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Product Information

Product ID N3577 CAS No. 13063-04-2

Chemical Name

Synonym

Formula C₂₁H₁₈CINO₄

Formula Wt. 383.82

Melting Point

Purity ≥98%

Solubility 1mg/ml in DMSO

Pricing and Availability

Bulk quanitites available upon request

Product ID	Size	List Price
N3577	1 mg	\$91.00
N3577	5 mg	\$145.80
N3577	25 mg	\$592.50

Store Temp Ambient Ship Temp Ambient

Description Nitidine is a benzophenanthridine alkaloid that exhibits anticancer chemotherapeutic, anti-inflammatory, anti-parasitic, and antifungal properties. In cancer cells, nitidine decreases phosphorylation of Akt and downregulates expression of matrix metalloproteinases 2 and 9 (MMP2/9), inhibiting cellular migration and invasion. In vivo, nitidine inhibits activation of JAK/STAT3, downregulates expression of cyclin D1, cyclin-dependent kinase 4 (CDK4), and Bcl-2, and upregulates expression of p21 and Bax, resulting in decreases in tumor weight and volume. Additionally, nitidine inhibits topoisomerase I and binds to DNA sequences containing alternating G and C base pairs. In macrophages, this compound decreases production of proinflammatory cytokines such as TNF-a, IL-1B, and IL-6 and inhibits phosphorylation of MAPK and activation of NF-kB. Nitidine also displays inhibitory activity against species of *Plasmodium* that are resistant to chloroquine and other antimalarial compounds.

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