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Product Datasheet

GK0306 - Uracil

Product Details

Product Name Uracil
Glentham Code GK0306
CAS Number 66-22-8
EINECS 200-621-9
MDL Number MFCD00006016

PubChem SID 310281579

Related Categories Biochemicals, Nucleosides & Nucleotides, Raw Materials

(IVD)

Structure

 $\begin{array}{lll} \mbox{Molecular Weight} & : & 112.09 \\ \mbox{Molecular Formula} & : & \mbox{C}_4\mbox{H}_4\mbox{N}_2\mbox{O}_2 \end{array}$

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Storage

Recommended storage temperature: +20°C.

Hazards and Transport

Not classified as hazardous under CLP. Not classified as dangerous for transport.

Glentham Product Specification

Physical : White to off-white powder Description

Solubility (5% in : Clear to very faintly turbid, 1M NaOH) : Clear to very faintly turbid, colourless to very faint yellow

solution

Residue on : ≤ 0.1% Ignition

Heavy Metals : ≤ 20ppm

Assay : ≥ 99.0% (anhydrous basis)

Version : v1.1

About Uracil

Uracil is a pyrimidine nucleotide that replaces thymine in the process of transcribing DNA into RNA. Besides this fundamental function, Uracil is also known for its use in the anticancer drug 5-fluorouracil: when combined with fluorine, uracil can block RNA synthesis in cancerous cells. Within a lab setting, Uracil is also used as a void marker in reverse-phase HPLC columns.

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