Catalog Number: 194155

Cephalothin, sodium salt

Structure:

Na

Molecular Formula: C₁₆H₁₅N₂O₆S₂Na

Molecular Weight: 418.4

CAS # 58-71-9

Synonym: 7-[2-Thienylacetamido]-cephalosporanic acid

Physical Appearance: White to off white crystalline powder

Solubility: Soluble in water (200 mg/4.0 ml of water-clear, faint yellow solution)

Description: An antibiotic which inhibits the synthesis of the cell wall (gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria). Effective concentration is typically about 100 ug/ml. Generally stable at 37° C for approximately 3 days. ¹

Reference:

1. Perlman, D., "Use of Antibiotics in cell culture media." *Methods in Enzymology: Cell Culture*, Jakoby, W.B. and Pastan, I.H. (eds.), Academic Press: New York, p. 112 (1979).