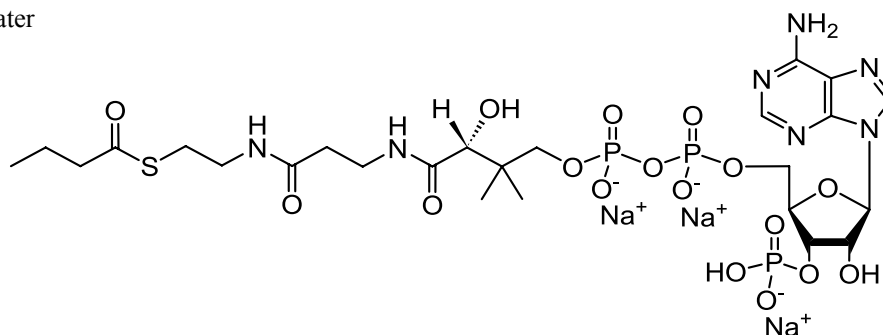


TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

Butyryl Coenzyme A (sodium salt)

Catalog Number	870704	Physical state	Powder
Purity	> 99%	Transition temp.	No data
CAS	799812-79-6	CMC	No data
Synonyms	4:0 Coenzyme A; C4 CoA	pK_a	No data
Molec. Formula	C ₂₅ H ₃₉ N ₇ O ₁₇ P ₃ S	TLC mobile phase	C:M:W*, 10:10:3, v/v Dissolve in: C:M:W*, 80:20:2, v/v
MW	903.569	Exact Mass	903.103
Percent composition	C 33.23% H 4.35% N 10.85% Na 7.63% O 30.10% P 10.28% S 3.55%		
Stability	Store in <-20°C freezer for one year as a powder		
Solubility	Soluble in water; methanol:water; C:M:W*, 80:20:2 to 65:25:4, v/v		
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* chloroform:methanol:water



Description: Many fatty acids are activated to the acyl CoA's, critical for metabolism (Hamilton, 2007). Acyl coenzyme A's are the precursors of sphingolipids, the predominant stored fatty acids. Fatty acyl-coenzyme A's play a role in most fatty acid modification reactions (Leonhardt and Langerhans, 2004; Haynes *et al*, 2008), are a part of nuclear signaling (Schroeder *et al*, 2008), are involved in post-translational protein modification and in gene regulation (Haynes *et al*, 2008; Schroeder *et al*, 2008). Because of these diverse functions, fatty acyl CoA's have been implicated in obesity (Leonhardt and Langerhans, 2004; Schroeder *et al*, 2008), cardiovascular disease, diabetes mellitus, cancer (Schroeder *et al*, 2008) and Reye's syndrome (Kasuya *et al*, 2004). Short chain fatty acyl CoA's have recently been shown as products in bacterial reactions for potential biofuel (Henstra *et al*, 2007).

Product use: A stock solution may be prepared by dissolving the fatty acyl CoA in distilled/deionized water or buffer that has been sparged with nitrogen to remove oxygen (heat and/or sonication may be necessary to dissolve short chain fatty acyl CoA's). Fatty acyl CoA's are soluble in water to $\leq 50\text{mg/mL}$. The aqueous solution should be stored at 2-8°C and used within 1 day. Fatty acyl CoA's are not stable in aqueous solution and will degrade rapidly when stored in water. For long term storage, Avanti recommends that fatty acyl CoA's be stored as a powder at -20°C. The product should be stable in this form for at least 1 year.

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