PRODUCT INFORMATION



Maleimidoacetic Acid N-hydroxysuccinimide ester

Item No. 17160

CAS Registry No.: 55750-61-3

Formal Name: 2,5-dihydro-2,5-dioxo-1H-pyrrole-1-acetic acid,

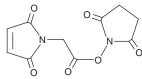
2,5-dioxo-1-pyrrolidinyl ester

Synonym: MF: $C_{10}H_8N_2O_6$ FW: 252.2 ≥95% **Purity:**

 λ_{max} : 217, 223 nm UV/Vis.: Supplied as: A crystalline solid

Storage: -20°C Stability: ≥4 years

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



Laboratory Procedures

Maleimidoacetic acid N-hydroxysuccinimide ester is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the maleimidoacetic acid N-hydroxysuccinimide ester in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Maleimidoacetic acid N-hydroxysuccinimide ester is soluble in organic solvents such as DMSO and dimethyl formamide. The solubility of maleimidoacetic acid N-hydroxysuccinimide ester in these solvents is approximately 30 mg/ml.

Maleimidoacetic acid N-hydroxysuccinimide ester is sparingly soluble in aqueous buffers. For maximum solubility in aqueous buffers, maleimidoacetic acid N-hydroxysuccinimide ester should first be dissolved in DMSO and then diluted with the aqueous buffer of choice. Maleimidoacetic acid N-hydroxysuccinimide ester has a solubility of approximately 0.5 mg/ml in a 1:1 solution of DMSO:PBS (pH 7.2) using this method. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

Description

Maleimidoacetic acid N-hydroxysuccinimide ester is a crosslinking reagent that contains NHS ester- and maleimide-reactive groups at the opposite ends of a 4.4 Å spacer arm. This configuration allows for sequential, two-stage conjugation with amine and sulfhydryl functional groups in the preparation of protein-hapten or protein-protein conjugates. 1,2

References

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WARNING
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