# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## PtdIns-(4,5)-P<sub>2</sub> (1,2-dipalmitoyl) (sodium salt)

Item No. 10008115

CAS Registry No.: 1628353-01-4

Formal Name: 1-(1,2-dihexadecanoylphosphatidyl)

inositol-4,5-bisphosphate, trisodium salt

Synonyms: DPPI-4,5-P<sub>2</sub>, Phosphatidylinositol-4,5-diphosphate

C-16, PI(4,5)P<sub>2</sub> (16:0/16:0), PIP2[4',5'](16:0/16:0)

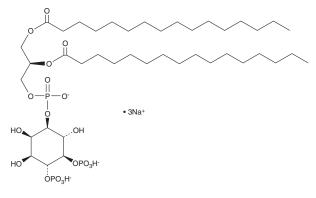
MF: C<sub>41</sub>H<sub>78</sub>O<sub>19</sub>P<sub>3</sub> • 3Na

FW: 1036.9 **Purity:** ≥98%

Supplied as: A lyophilized powder

Storage: -20°C Stability: ≥5 years

Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.



### **Laboratory Procedures**

PtdIns-(4,5)-P<sub>2</sub> (1,2-dipalmitoyl) (sodium salt) is supplied as a lyophilized powder. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the PtdIns-(4,5)- $P_2$  (1,2-dipalmitoyl) (sodium salt) in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Ptdlns-(4,5)-P2 (1,2-dipalmitoyl) (sodium salt) is soluble in organic solvents such as chloroform and chloroform:methanol:water (3:3:1). It is also soluble in water. The solubility of PtdIns-(4,5)-P<sub>2</sub> (1,2-dipalmitoyl) (sodium salt) in chloroform and chloroform:methanol:water (3:3:1) is approximately 0.1 and 1 mg/ml, respectively and approximately 10 mg/ml in water. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

#### Description

The phosphatidylinositol (PtdIns) phosphates represent a small percentage of total membrane phospholipids. However, they play a critical role in the generation and transmission of cellular signals. 1.2 PtdIns PtdIns-(4,5)-P<sub>2</sub> (1,2-dipalmitoyl) is a synthetic analog of natural phosphatidylinositol (PtdIns) containing C<sub>16</sub>:0 fatty acids at the sn-1 and sn-2 positions. The compound features the same inositol and diacylglycerol (DAG) stereochemistry as the natural compound. The natural compound is the product of PtdIns-4-phosphate 5-kinase acting on PtdIns-(4)-P1. Hydrolysis of PtdIns-(4,5)-P2 by phosphoinositide (PI)-specific phospholipase C generates inositol triphosphate (IP3) and DAG which are key second messengers in an intricate biochemical signal transduction cascade.

#### References

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WARNING
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