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## Product Data Sheet

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Product Name: (±)-α-Tocopherol nicotinate

Cat. No.: GC67191

### Chemical Properties

Cas. No. 51898-34-1

Formula C<sub>35</sub>H<sub>53</sub>NO<sub>3</sub>

M.Wt 535.8

Solubility DMSO : 10 mg/mL (18.66 mM; ultrasonic and warming and heat to 60°C)

Storage Store at -20°C

General tips For obtaining a higher solubility , please warm the tube at 37 °C and shake it in the ultrasonic bath for a while. Stock solution can be stored below -20°C for several months.

Shipping Condition Evaluation sample solution : ship with blue ice All other available size: ship with RT , or blue ice upon request.

Structure

### Background

(±)-α-Tocopherol nicotinate, vitamin E - nicotinate, is an orally active fat-soluble antioxidant that prevents lipid peroxidation in cell membranes. (±)-α-Tocopherol nicotinate is hydrolysed in the blood to α -tocopherol and niacin and may be used in studies of related vascular diseases<sup>[1][2]</sup>.

(±)-α-Tocopherol nicotinate can help slow the progression of microangiopathy in type 2 diabetics by reducing lipid peroxidation stress in the red blood cell membrane, improving blood rheology and red blood cell deformability<sup>[1]</sup>.

(±)-α-Tocopherol nicotinate (Vitamin E) (2 µg/mL, 24 h) increases the proportion of CD4+CD8-T cells in thymocytes by pretreating the thymic epithelial cell line IT45-R1 and then incubating it with immature T cells<sup>[2]</sup>.

(±)-α-Tocopherol nicotinate (Vitamin E) (in animal feedings, 50 mg/kg or 585 mg/kg, 7 weeks) significantly increases the proportion of CD4+CD8- T cells and the expression of ICAM-1 in thymic epithelial cells (TECs) isolated of male Fisher rats at high dose concentrations of 585 mg/kg compared to low dose treatment of 50 mg/kg<sup>[2]</sup>.

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- [1]. T W Chung, et al. Reducing lipid peroxidation stress of erythrocyte membrane by alpha-tocopherol nicotinate plays an important role in improving blood rheological properties in type 2 diabetic patients with retinopathy. Diabet Med. 1998 May;15(5):380-5.
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