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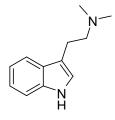


# CERTIFIED REFERENCE MATERIAL CERTIFICATE OF ANALYSIS

## NMIA D674b: N, N-Dimethyltryptamine

Report ID: D674b.2020.03 Chemical Formula: C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>16</sub>N<sub>2</sub>

Molecular Weight: 188.3 g/mol



### **Certified value**

Batch No.	CAS No.	Purity (mass fraction)
11-D-23	61-50-7	99.2 ± 0.7%

The uncertainty has been calculated according to ISO Guide 35 and is stated at the 95% confidence limit (k = 2).

IUPAC name: 2-(1H-Indol-3-yl)-N,N-dimethylethanamine

**Expiration of certification:** The property values are valid till 23 July 2030, i.e. ten years from the date of re-certification provided the **unopened** material is handled and stored in accordance with the recommendations below. The material as issued in the unopened container and stored as recommended below should be suitable for use beyond this date, subject to confirmation of batch stability from the issuing body. The expiry date/shelf life does not apply to sample bottles that have been opened. In such cases, it is recommended that the end-user conduct their own in-house stability trials.

**Description:** Off-white powder sourced from an external supplier, and certified for identity and purity by NMIA. Packaged in amber glass bottles with a septum and crimped aluminium cap or screw top cap.

Intended use: This certified reference material is suitable for use as a primary calibrator.

Instructions for use: Equilibrate the bottled material to room temperature before opening.

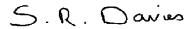
**Recommended storage:** When not in use this material should be stored at or below 25 °C in a closed container in a dry, dark area.

**Metrological traceability:** The certified purity value is traceable to the SI unit for mass (kg) through Australian national standards via balance calibration. In the mass balance approach all impurities are quantified as a mass fraction and subtracted from 100%.

**Stability:** This material has demonstrated stability over a minimum period of three years. The measurement uncertainty at the 95% coverage interval includes a stability component which has been estimated from annual stability trials. The long-term stability of the compound in solution has not been examined.

**Homogeneity assessment:** The homogeneity of the material was assessed using purity assay by GC-FID on ten randomly selected 1-2 mg sub samples of the material. The material was judged to be homogeneous at this level of sampling as the variation in analysis results between samples was not significantly different at a 95% confidence level from that observed on repeat analysis of the same sample.

**Safety:** Treat as hazardous substance. Use appropriate work practices when handling to avoid skin or eye contact, ingestion or inhalation of dust. Refer to the provided safety data sheet.



Dr Stephen R. Davies, Team Leader, Chemical Reference Materials, NMI. 14 September 2022

This report supersedes any issued prior to 14 September 2022.

NATA Accreditation No. 198 / Corporate Site No. 14214.

Legal notice: Terms and Conditions associated with the provision of this reference material can be found on the NMIA website.

#### **Characterisation Report:**

The identity was confirmed by a range of spectroscopic techniques, NMR, IR and MS. The certified purity value was obtained by mass balance from a combination of traditional analytical techniques, including GC-FID, thermogravimetric analysis, Karl Fischer analysis and <sup>1</sup>H NMR spectroscopy. The purity value is calculated as per Equation 1.

Purity =  $(100 \% - I_{ORG}) \times (100 \% - I_{VOL} - I_{NVR})$ 

Equation 1

I<sub>ORG</sub> = Organic impurities of related structure, I<sub>VOL</sub> = volatile impurities, I<sub>NVR</sub> = non-volatile residue

Supporting evidence is provided by qualitative headspace GC-MS analysis of occluded solvents and elemental microanalysis.

GC-FID: Instrument: Agilent 6890

Column: HP-1, 30 m  $\times$  0.32 mm l.D.  $\times$  0.25  $\mu m$ 

Program: 120 °C (1 min), 10 °C/min to 250 °C, 30 °C/min to 300 °C (3 min)

Injector: 250 °C
Detector Temp: 320 °C
Carrier: Helium
Split ratio: 20/1

Relative mass fraction of the main component:

Initial analysis: Mean = 99.5%, s = 0.03% (10 sub samples in duplicate, October 2011) Re analysis: Mean = 99.7%, s = 0.02% (5 sub samples in duplicate, October 2012) Re-analysis: Mean = 99.6%, s = 0.01% (5 sub samples in duplicate, August 2015) Re-analysis: Mean = 99.4%, s = 0.03% (5 sub samples in duplicate, July 2020)

Thermogravimetric analysis: Non-volatile residue < 0.2% mass fraction (October 2011). The volatile content (e.g.

organic solvents and/or water) could not be determined because of the inherent volatility

of the material.

Karl Fischer analysis: Moisture content < 0.3% mass fraction (October 2011, 2012, August 2015 and June

2020)

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#### Spectroscopic and other characterisation data

GC-MS: Instrument: Agilent 6890/5973

Column: TG-1MS, 30 m x 0.25 mm l.D. x 0.25 μm

Program: 90 °C (1 min), 10 °C/min to 180 °C (7 min), 30 °C/min to 300 °C (3 min)

Injector: 250 °C Transfer line temp: 280 °C

Carrier: Helium, 1.0 mL/min

Split ratio: 20/1

The retention time of the parent compound is reported along with the major peaks in the mass spectrum. The latter are reported as mass/charge ratios and (in brackets) as a percentage relative to the base peak.

Parent (13.2 min): 188 (M<sup>+</sup>, 5), 143 (5), 130 (7), 58 (100) m/z

HS-GC-MS: Instrument: Agilent 6890/5973/G1888

Column: DB-624, 30 m x 0.25 mm l.D. x 1.4 μm

Program: 50 °C (5 min), 7 °C/min to 120 °C, 15 °C/min to 220 °C (8.3 min)

Injector: 150 °C Transfer line temp: 280 °C

Carrier: Helium, 1.2 mL/min

Split ratio: 50/1

Solvents detected: Chloroform, hexane

TLC: Conditions: Kieselgel 60F254. Chloroform/methanol/diethylamine (19/1/1)

Single spot observed, Rf =0.7. Visualisation with UV at 254 nm

IR: Instrument: FT-IR, Biorad WIN FTS40

Range: 4000-400 cm<sup>-1</sup>, KBr

Key peaks: 2821, 1625, 1454, 1216, 1178, 750 cm<sup>-1</sup>

<sup>1</sup>H NMR: Instrument: Bruker Avance III-400

Field strength: 400 MHz

Solvent: CDCl<sub>3</sub> (7.26 ppm)

Spectral data: δ 2.36 (6H, s), 2.66 (2H, m), 2.97 (2H, m), 7.00 (1H, bs), 7.12 (1H, m), 7.19 (1H, m),

7.34 (1H, ddd, J = 1.0, 1.0, 8.0 Hz), 7.63 (1H, d, J = 7.8 Hz), 8.21 (1H, s) ppm

Chloroform and hexane estimated at 0.1% and 0.3% mass fraction respectively were

observed in the  $^1H\ NMR\ run$  in DMSO-d<sub>6</sub>

<sup>13</sup>C NMR: Instrument: Bruker DMX-500

Field strength: 126 MHz

Solvent: CDCl<sub>3</sub> (77.0 ppm)

Spectral data: 8 23.6, 45.4, 60.2, 111.1, 114.1, 118.7, 119.1, 121.5, 121.8, 127.4, 136.3 ppm

Melting point: 55-58 °C

Microanalysis: Found: C = 76.7%; H = 8.8%; N = 15.0% (November, 2011)

Calculated: C = 76.6%; H = 8.6%; N = 14.9% (Calculated for  $C_{12}H_{16}N_2$ )