PRODUCT INFORMATION



3-hydroxy Octanoic Acid

Item No. 24609

CAS Registry No.: 14292-27-4

Formal Name: 3-hydroxy-octanoic acid

Synonyms: 3-hydroxy Caprylic Acid, FA 8:0;O,

β-hydroxy Octanoic Acid

MF: $C_8H_{16}O_3$ 160.2 FW: **Purity:** ≥98%

Supplied as: A crystalline 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

3-hydroxy Octanoic acid is supplied as a liquid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the 3-hydroxy octanoic acid in the solvent of choice. 3-hydroxy Octanoic acid is soluble in chloroform, methanol, and ethanol.

Description

3-hydroxy Octanoic acid is a hydroxylated fatty acid that has been found in LPS from P. aeruginosa and the methyl-branched poly(3-hydroxyalkanoate) (PHA) polymers produced by P. oleovorans. 1,2 It is an agonist of the orphan receptor GPR109B, increasing intracellular calcium in human neutrophils which endogenously express GPR109B.3 3-hydroxy Octanoic acid prevents lipolysis of human adipocytes and is upregulated in human plasma in response to a ketogenic diet. Plasma levels of 3-hydroxy octanoic acid also increase 3.41-fold in human male runners following a treadmill run to exhaustion as well as in a mouse model of autism spectrum disorder (ASD) fed a high-glycemic diet.^{4,5}

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WARNING
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