



Tryptophan [BSA] (DAG299S)

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PRODUCT INFORMATION

Antigen Description	Tryptophan, covalently linked to bovine serum albumin
Species	N/A
Purity	chromatography, dialysis
Conjugate	BSA
Applications	e.g. allergy test, immunoassays etc.
Molecular Weight	app. 65 kDa
Format	Liquid
Concentration	1 mg/mL, conjugation ratio is app. 1:10 - 1:40.
Size	1 mg
Buffer	PBS
Preservative	0.05% sodium azide
Storage	Store at 4°C.

BACKGROUND

Introduction

Tryptophan is one of the 20 standard amino acids, as well as an essential amino acid in the human diet. It is encoded in the standard genetic code as the codon UGG. The slight mispronunciation "tWiptophan" can be used as a mnemonic for its single letter IUPAC code W. Only the L-stereoisomer of tryptophan is used in structural or enzyme proteins, but the D-stereoisomer is occasionally found in naturally produced peptides (for example, the marine venom peptide contryphan). The distinguishing structural characteristic of tryptophan is that it

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contains an indole functional group. It is an essential amino acid as demonstrated by its growth effects on rats.

Keywords

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