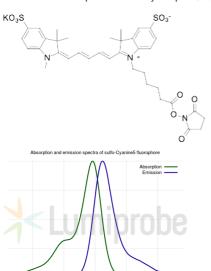
## Sulfo-Cyanine 5 NHS ester

Water soluble Cyanine 5 succinimidyl ester (SE), an equivalent of Cy5<sup>®</sup> NHS ester, for the labeling of various amine-containing molecules in aqueous phase without use of any organic co-solvent. This product is therefore particularly useful for the labeling of proteins which denature in the presence of organic co-solvents, as well as for proteins with low solubility.

Sulfo-Cyanine 5 is an analog of Cy5<sup>®</sup>, one of the most popular fluorophores which is compatible with various equipment such as plate readers, microscopes, and imagers.

This dye is highly hydrophilic and water-soluble. A non-sulfonated analog is also available.

Can be used as a replacement for Cy5<sup>®</sup>, Alexa Fluor 647, DyLight 649 for all applications.





## **General properties**

Appearance: dark blue powder Molecular weight: 777.95 Molecular formula:  $C_{36}H_{40}N_3NaO_{10}S_2$ 

600

Solubility: very good in water, good in DMF and DMSO

Quality control: NMR <sup>1</sup>H, HPLC-MS (95%)

Storage conditions: Storage: 12 months after receival at -20°C in the dark. Transportation: at room temperature for up to 3 weeks.

Avoid prolonged exposure to light. Desiccate.

## Spectral properties

Excitation maximum, nm:	646
ε, L·mol <sup>-1</sup> ·cm <sup>-1</sup> :	271000
Emission maximum, nm:	662
Fluorescence quantum yield:	0.2
CF <sub>260</sub> :	0.13
CF <sub>280</sub> :	0.13