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# **Stigmasterol Datasheet**

4<sup>th</sup> Edition (Revised in July, 2016)

#### [Product Information]

Name: Stigmasterol

Catalog No.: CFN97326

Cas No.: 83-48-7

**Purity:** > 98%

**M.F:** C<sub>29</sub>H<sub>48</sub>O

M.W: 412.7



Physical Description: Cryst.

**Synonyms:**(3S,8S,9S,10R,13R,14S,17R)-17-[(E,2R,5S)-5-ethyl-6-methylhept-3-en-2-yl]-10,13-dimethyl-2,3,4,7,8,9,11,12,14,15,16,17-dodecahydro-1H-cyclopenta[a]phenanthren -3-ol.

#### [ Intended Use ]

- 1. Reference standards;
- 2. Pharmacological research;
- 3. Food research;
- 4. Cosmetic research;
- 5. Synthetic precursor compounds;
- 6. Intermediates & Fine Chemicals;
- 7. Ingredient in supplements;
- 8. Others.

### [Source]

The herb of Delphinium grandiflorum L.

#### [Biological Activity or Inhibitors]

Stigmasterol, isolated from the bark of Butea monosperma, has thyroid inhibitory, antiperoxidative and hypoglycemic effects; the synergism of  $\beta$ -sitosterol and stigmasterol to produce hypoglycaemic activity and their occurrence in Parkia speciosa Hassk.<sup>[1,2]</sup>

Stigmasterol, a soy lipid-derived phytosterol, is an antagonist of the bile acid nuclear receptor FXR.<sup>[3]</sup>

Stigmasterol has anti-inflammatory effect, it inhibits several pro-inflammatory and matrix degradation mediators typically involved in osteoarthritis (OA)-induced cartilage degradation, at least in part through the inhibition of the NF-kappaB pathway.<sup>[4]</sup>

Stigmasterol has cholesterol-lowering activity, when fed, lowers plasma cholesterol levels, inhibits intestinal cholesterol and plant sterol absorption, and suppresses hepatic cholesterol and classic bile acid synthesis in Wistar as well as wild-type Kyoto (WKY) rats.<sup>[5]</sup>

Stigmasterol can inhibit tumour promotion in mouse skin two-stage carcinogenesis.<sup>[6]</sup> Stigmasterol has ameliorating effects on scopolamine-induced memory impairments in mice, stigmasterol-induced cognitive ameliorative effects are mediated by the enhancement of cholinergic neurotransmission system via the activation of estrogen or NMDA receptors.<sup>[7]</sup>

#### [Solvent]

Chloroform, Dichloromethane, Diethyl ether, DMSO, Acetone, etc.

#### [ HPLC Method ]<sup>[8]</sup>

Mobile phase: Methanol -H2O=99:1;

Flow rate: 1.0 ml/min;

Column temperature: Room Temperature;

The wave length of determination: 202 nm.

## [Storage]

 $2\text{-}8^\circ\!\mathbb{C}$  , Protected from air and light, refrigerate or freeze.

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