# **PRODUCT** INFORMATION

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## Calcein Blue

Item No. 20636

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CAS Registry No.: Formal Name:		но
Formal Name:	N-(carboxymethyl)-N-[(7-hydroxy-4-methyl-2-	N
	oxo-2H-1-benzopyran-8-yl)methyl]-glycine	<pre></pre>
MF:	$C_{15}H_{15}NO_7$	
FW:	321.3	HO O O
Purity:	≥90%	$\gamma \sim \gamma \sim \gamma^{-1}$
UV/Vis.:	λ <sub>max</sub> : 322 nm	
Supplied as:	A solid	
Storage:	-20°C	
Stability:	≥4 years	
Special Conditions: Light sensitive		
Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.		

#### Laboratory Procedures

Calcein Blue is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the Calcein Blue in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Calcein Blue is soluble in DMSO.

### Description

Calcein Blue is a membrane-impermeant fluorescent dye. It is a blue-emitting variant of the green fluorophore Calcein (Item No. 16221), which has been entrapped in liposomes and similar vesicles for studying membrane characteristics.<sup>1,2</sup> Calcein Blue displays excitation/emission maxima of 360/445 nm.

#### References

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WARNING THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

#### SAFETY DATA

This material should be considered hazardous until further information becomes available. Do not ingest, inhale, get in eyes, on skin, or on clothing. Wash thoroughly after handling. Before use, the user must review the complete Safety Data Sheet, which has been sent via email to your institution.

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