

Certificate of Analysis

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Product Name: Spermine tetrahydrochloride

Catalog No.: 0958

Batch No.: 5

CAS Number: 306-67-2

EC Number: 206-189-8

IUPAC Name: *N,N'*-Bis(3-aminopropyl)-1,4-butanediamine tetrahydrochloride

1. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Batch Molecular Formula: C₁₀H₂₆N₄.4HCl.

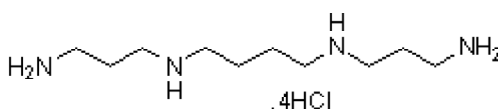
Batch Molecular Weight: 348.19

Physical Appearance: White solid

Solubility: water to 100 mM

Storage: Desiccate at +4°C

Batch Molecular Structure:



2. ANALYTICAL DATA

¹H NMR: Consistent with structure

Mass Spectrum: Consistent with structure

Microanalysis:

	Carbon	Hydrogen	Nitrogen	Chlorine
Theoretical	34.5	8.69	16.09	40.73
Found	34.88	8.74	15.92	39.22

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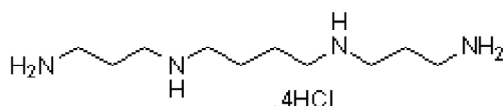
IUPAC Name: *N,N'*-Bis(3-aminopropyl)-1,4-butanediamine tetrahydrochloride**Description:**

Spermine tetrahydrochloride is a polyamine which produces a variety of modulatory effects on the NMDA receptor channel, acting through a specific site on the complex which can cause both agonist and antagonist effects.

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Stability and Solubility Advice:

Some solutions can be difficult to obtain and can be encouraged by rapid stirring, sonication or gentle warming (in a 45-60°C water bath).

Information concerning product stability, particularly in solution, has rarely been reported and in most cases we can only offer a general guide. *Unless contradicted by product-specific protocols or instructions, our standard recommendations apply:

SOLIDS: Provided storage is as stated on the product label and the vial is kept tightly sealed, the product can be stored for up to 6 months from date of receipt.

SOLUTIONS: We recommend that stock solutions, once prepared, are stored aliquoted in tightly sealed vials at -20°C or below and used within 1 month. Wherever possible solutions should be made up and used on the same day.

References:

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