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Product Information

Product ID A6932 CAS No. 313-67-7

Chemical Name 8-Methoxy-3,4-methylenedioxy-10-nitrophenanthrene-1-

carboxylic acid

Synonym Aristolochic acid, Aristolochin Birthwort, Tardolyt

Formula $C_{17}H_{11}NO_7$ Formula Wt. 341.27

Melting Point 281-286°C(dec.)

Purity ≥95%

Solubility Soluble in DMSO or ethanol.

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 Size

 A6932
 1 mg

 A6932
 5 mg

 A6932
 25 mg

 A6932
 100 mg

Store Temp -20°C Ship Temp Ambient

Description Aristolochic acid A is a carcinogenic compound found in *Aristolochia* and *Radix* that has commonly been used in traditional

Chinese medicine. This compound inhibits phospholipase A2 (PLA2) and decreases GABA-induced release of arachidonic acid and

phosphatidylcholine as well as exocytosis in vitro.

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