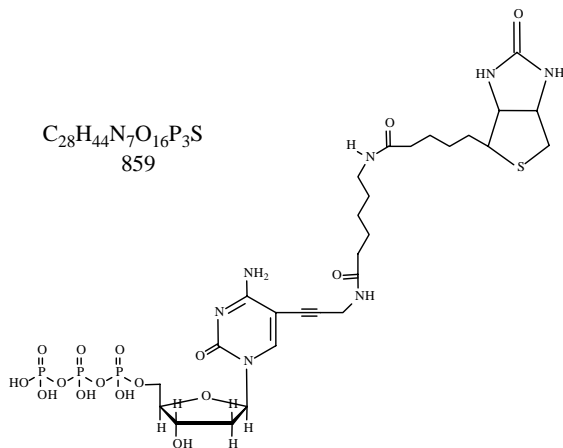


**BIOTIN-11-dCTP**  
**NEL 538/NEL 538A**

**QUANTITY:** 25 nmol  
**FORM:** 25 µL solution  
**CONCENTRATION:** 1.0 mM  
**SOLVENT:** 10 mM Tris-HCl, pH 7.6, 1 mM EDTA  
**ABSORPTION MAXIMUM:** 294 nm  
**EXTINCTION COEFFICIENT:** 9,300 M<sup>-1</sup>cm<sup>-1</sup>  
294 nm (Phosphate buffer, pH 7)

**INTRODUCTION**

Nucleotide analogs<sup>1,2,3</sup> are biologically active with a variety of DNA and/or RNA polymerases. Labeling methods such as: nick translation, random priming, polymerase chain reaction, 3'-end labeling, or transcription of RNA using SP6, T3, or T7 RNA polymerases may be used. Some analogs demonstrate variations in relative performance depending upon nucleotide and label (fluorophore or hapten) selected due to enzyme preferences. Labeled probes may be used in applications including (but not limited to) chromosome mapping. These analogs are intended to be detected either directly by their fluorescence when using a fluorescently labeled analog or indirectly when appropriately labeled antibodies or streptavidin are available. Indirect detection may be either colorimetric, chemi-luminescence, or fluorescence. Signal amplification may be obtained using NEN's patented Tyramide Signal Amplification process (TSA™). **For additional information: call 1-800-762-4000 or visit our WEB site at [http://www.perkinelmer.com/nucleotide\\_analogs](http://www.perkinelmer.com/nucleotide_analogs).**



**QUALITY CONTROL**

The analog is purified by HPLC chromatography. Analytical HPLC is done to ensure initial purity is >95%. UV/VIS absorption spectra are obtained in aqueous phosphate buffer and used to determine concentration. Copies of representative spectra, labeling protocols, and information about TSA™ are available from Technical Service at 1-800-551-2121 or visit our web site: <http://www.perkinelmer.com>.

**STABILITY AND STORAGE CONDITIONS**

Nucleotides labeled with fluorophores should be protected from extended exposure to light. These nucleotide analogs are stable kept in a refrigerator or colder for at least 1 year. Minimizing freeze-thaw cycles and exposure to light are the most critical factors to consider for long term usage.

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