

Neuromedin U-25 (human) (trifluoroacetate salt)

Chemical Properties

CAS No. :

Formula:

Molecular Weight:

Storage: Keep away from moisture
Powder: -20°C for 3 years | In solvent: -80°C for 1 year
Actual storage temperature shall be subject to the COA.

Biological Description

Description	Neuromedin U (NMU) is a neuropeptide first demonstrated to drive smooth muscle contraction. ¹ Translated as a 174 amino acid propeptide, NMU is cleaved to different lengths in different animals. It has diverse receptor-mediated roles in vivo, as it regulates feeding, vasoconstriction, nociception, and bone remodeling and contributes to obesity, cancer and septic shock. ^{2,2} NMU-25 is the active form of NMU in humans. It binds with high affinity to receptors on human left ventricle and coronary artery (K _D s = 0.26 and 0.11 nM, respectively), eliciting endothelium-independent vasoconstriction. ³ NMU-25 also suppresses glucose-stimulated insulin secretion in human islets, and this effect is lost in NMU R165W mutants, resulting in early-onset obesity. ⁴
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Solubility Information

Solubility	DMF: 5 mg/mL, Sonication is recommended. DMSO: 1 mg/mL, Sonication is recommended. (< 1 mg/ml refers to the product slightly soluble or insoluble)
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