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Ritonavir

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Product Information

Product ID R3577

CAS No. 155213-67-5

Chemical Name

Synonym Norvir, A-84538, ABT-538, NSC693184, RTV

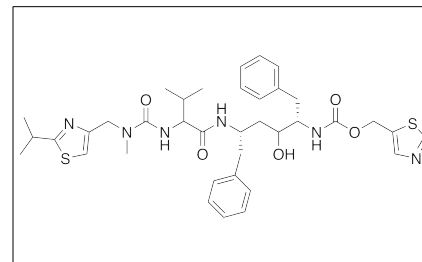
Formula $C_{37}H_{48}N_6O_5S_2$

Formula Wt. 720.95

Melting Point 120-123 °C

Purity ≥98%

Solubility DMSO to 10 mg/mL, Ethanol to 3 mg/mL, Methanol



Pricing and Availability

Bulk quantities available upon request

Product ID	Size	List Price
R3577	100 mg	\$84.50
R3577	250 mg	\$169.10
R3577	1 g	\$464.90

Store Temp Ambient

Ship Temp Ambient

Description Ritonavir is an HIV protease inhibitor that is commonly used as a component of highly active anti-retroviral therapy (HAART) in the treatment of HIV infection. Ritonavir exhibits antiviral, anti-angiogenic, neuroprotective, and hyperlipidemic activities. Ritonavir inhibits expression of VEGF and HIF-1 α , decreasing proliferation in retinal epithelial cells and indicating potential use as a treatment for ocular diseases. Ritonavir also inhibits translocation of apoptosis-inducing factor (AIF), activates caspase 9, and inhibits permeability alterations in the mitochondrial membrane potential, preventing apoptosis in retinal photoreceptor cells and macrophages. This compound decreases levels of sarco/endoplasmic reticulum Ca²⁺-ATPase (SERCA) and intracellular Ca²⁺, increasing endoplasmic reticular stress and injury. Additionally, ritonavir increases levels of IL-6 and decreases levels of adiponectin, GLUT4, and fatty acid synthase, inhibiting lipogenesis and increasing lipodystrophy; this compound also increases levels of VLDL.

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