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PRODUCT AND SAFETY DATA SHEET

PRODUCT NAME: 7-AAD (7-aminoactinomycin D)

CATALOG # 40037

MOLECULAR $C_{62}H_{87}N_{13}O_{16}$ **INFORMATION:** MWt: 1270.45

PROPERTIES:

Color & FormOrange red solidPurity $\geq 95\%$ by TLC

Solubility Soluble in DMSO or DMF **Absorption/Emission** 546/647nm (DNA)

Absorption/Emission Extinction

Coefficient

STORAGE AND

HANDLING:

Store at -20°C, protect from light.

APPLICATION: 7-AAD is a fluorescent DNA intercalator, which upon binding to dsDNA can be

excited by the argon-ion laser and emits at 647 nm. ¹⁻³ 7-AAD binds selectively to GC regions of DNA, which makes the dye useful for chromosome banding studies. ⁴

Ref.: 1) Exp. Parasitol. 97, 141 (2001); 2) Br. J. Haematol. 104, 530(1990); 3) Cytometry 12, 221(1991); 4) Chromosoma 68, 287(1978).

TOXICITY: Unknown

FIRST AID:

Potentially harmful. Avoid prolonged or repeated exposure. Avoid getting in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. If eye or skin contact occurs, wash affected areas with plenty of water for 15 minutes and seek medical advice. In case of inhaling or swallowing, move individual to fresh air and seek medical advice immediately.

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