# PRODUCT INFORMATION



C16 Ceramide (d16:1/16:0)

Item No. 24426

CAS Registry No.: 123065-37-2

Formal Name: N-[(1S,2R,3E)-2-hydroxy-1-(hydroxymethyl)-

3-pentadecen-1-yl]-hexadecanamide

Synonyms: Cer(d16:1/16:0), Ceramide (d16:1/16:0),

N-hexadecanoyl-D-erythro-Sphingosine C16

MF:  $C_{32}H_{63}NO_3$ FW: 509.9 **Purity:** ≥98% Supplied as: A solid Storage: -20°C Stability: ≥4 years

Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.

### **Laboratory Procedures**

C16 Ceramide (d16:1/16:0) is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the C16 ceramide (d16:1/16:0) in the solvent of choice. C16 Ceramide (d16:1/16:0) is soluble in ethanol (warm), methanol (warm), and chloroform.

### Description

C16 Ceramide (d16:1/16:0) is a bioactive sphingolipid that induces ordered- and gel-phase formation and thermal stabilization of palmitoylsphingomyelin-rich domains in palmitoylphosphocholine (POPC) bilayers. <sup>1</sup> It has been found as a component of sphingomyelins (Item Nos. 22674 | 24345) in human erythrocytes.<sup>2</sup>

### References

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

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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