

Coenzyme A, free acid

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Introduction

Description Coenzyme A (CoA, CoASH, or HSCoA) is a coenzyme, notable for its role in the synthesis and oxidation of fatty acids, and the oxidation of pyruvate in the citric acid cycle. All genomes sequenced to date encode enzymes that use coenzyme A as a substrate, and around 4% of cellular enzymes use it (or a thioester, such as acetyl-CoA) as a substrate. In humans, CoA biosynthesis requires cysteine, pantothenate, and adenosine triphosphate (ATP).

Synonyms Coenzyme A; CoA; Coenzyme A, free acid; 85-61-0; CoASH; HSCoA

Product Information

CAS No. 85-61-0

Molecular Weight 767.53 (as anhydrous free acid) 803.56 (CoA.2H₂O)

Purity > 75% when determined by enzymatic analysis with phosphotransacetylase at pH 7.5

Structure C₂₁H₃₆N₇O₁₆P₃S

Specificity Water content: < 8% by Karl Fischer

Storage and Shipping Information

Storage Keep tightly stoppered in the dark below 5°C. For Prolonged storage, keep below -20°C.