# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## N<sup>1</sup>-Acetylspermidine (hydrochloride)

Item No. 9001535

CAS Registry No.: 34450-16-3

Formal Name: N-[3-[(4-aminobutyl)

amino|propyl]-acetamide,

dihydrochloride

Synonym: N<sup>1</sup>-AcSPD

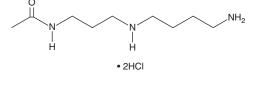
MF: C<sub>9</sub>H<sub>21</sub>N<sub>3</sub>O • 2HCI

FW: 260.2 **Purity:** ≥98%

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**

N<sup>1</sup>-Acetylspermidine (hydrochloride) is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the N<sup>1</sup>-acetylspermidine (hydrochloride) in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. N<sup>1</sup>-Acetylspermidine (hydrochloride) is soluble in the organic solvent DMSO at a concentration of approximately 0.1 mg/ml.

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 N<sup>1</sup>-acetylspermidine (hydrochloride) can be prepared by directly dissolving the crystalline solid in aqueous buffers. The solubility of N<sup>1</sup>-acetylspermidine (hydrochloride) in PBS (pH 7.2) is approximately 10 mg/ml. We do not recommend storing the aqueous solution for more than one day.

#### Description

N<sup>1</sup>-Acetylspermidine is an acetyl derivative of spermidine (Item No. 14918) that acts as a substrate for polyamine oxidase (PAO).<sup>1</sup> In peroxisomes, PAO oxidizes N<sup>1</sup>-acetylspermidine to 3-acetamidopropanal and putrescine, a positively charged polyamine that binds DNA and is involved in various cellular processes including cell division, differentiation, and membrane function.<sup>1-4</sup> N<sup>1</sup>-Acetylspermidine has been used to examine the interaction between DNA and polyamines during the cleavage of phosphodiester bonds at apurinic/apyrimidinic sites in DNA.5

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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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