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Citrinin

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Product Information

Product ID C3479

CAS No. 518-75-2

Chemical Name

Synonym

Formula C₁₃H₁₄O₅

Formula Wt. 250.249

Melting Point 175°C (dec.)

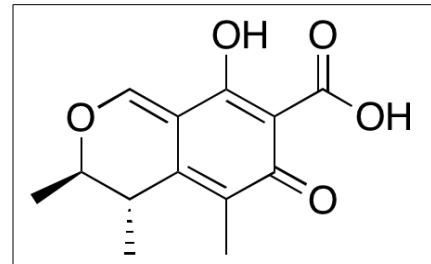
Purity ≥98%

Solubility

Store Temp 4°C

Ship Temp Ambient

Description Citrinin is a mycotoxin initially produced by *Penicillium*, *Aspergillus*, and *Monascus*. Citrinin exhibits cytotoxic, cardiototoxic, nephrotoxic, and pro-oxidative activities. In Leydig cells, citrinin inhibits testosterone production and induces caspase-mediated apoptosis. In embryos, citrinin alters heart morphology, causing malformations, edema, and red cell accumulation. Additionally, citrinin increases membrane permeability in mitochondria, increasing generation of ROS and superoxide anions.



Bulk quantities available upon request

Product ID Size

C3479 1 mg

C3479 5 mg

C3479 10 mg

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