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## **Monensin Methyl ester**

**ALTERNATE NAME:** 5-methyl (2R,3S,4R)-4-[(2R,5R,7S,8R,9S)-2-[(2R,5S)-5-ethyl-5-[(2S,3R,5S)-5-[(2S,3S,5R,6R)-6-hydroxy-6-(hydroxymethyl)-3,5-dimethyloxan-2-yl]-3-methyloxolan-2-yl]oxolan-2-yl]-7-hydroxy-2,8-dimethyl-1,10-dioxaspiro[4.5]decan-9-yl]-3-methoxy-2-methylpentanoate

CATALOG #: AUR11373

## STRUCTURE:

MOLECULAR FORMULA: C<sub>37</sub>H<sub>64</sub>O<sub>11</sub>

**MOLECULAR WEIGHT: 684.9** 

CAS#: 28636-21-7

APPEARANCE: White solid

SOLUBILITY: EtOH (~68 mg/ml) or MeOH (~68 mg/ml)

PURITY: >98% by TLC

STORAGE: Store at +2 to +8° C. Protect from air and light

**DESCRIPTION**: Monensin Methyl Ester is a neutral analog of monensin, an antibiotic produced by *Streptomyces cinnamonensis*. Monensin Methyl Ester has been used in the preparation of ion-selective membranes for ion-selective electrodes.

**HANDLING:** Do not take internally. Wear gloves and mask when handling the product! Avoid contact by all modes of exposure