl-2H-1-benzopyran-2-carboxylic acid

Structure:

#### **Properties**

Physical Appearance: A crystalline solid

Storage: Product stable at -20°C as supplied. Protect product from prolonged exposure to light. For long-term storage,

store with a desiccant. Stable as supplied for 12 months from date of receipt.

**Solubility:** • PBS (pH 7.2)  $\leq$  11 mM

• DMSO ≤ 75 mM

Absolute ethanol ≤ 75 mM

For example, to prepare a 10 mM stock solution in DMSO, resuspend 10 mg in 4.00 mL of DMSO.

Prepare stock solution fresh before use. Information regarding stability of small molecules in solution has rarely been reported, however, as a general guide we recommend storage in DMSO at -20°C. Aliquot into working volumes to avoid repeated freeze-thaw cycles. The effect of storage of stock solution on compound

performance should be tested for each application.

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## **Published Applications**

**DIFFERENTIATION** 

- · Induces beta-like cell differentiation from human embryonic stem cells (Petersen et al.). CANCER RESEARCH
- · Enhances arsenic-mediated apoptosis in myeloma and breast cancer cells (Diaz et al.).

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