# **PRODUCT** INFORMATION



TFMB-R-2-HG

Item No. 20461

CAS Registry No.: Formal Name:	(2R)-tetrahydro-5-oxo-2-furancarboxylic	
	acid, [3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]methyl ester	
MF:	$C_{13}H_{11}F_{3}O_{4}$	~ CE
FW:	288.2	CF <sub>3</sub>
Purity:	≥98% 0=	-
UV/Vis.:	λ <sub>max</sub> : 264, 270 nm	
Supplied as:	A crystalline solid	~
Storage:	-20°C	
Stability:	≥2 years	
Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.		

## Laboratory Procedures

TFMB-R-2-HG is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the TFMB-R-2-HG in the solvent of choice. TFMB-R-2-HG is soluble in the organic solvent DMSO, which should be purged with an inert gas. The solubility of TFMB-R-2-HG in DMSO is approximately 30 mg/ml.

## Description

TFMB-R-2-HG is a cell-permeable form of (R)-2-hydroxyglutarate ((R)-2-HG).<sup>1</sup> (R)-2-HG is structurally similar to  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate and competitively inhibits  $\alpha$ -ketoglutarate-dependent dioxygenases, including lysine demethylases and DNA hydroxylases.<sup>2-4</sup> TFMB-R-2-HG has been used to assess the role of (R)-2-HG in leukemogenesis.<sup>1</sup>

## References

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WARNING THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

### SAFFTY DATA

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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