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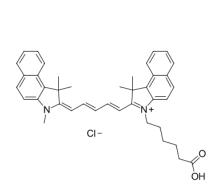
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Cyanine 5.5 carboxylic acid

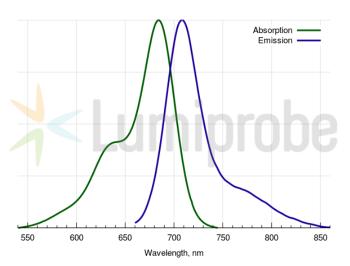
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Cyanine 5.5 dye, free acid form, unactivated. The dye can be considered non-reactive for most applications. It can be used as a control or reference sample, and for instrument calibration.

Pre-activated NHS ester for the labeling of amine groups is also available.



Structure of Cy5.5 free carboxylic acid



Cy5.5 absorbance and emission spectra

General properties

Appearance: dark blue powder

Molecular weight: 619.23

CAS number: 1449661-34-0 (without anion), 1449612-07-0 (inner salt)

Molecular formula: $C_{40}H_{43}CIN_2O_2$

IUPAC name: 1H-Benz[e]indolium, 2-[5-[3-(5-carboxypentyl)-1,3-dihydro-1,1-dimethyl-2H-benz[e]

indol-2-ylidene]-1,3-pentadien-1-yl]-1,1,3-trimethyl-

Solubility: soluble in organic solvents (DMSO, DMF, dichloromethane), practically insoluble in

water (< 1 uM, < 1 mg/L)

Quality control: NMR ¹H, HPLC-MS (95%)

Storage conditions: Storage: 24 months after receival at -20°C in the dark. Transportation: at room

temperature for up to 3 weeks. Avoid prolonged exposure to light. Desiccate.

Spectral properties

Excitation/absorption maximum, nm: 684 ϵ , $L \cdot mol^{-1} \cdot cm^{-1}$: 198000 Emission maximum, nm: 710 Fluorescence quantum yield: 0.2 CF_{260} : 0.07 CF_{280} : 0.03

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