## **BioVision**

## 5-aza-2'-deoxycytidine

**ALTERNATE NAME:** 4-amino-1-(2-deoxy-b-D-erythro-pentofuranosyl)-

1.3.5-triazin-2(1H)-one: Decitabine

**CATALOG #:** 1754-10, 50

**AMOUNT:** 10 mg, 50 mg

STRUCTURE:

HO HO

MOLECULAR FORMULA: C<sub>8</sub>H<sub>12</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>4</sub>

MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 228.08

**CAS NUMBER:** 2353-33-5

**APPEARANCE:** White to off-white solid

SOLUBILITY: DMSO (25 mg/ml), 50% acetic acid (25 mg/ml)

PURITY: ≥98% by HPLC

STORAGE: Store at -20 °C

**DESCRIPTION:** An epigenetic modifier. Decitabine is an analogue of the

nucleoside 2'-deoxycytidine. It is believed to exert its antineoplastic effects after phosphorylation and direct

incorporation into DNA and inhibition of DNA

methyltransferase, causing hypomethylation of DNA and cellular differentiation or apoptosis. DNA hypomethylation is achieved at concentrations below those required to significantly inhibit DNA synthesis, which may promote restoration of function to genes associated with control of

cellular differentiation and proliferation.

HANDLING: Do not take internally. Wear gloves and mask when handling

the product! Avoid contact by all modes of exposure.

## FOR RESEARCH USE ONLY! Not to be used on humans.

## **RELATED PRODUCTS:**

- BIX 01294 (Cat. No. 1678-5, 25)
- RG 108 (Cat. No. 1679-10, 30)
- Trichostatin A (Cat. No. 1606-1)