

5-OG488 acid [equivalent to Oregon Green® 488 carboxylic acid, 5-isomer]

Catalog number: 708 Unit size: 25 mg

Product Details

Storage Conditions Freeze (<-15 °C), Minimize light exposure

Expiration Date 12 months upon receiving

Chemical Properties

Appearance Orange-red solid

Molecular Weight 412.30

Soluble In DMSO

Chemical Structure HO. \wedge .O.

Spectral Properties

Excitation Wavelength 498 nm

Emission Wavelength 526 nm

Applications

5-OG488 acid is the same molecule to Oregon Green® 488 carboxylic acid, 5-isomer (Oregon Green® is the Trademark of Invitrogen). This fluorinated analog of fluorescein has higher photostability and a lower pKa $^{\sim}$ 4.7 while 5-FAM has pKa $^{\sim}$ 6.4. The decreased pKa of 5-OG488 makes its fluorescence essentially pH insensitive in the physiological pH range. This amine-reactive 5-OG488 can be used to make bright green fluorescent bioconjugates with excitation/emission maxima $^{\sim}$ 496/524 nm. It is an excellent replacement to 5-FITC that has severe pH dependence and low photostability.