

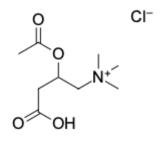
## (C2) Acetylcarnitine

## http://www.lumiprobe.com/p/acetylcarnitine

Acetylcarnitine is an ester of the amino acid carnitine with an acetyl group, the first representative of short-chain acylcarnitines.

The product is used primarily as a control for MS/MS.

Acetyl-L-carnitine, like other carnitines, is involved in the transport of fatty acids into mitochondria for  $\beta$ -oxidation and energy production. Acetylcarnitine easily penetrates the blood-brain barrier (BBB) and has an effect on the central nervous system (CNS), is used as a neuroprotector, a neurotrophic drug, and has a cholinomimetic effect. It is also a key molecule in the study of aging and related metabolic processes, due to its involvement in lipid metabolism and the production of acetyl-CoA, a central metabolite in many biosynthetic and energy pathways.



Structure of (C2) Acetylcarnitine

## **General properties**

Appearance:	white solid
Molecular weight:	239.70
CAS number:	14992-62-2 (inner salt); 5080-50-2 (hydrochloride)
Molecular formula:	C <sub>9</sub> H <sub>18</sub> CINO <sub>4</sub>
Solubility:	DMF, DMSO, ethanol
Quality control:	NMR <sup>1</sup> H and HPLC-MS (95+%)
Storage conditions:	24 months after receival at -20°C in the dark. Transportation: at room temperature for up to 3 weeks. Desiccate.
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