# **Propiolactone**

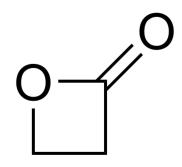
Cat. No.: HY-107931 CAS No.: 57-57-8 Molecular Formula:  $C_3H_4O_2$ Molecular Weight: 72

Target: SARS-CoV Pathway: Anti-infection

Storage: Pure form -20°C 3 years

> In solvent -80°C 6 months

> > -20°C 1 month



**Product** Data Sheet

### **SOLVENT & SOLUBILITY**

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DMSO: 100 mg/mL (1388.89 mM; Need ultrasonic)

	Solvent Mass Concentration	1 mg	1 mg 5 mg	
Preparing Stock Solutions	1 mM	13.8889 mL	69.4445 mL	138.8889 mL
	5 mM	2.7778 mL	13.8889 mL	27.7778 mL
	10 mM	1.3889 mL	6.9444 mL	13.8889 mL

Please refer to the solubility information to select the appropriate solvent.

In Vivo

- 1. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 40% PEG300 >> 5% Tween-80 >> 45% saline Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (34.72 mM); Clear solution
- 2. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% (20% SBE- $\beta$ -CD in saline) Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (34.72 mM); Clear solution
- 3. Add each solvent one by one: 10% DMSO >> 90% corn oil Solubility: ≥ 2.5 mg/mL (34.72 mM); Clear solution

## **BIOLOGICAL ACTIVITY**

Description	Propiolactone ( $\beta$ -propiolactone; 2-Oxetanone) is a viral chemical inactivator that causes the infectious inactivation of viruses. Propiolactone was co-incubated with SARS-CoV at a ratio of 1:1000 (v:v) and used as a bacteriostatic agent to formulate the BPL-inactivated influenza virus vaccine (Flu-BPL) <sup>[1][2]</sup> .
IC <sub>50</sub> & Target	SARS-CoV-2 <sup>[1]</sup>
In Vitro	Propiolactone (β-propiolactone) can be used for vaccine purification. After cells were harvested by low-speed centrifugation, SARS-CoV was chemically inactivated with Propiolactone (1:1000 v:v). Propiolactone was incubated with

SARS-CoV for 24 h at 4°C. A second incubation at room temperature was performed to hydrolyze residual propiolactone. and concentration of the vaccine. Following BPL inactivation. a polvethylene glycol-sodium chloride (PEG-NaCl) mixture was added to precipitate the inactivated virus. After cen and concentration of the vaccine. After propiolactone inactivation, a polyethylene glycol-sodium chloride (PEG-NaCl) mixture is added to precipitate the inactivated virus. Finally, Propiolactone (1:10000 v:v) was added as a bacteriostatic agent.

Propiolactone-inactivated virus loses infectivity in Vero cells<sup>[1]</sup>.

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In Vivo

Mice were immunized with propiolactone ( $\beta$ -propiolactone)-inactivated influenza A virus (~25 mg total protein per dose; intramuscular injection). SARS is non-lethal in young BALB/c mice after propiolactone inactivation treatment. Although the virus replicated in the respiratory tract of the mice, it was cleared by day 5. Propiolactone treatment yielded 1.5  $\mu$ g of total hemagglutinin protein, which was negative after infection of mice<sup>[1]</sup>.

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### **REFERENCES**

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