# **PRODUCT** INFORMATION



## **D-Homoserine lactone**

Item No. 31695

CAS Registry No.:	51744-82-2
Formal Name:	3R-aminodihydro-2(3H)-furanone
Synonym:	D-HSL
MF:	$C_4H_7NO_2$
FW:	
Purity:	≥95%
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

D-Homoserine lactone is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the D-homoserine lactone in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. D-Homoserine lactone is soluble in the organic solvent DMSO. While D-homoserine lactone is also soluble in ethanol and other primary alcohols, their use is not recommended as they have been shown to open the lactone ring.

### Description

D-homoserine lactone is an enantiomer of L-homoserine lactone (Item No. 31492) and an inhibitor of serine hydroxymethyltransferase (SHMT;  $K_i = 11 \text{ mM}$  for the rabbit enzyme).<sup>1</sup>

#### Reference

1. Wang, E.A., Kallen, R., and Walsh, C. Mechanism-based inactivation of serine transhydroxymethylases by D-fluoroalanine and related amino acids. J. Biol. Chem. 256(13), 6917-6926 (1981).

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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