BioVision

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α-Naphthoflavone

ALTERNATE NAME: 2-phenyl-4H-naphtho[1,2-b]pyran-4-one, NSC 407011, 7,8-

Benzoflavone

CATALOG #: 2918-5. -25

AMOUNT: 5 g, 25 g

STRUCTURE:

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MOLECULAR FORMULA: C₁₉H₁₂O₂

FORMULA WEIGHT: 272.3

CAS NUMBER: 604-59-1

APPEARANCE: Crystalline Solid

SOLUBILITY: DMSO (~10 mg/ml) or DMF (~20 mg/ml), Ethanol (~1 mg/ml).

Organic solvents should be purged with inert gas before

solubilizing.

Sparingly soluble in aqueous solvents. Prepare DMF stock solution and then dilute 1:4 with PBS (pH 7.2) for a final 0.1 mg/ml concentration. Do not store the diluted solution for >1

day.

PURITY: ≥98%

STORAGE: -20°C for 2 years

DESCRIPTION: α-Naphthoflavone modulates xenobiotic metabolism by

antagonizing the aryl hydrocarbon receptor (AhR), blocking the expression of phase I and II genes at nanomolar concentrations. It can agonize AhR at higher concentrations (10 $\,\mu\text{M})$. $\alpha\text{-Naphthoflavone}$ inhibits CYP19 (aromatase), CYP1A1, CYP1A2, and CYP1B1 (IC50 = 500, 60, 6, and 5 nM,

respectively), whereas it activates CYP3A4 ($K_d = 7.4 \mu M$). Dietary α -naphthoflavone can contribute to carcinogenesis in the presence of synthetic estrogens.

References:

Annu Rev Pharmacol Toxicol. 2003;43: 309-34. J Pharmacol Exp Ther. 2011;338(1): 318–327. J Biol Chem 1994; 269(29):19028-19033.

HANDLING: Protect from air, light and moisture. Do not take internally. Wear gloves and mask when handling since this product is toxic to the skin or eyes!

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