

## 5-FAM

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FAM can be incorporated into liposomes, and allow for the tracking of liposomes.

### Product Information

**Product name** 5-FAM

### Specification

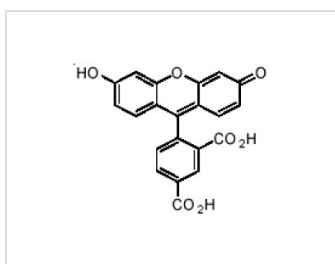


Fig. 5-FAM structure formula

### Product Properties

<b>Storage instructions</b>	Store at +4°C. The product can be stored for up to 12 months. Protect from light.
<b>Shipping</b>	Gel pack with blue ice.
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### Additional Information

<b>Background</b>	The single isomer, 5-FAM, contains a carboxylic acid that can be used to react with primary amines via carbodiimide activation of the carboxylic acid. Fluorescein is the most common fluorescent derivatization reagent for labeling biomolecules. In addition to its relatively high absorptivity, excellent fluorescence quantum yield, and good water solubility, fluorescein has an excitation maximum that closely matches the 488 nm spectral line of the argon-ion laser.
<b>Alternative names</b>	5-Carboxyfluorescein

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