Product Data Sheet

α-MSH TFA

Cat. No.: HY-P0252A **CAS No.:** 171869-93-5

Molecular Formula: $C_{77}H_{109}N_{21}O_{19}S.xC_2HF_3O_2$

Sequence: Ac-Ser-Tyr-Ser-Met-Glu-His-Phe-Arg-Trp-Gly-Lys-Pro-Val-NH2

Sequence Shortening: Ac-SYSMEHFRWGKPV-NH2

Target: Melanocortin Receptor

Pathway: GPCR/G Protein; Neuronal Signaling

Storage: Sealed storage, away from moisture and light, under nitrogen

Powder -80°C 2 years -20°C 1 year

* In solvent: -80°C, 6 months; -20°C, 1 month (sealed storage, away from moisture

and light, under nitrogen)



SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY

In Vitro H₂O: 25 mg/mL (Need ultrasonic)

BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY

Description	α -MSH (α -Melanocyte-Stimulating Hormone) TFA, an endogenous neuropeptide, is an endogenous melanocortin receptor 4 (MC4R) agonist with anti-inflammatory and antipyretic activities. α -MSH TFA is a post-translational derivative of proopiomelanocortin (POMC) ^{[1][2]} .
IC ₅₀ & Target	MC4R
In Vitro	α -MSH TFA modulates CNS inflammation by acting directly on melanocortin receptors in glial cells. α -MSH TFA modulates NF κ B activation. α -MSH TFA inhibits translocation of transcription factor κ B to the nucleus ^[3] . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.
In Vivo	α -MSH TFA (50 μ g/0.2 ml saline; i.p.) given systemically effectively modulates inflammatory reactions ^[3] . MCE has not independently confirmed the accuracy of these methods. They are for reference only.

CUSTOMER VALIDATION

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- [3]. Lipton JM, et al. Mechanisms of antiinflammatory action of alpha-MSH peptides. In vivo and in vitro evidence. Ann N Y Acad Sci. 1999;885:173-182.

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