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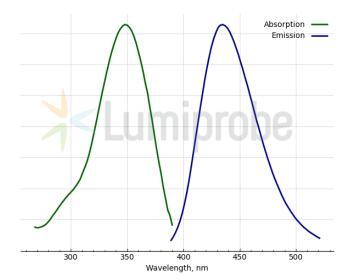
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## **AMCA** carboxylic acid

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AMCA (aminomethylcoumarin acetate) is one of the brightest blue fluorescent dyes. This fluorophore has a relatively large Stoke's shift, high resistance to photobleaching, and pH-independent fluorescence from pH 4 to 10. AMCA is a widely used fluorophore for multiple-color labeling due to its minimal fluorescence overlap with green- and longer wavelength-emitting fluorescent dyes.

AMCA carboxylic acid is a non-reactive form of AMCA dye that can be used as a reference standard in experiments involving AMCA dye conjugates. Besides, the carboxylic group can react with hydrazines, hydroxylamines, and amines using carbodiimides such as EDAC.



H<sub>2</sub>N O O O

Structure of AMCA carboxylic acid

Absorption and emission spectra of AMCA

## **General properties**

Appearance: off-white solid

 $\label{eq:molecular weight: 233.22} \mbox{Molecular formula:} \mbox{$C_{12}$H}_{11}\mbox{NO}_4$ 

Solubility: good in DMSO, DMF

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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or pharmaceutical products, in medical devices or in cosmetic products.

## **Spectral properties**

Excitation/absorption maximum, nm: 348  $\epsilon$ , L·mol<sup>-1</sup>·cm<sup>-1</sup>: 17400 Emission maximum, nm: 435 Fluorescence quantum yield: 0.91  $CF_{260}$ : 0.16  $CF_{280}$ : 0.13