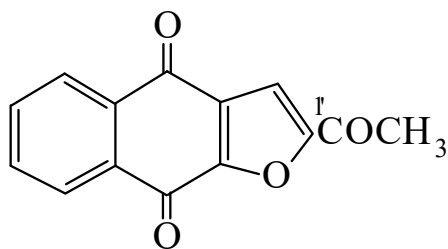




>>Entry Name: 2-Acetylnaphtho[2,3-*b*]furan-4,9-dione, 9CI



**CAS Registry Number:** 83280-65-3

**Related CAS Registry Numbers(s):** 83889-95-6

**Molecular Formula:** C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>8</sub>O<sub>4</sub>

**Molecular Weight:** 240.215

**Accurate Mass:** 240.04226

**Percentage Composition:** C 70.00%; H 3.36%; O 26.64%

**Biological Source:** Isol. from stem bark of *Tabebuia cassinoides*

**Biological Use/Importance:** Shows cytotoxic activity, antibacterial and antifungal properties

**Physical Description:** Orange needles (MeOH)

**Melting Point:** Mp 227-228° (224-225°)

>>Derivative: 1'-Alcohol

**Synonym(s):** 2-(1-Hydroxyethyl)naphtho[2,3-*b*]furan-4,9-dione, 9CI

**CAS Registry Number:** 92487-49-5

**Molecular Formula:** C<sub>14</sub>H<sub>10</sub>O<sub>4</sub>

**Molecular Weight:** 242.231

**Accurate Mass:** 242.05791

**Percentage Composition:** C 69.42%; H 4.16%; O 26.42%

**Biological Source:** Isol. from stem bark of *Tabebuia cassinoides* and heartwood of *Paratecoma peroba*

**Physical Description:** Yellow needles

**Melting Point:** Mp 140-142°

**Solubility:** BERDY SOL: Sol. CHCl<sub>3</sub>, MeOH; poorly sol. hexane

**UV:** [neutral] λ<sub>max</sub> 250 (); 340 () (EtOH) (Berdy)

**Other Data:** Racemic

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