# PRODUCT INFORMATION



# 7-(p-Methoxybenzylamino)-4-nitrobenz-2,1,3-oxadiazole

Item No. 39668

CAS Registry No.: 33984-50-8

N-[(4-methoxyphenyl)methyl]-7-Formal Name:

nitro-2,1,3-benzoxadiazol-4-amine

Synonyms: NSC 240872, MBD

MF:  $C_{14}H_{12}N_4O_4$ 

300.3 FW: **Purity:** ≥98% Ex./Em. Max: 430/530 nm

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**

7-(p-Methoxybenzylamino)-4-nitrobenz-2,1,3-oxadiazole (MBD) is supplied as a solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the MBD in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. MBD is soluble in methanol and DMSO.

### Description

MBD is a fluorescent probe for hydrophobic regions of proteins. 1,2 Upon binding to a hydrophobic region of a protein, MBD displays an emission of 530 nm upon excitation at 430 nm.<sup>1</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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