**Product Information** 

# β-Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide 2'-phosphate reduced tetrasodium salt

Vial of 0.30-0.36 mg

#### N9910

## **Product Description**

Synonyms: β-NADPH, Coenzyme II reduced tetrasodium salt, Triphosphopyridine nucleotide reduced tetrasodium salt, NADPH Na4, 2'-NADPH, TPNH2 Na4, Dihydronicotinamide adenine dinucleotide phosphate tetrasodium salt

Molecular Formula: C<sub>21</sub>H<sub>26</sub>N<sub>7</sub>Na<sub>4</sub>O<sub>17</sub>P<sub>3</sub>

Formula Weight: 833.35

 $E^{mM}$  (340nm) = 6.22 (pH >10)

 $A_{260nm} / A_{340nm} = 2.32$ 

#### Structure:

β-Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide 2'-phosphate (β-NADPH) is a product of the pentose phosphate pathway, a multifunctional pathway whose primary purpose is to generate reducing power, in the form of β-NADPH. β-NADPH transfers H<sup>+</sup> and  $2e^-$  to oxidized precursors in the reduction reactions of biosynthesis. Thus, β-NADPH cycles between catabolic and biosynthetic reactions, and serves as the carrier of reducing power in the same way that ATP serves as the carrier of energy.<sup>1</sup>

Enzymes that use  $\beta$ -NADPH as a coenzyme include glutathione reductase, diacetyl reductase, dihydrofolate reductase, glutamic dehydrogenase, p-hydroxybenzoate hydroxylase, NADPH-FMN oxidoreductase, nitrate reductase and thioredoxin reductase.  $\beta$ -NADPH is also involved with cytochrome P450 electron transport systems.<sup>2</sup>

Product N9910 is prepared by the chemical reduction of  $\beta$ -Nicotinamide adenine dinucleotide phosphate. Product N9910 has been cited in the research literature.<sup>3</sup>

#### Precautions and Disclaimer

For R&D use only. Not for drug, household, or other uses. Please consult the Safety Data Sheet for information regarding hazards and safe handling practices.

## Storage/Stability

Product N9910 may be stored at room temperature, desiccated and protected from light. The normal impurities and/or decomposition products are  $\beta$ -NADP and Monophosphoadenosine 5'-diphosphoribose.

It is suggested to prepare  $\beta$ -NADPH solutions fresh and use promptly, unless you are sure that this is an unnecessary precaution for your work. However, it has been reported that a 0.5 mM solution in 0.02 M NaOH (pH 12.3) showed no loss of purity in a week at 4 °C or -85 °C, but a 13% loss at -20 °C.<sup>4</sup> One publication has investigated the solution stability of NADPH.<sup>5</sup>

## **Preparation Instructions**

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Product N9910 is tested for solubility in 0.01 N NaOH with the addition of 3 mL of 0.01 N NaOH to a vial of  $\sim$ 0.3 mg.



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