

## n-Dodecyl-beta-maltoside for crystallography

Catalog No: 56366 Lot No: XXXXX Cas No: 69227-93-6 Formula: C24H46O11 MW: 510.63 Supplied as: solid

Stability: store at -20°C, avoid humidity!

## **Background**

Alkyl Maltosides are a class of detergents composed of a hydrophilic maltose and a hydrophobic alkyl chain. Variation in the alkyl chain confers a range of detergent properties including CMC and solubility. Maltosides are most often used for the solubilization and purification of membrane proteins.

**Tests Specifications** 

Appearance: white crystal powder

+48°±1°  $[\alpha]_D(c1; H_2O; 22^{\circ}\pm 2^{\circ}C)$ :

M.p. thermal transition: 103.0°C±0.5°C (smectic A)

246°C (isotropic)

**Purity:** >99.5%

**Contaminants** 

n-Dodecanol: <0.002% (HPLC) n-Dodecyl-α-Maltoside: <0.003% (HPLC, TLC)

Solubility

10% solution in water: clear, colourless 10% solution in ethanol: clear, colourless

pH (1% in solution): 5.5 - 6.5

Conductance:  $6.5 \pm 1 \mu \text{S/cm}$  (10% aq.solution)

Fluorescence: 0.01% BSA / Detergent 0.1%

Excitation wavelength: 280nm

Emission wavelength: 345 nm

% due to detergent:  $1.0\% \pm 0.3\%$ 

Absorbance: Solvent: H<sub>2</sub>O / Detergent

concentration: 1%

340nm: < 0.02 280nm: < 0.03 260nm: < 0.04 240nm: < 0.10

## Usage

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