

## **Camostat Mesylate**



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10 mg

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**Background** Camostat Mesylate, also known as Foipan or FOY 305, is a synthetic serine protease inhibitor that is

often used to treat pancreatitis pain (1). Camostat Mesylate attenuates airway epithelial sodium channel (ENaC) function by inhibiting channel-activating proteases (CAPs) with an IC $_{50}$  of 50 nM (2). Camostat Mesylate inhibition of trypsin decreased food intake, body weight, blood glucose, liver

weight, and lipidosis and increased FGF21 expression in obese mice (3).

Camostat Mesylate is an effective inhibitor of TMPRSS2, a serine protease used by SARS-CoV-2/COVID-19 for viral S-protein priming and cell entry. Pre-treatment of human lung cancer cells with 100 µM

Camostat Mesylate significantly reduced COVID-19 viral entry (4).

**Molecular Formula** C<sub>20</sub>H<sub>22</sub>N<sub>4</sub>O<sub>5</sub> • CH<sub>3</sub>SO<sub>3</sub>H

Molecular Weight 494.5 g/mol

Purity >98%

CAS 59721-29-8

**Solubility** Soluble in DMSO at 50 mg/ml or water at 50 mg/ml.

**Storage** Store lyophilized at -20°C, desiccated. In lyophilized form, the chemical is stable for 24 months. Once in

solution, store at -20°C and use within 1 month to prevent loss of potency. *Aliquot to avoid multiple* 

freeze/thaw cycles.

**Directions for Use**Camostat Mesylate is supplied as a lyophilized powder. For a 15 mM stock, reconstitute 10 mg of

powder in 1.34 ml of DMSO. Working concentrations and length of treatment can vary depending on

the desired effect.

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