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Litorin

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Product Information

Product ID L3577

CAS No. 55749-97-8

Chemical Name

pGlu-Gln-Trp-Ala-Val-Gly-His-Phe-Met-NH₂

Synonym Ranatesin, 2-de-L-valine-3-de-L-proline-

Formula C₅₁H₆₈N₁₄O₁₁S

Formula Wt. 1085.28

Melting Point

Purity ≥95%

Solubility Soluble in acetic acid (1 mg/mL).

Store Temp -20°C

Ship Temp Ambient

Description Litorin is a bombesin-related peptide that binds bombesin receptors in vitro and in vivo. Litorin exhibits anorexigenic and thermo-modulatory activities. In vivo, litorin decreases food intake and body temperature. Litorin also induces contractions in smooth muscle and increases secretion of gastrin and pancreatic polypeptide in animal models. Ex vivo, litorin inhibits thyrotropin-releasing hormone release from the hypothalamus.

Bulk quantities available upon request

Product ID Size

L3577 1 mg

L3577 2 mg

L3577 5 mg

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