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Rhamnocitrin Datasheet

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[Product Information]

Name: Rhamnocitrin

Catalog No.: CFN97724

Cas No.: 569-92-6

Purity: > 95%

M.F: C₁₆H₁₂O₆

M.W: 300.27

Physical Description: Yellow powder

Synonyms:7-Methylkaempferol;3,4',5-Trihydroxy-7-methoxyflavone;3,5-Dihydroxy-2-(4-h

ydroxyphenyl)-7-methoxychromen-4-one;Kaempferol 7-O-methyl ether.

[Intended Use]

- 1. Reference standards;
- 2. Pharmacological research;
- 3. Synthetic precursor compounds;
- 4. Intermediates & Fine Chemicals;
- 5. Others.

[<u>Source</u>]

The herbs of rhizoma of Alpinia officinarum Hance.

[Biological Activity or Inhibitors]

Kaempferol and rhamnocitrin are two anti-inflammatory flavonoids commonly found in plants, and they are scavengers of DPPH (1,1-diphenyl-2-picrylhydrazyl) with IC₅₀ of 26.10 +/- 1.33 and 28.38 +/- 3.07 microM, respectively; they not only protect low-density lipoprotein (LDL) from oxidation but also prevent atherogenesis through suppressing macrophage uptake of oxidized low-density lipoprotein (oxLDL).^[1]

Rhamnocitrin shows a significant protection against cloudiness in lenses induced by hydrogen peroxide and hydrocortisone in a dose dependent manner, suggests that rhamnocitrin possesses significant anticataract activity and acts most likely due to its antioxidant property.^[2]

Rhamnocitrin and kaempferol can augment cellular antioxidant defense capacity, at least in part, through regulation of HO-1 expression and MAPK signal transduction.^[3] Rhamnocitrin in Oxytropis Falcata can enhance the immune function, improve the formation of spleen cells of mice serum hemolysin of chicken red blood cell immune.^[4]

[Solvent]

Chloroform, Dichloromethane, Ethyl Acetate, DMSO, Acetone, etc.

[HPLC Method]^[5]

Mobile phase: :0.4% Phosphoric acid in water-Methanol=20:80; Flow rate:1.0 ml/min; Column temperature: 30°C; The wave length of determination:350 nm.

[Storage]

2-8°C, Protected from air and light, refrigerate or freeze.

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