# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## PAz-PC

Item No. 62924

CAS Registry No.: 117746-89-1

Formal Name: 1-O-hexadecanoyl-2-O-(9-

carboxyoctanoyl)-sn-glyceryl-3-

phosphocholine

Synonyms: Azelaoyl PC,

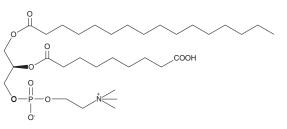
1-Palmitoyl-2-Azelaoyl PC

MF:  $C_{33}H_{64}NO_{10}P$ FW: 665.8 **Purity:** ≥98%

Supplied as: A solution in ethanol

-20°C Storage: Stability: ≥2 years

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



### **Laboratory Procedures**

PAz-PC is supplied as a solution in ethanol. To change the solvent, simply evaporate the ethanol under a gentle stream of nitrogen and immediately add the solvent of choice. Solvents such as DMSO and dimethyl formamide purged with an inert gas can be used. The solubility of PAz-PC in these solvents is approximately 5 and 1 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. If an organic solvent-free solution of PAz-PC is needed, it can be prepared by evaporating the ethanol and directly dissolving the neat oil in aqueous buffers. The solubility of PAz-PC in PBS, pH 7.2, is approximately 5 mg/ml. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

### Description

Oxidized low-density lipoprotein (oxLDL) particles contain low molecular weight species which are cytotoxic and pro-atherogenic. 1 Many of these substances were isolated and purified from oxLDL and identified as phosphatidylcholine species containing a fragmented, oxidized short-chain fatty acid remnant at the sn-2 position.<sup>2</sup> PAz-PC is one of the predominant oxLDL species and may be one of the important structural determinants of oxLDL.3

#### References

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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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