

## DATA SHEET

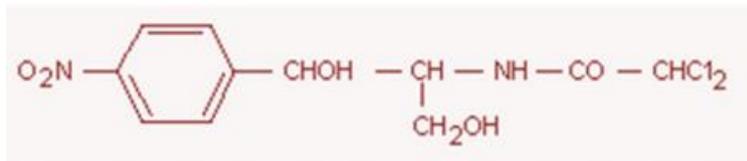
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### 1. Identification

<b>Product name</b>	<b>Chloramphenicol</b>
	25 g
<b>Cat. No</b>	<b>AB003</b>

### 2. Description

Chloramphenicol (D(-)-three-2 - dichloroacetamido - 1 - p - nitro - phenyl-1,3-propanediol) is an antibiotic originally isolated from the soil bacterium *Streptomyces venezuelae*. It has a broad spectrum antibiotic (bacteriostatic) active against a wide variety of gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria, including most anaerobic organisms. Chloramphenicol blocks bacterial protein synthesis by inhibiting the peptidyl transferase activity of the 50S ribosomal subunit (elongation inhibition).



### 3. Specifications

- CAS Number: 56-75-7
- Chemical Formula: C<sub>11</sub>H<sub>12</sub>Cl<sub>2</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub>
- Molecular Weight: 323.13
- Appearance: White or slightly yellow needle crystals or crystalline
- Loss on drying: < 0.5%
- Soluble in water (2.5 g/l) at 25 °C, methanol, ethanol, butanol, ethyl acetate, acetone, DMSO, and propylene glycol (150.8 mg/ml)

### 4. Storage specifications

Store at -20° C

### 5. Applications

- Used in researching protein synthesis.
- Used to select for chloramphenicol-resistant transformed cells or the bacterial CAT gene.
- Used in chloramphenicol acetyl transferase (CAT) assay.

### 6. Further information

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