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Product Information Sheet

T859

· HCI

Tetracycline Hydrochloride

Synonyms: $[4S-(4\alpha,4a\alpha,5a\alpha,6\beta,12a\alpha)]-4-(Dimethylamino)-$

1,4,4a,5,5a,6,11,12a-octahydro-3,6,10,12,12a-

pentahydroxy-6-methyl-1,11-dioxo-2napthacenecarboxamide Hydrochloride

CAS: 64-75-5

Formula: C₂₂H₂₄N₂O₈•HCl

Mol. Weight: 480.94

Properties

Form: Powder

Appearance: Yellow Powder

Application: Plant Tissue Culture Antibiotic Solubility: Soluble in Water and DMSO

Storage Temp: -20 to 0 °C

Stock Solution Solutions of Tetracycline are stable at -20 to 0° C for short periods of time. Tetracycline Storage Temp: hydrolyzes in the presence of water to form a turbid solution. It will not hydrolyze completely,

and the resulting trace amount solutions are stable for longer periods of time at -20 to 0° C.

Other Notes: This product is hygroscopic. Protect from light.

Application Notes

Tetracycline is a broad spectrum antibiotic effective against many aerobic and anaerobic Gram-positive and Gram-negative bacteria, Chlamydiaceae, *Mycoplasma spp., Ricekttsia spp.,* spirochaetes and some protozoa. Tetracycline inhibits protein synthesis by binding reversibly to 30S subunit of the ribosome to prevent the binding of aminoacyl tRNA.^{2, 3}

Minimum inhibitory concentration (MIC) of tetracycline HCL has been reported for many bacteria. MIC of tetracycline HCL against *M.luteus* is >100 μ g/mL, *S. aureus* is 2.5 μ g/mL, *P. aeruginosa* is 50 μ g/mL, *B. subtilis* is \leq 1 μ g/mL, and *K. pneumonia* is 5 μ g/mL.

Tetracycline can also be used as a selective agent for cells containing tetracycline resistance gene.

PhytoTechnology Laboratories® also carries Tetracycline Hydrochloride Solution (10 mg/mL), Product No. T7859.

Please Note: It is the sole responsibility of the purchaser to determine the appropriateness of this product for the specific plants that are being cultured and applications that are being used.

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