

DOTMA

Catalog number: N-1381

Molecular Formula: C₄₂H₈₄NO₂Cl

MW: 670.57

CAS#: 104872-42-6

Alternate Name: 1,2-*di*-O-octadecenyl-3-trimethylammonium propane (chloride salt); 2,3-Bis{[(Z)-octadec-9-enoyl]oxy}propyl-trimethylazanium chloride.

Solubility: Methanol, ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide.

Storage and Handling: Dotma is stable for at least one year when stored as a solid, protected from moisture, and light at -20°C. Solutions of Dotma should be stored at -20°C between uses.

Background: Dotma forms stable cationic liposomes in solution and can be used in the cell transfection of DNA, RNA, oligonucleotides, anionic proteins, and small peptides. Dotma increased by at least 1000-fold the activity of an antisense oligonucleotide (ISIS 1570) in human umbilical vein endothelial cells.

References: 1) Hou X. et al (2021). "Lipid nanoparticles for mRNA delivery". Nat Rev Mater 6, 1078–1094. https://doi.org/10.1038/s41578-021-00358-0. 2) Bennett C.F. et al. (1992) "Cationic lipids enhance cellular uptake and activity of phosphorothioate antisense oligonucleotides." 41 (6) 1023-1033.

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