# **PRODUCT INFORMATION**



# (PEO)3-monoamine

Item No. 30426

CAS Registry No.: 6338-55-2

Formal Name: 2-[2-(2-aminoethoxy)ethoxy]-

ethanol

Synonyms: NSC 40760, T<sub>3</sub>EGMA,

Triethylene glycol monoamine,

**Triglycolamine** 

MF:  $C_6H_{15}NO_3$ 149.2 FW: **Purity:** ≥98% Supplied as: A liquid -20°C Storage: Stability: ≥2 years

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

## **Laboratory Procedures**

(PEO)3-monoamine is supplied as a liquid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the (PEO)3-monoamine in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. (PEO)3-monoamine is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide. The solubility of (PEO)3-monoamine in these solvents is approximately 15, 10, and 30 mg/ml, respectively.

Further dilutions of the stock solution into aqueous buffers or isotonic saline should be made prior to performing biological experiments. Ensure that the residual amount of organic solvent is insignificant, since organic solvents may have physiological effects at low concentrations. Organic solvent-free aqueous solutions of (PEO)3-monoamine can be prepared by directly dissolving the liquid in aqueous buffers. The solubility of (PEO)3-monoamine in PBS, pH 7.2, is approximately 10 mg/ml. We do not recommend storing the agueous solution for more than one day.

#### Description

(PEO)3-monoamine is a poly(ethylene oxide) (PEO) blocking reagent that prevents nonspecific adsorption of analytes in applications using covalent protein coupling such as ELISA. It reduces the adsorption of IgG when coated on carboxylic-terminated surfaces.

#### Reference

1. Frederix, F., Bonroy, K., Reekmans, G., et al. Reduced nonspecific adsorption on covalently immobilized protein surfaces using poly(ethylene oxide) containing blocking agents. J. Biochem. Biophys. Methods 58(1), 67-74 (2004).

WARNING
THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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