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Biotin-16-dUTP, Lyophilized Powder

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- Lyophilized solid suitable for long term storage; contains lyophilized TE buffer
- Store at -20 °C
- $C_{32}H_{48}N_7O_{18}P_3S\ Li_4$
- MW: 971.5
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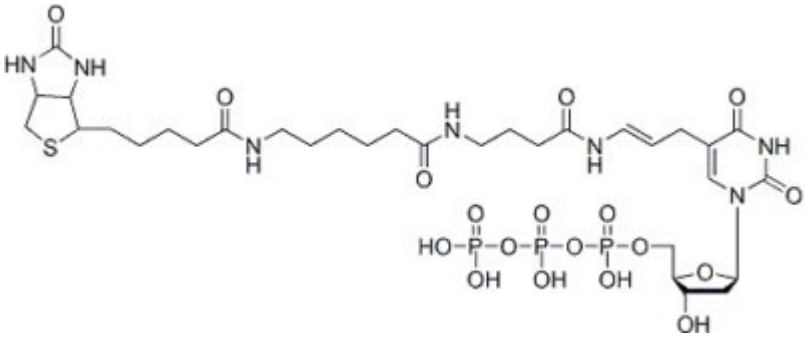
Biotin-16-dUTP is also available as a 1 mM solution in pH 7.5 Tris-HCl buffer (catalog no. 40022).



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