Caution: For Laboratory Use. A product for research purposes only.

## NICOTINE, L-(-)-[N-METHYL-<sup>3</sup>H]-

**Product Number: NET827** 

## **LOT SPECIFIC INFORMATION**

Lot Number: 2046083

Specific Activity: 79.8 Ci/mmol

\_\_\_\_\_2953\_\_\_\_ GBq/mmol

Production Date: 16-Oct-2015

$$C^3H$$

M.W. 162  $C_{10}H_{14}N_2$ 

**PACKAGING:** 1.0 mCi/ml (37 MBq/ml) in ethanol, under argon in a vial which protects the contents from UV light. Shipped in dry ice.

**STABILITY AND STORAGE RECOMMENDATIONS:** The stability of nicotine, L-(-)-[N-methyl-<sup>3</sup>H]- is currently being evaluated. Initial studies indicate that when nicotine, L-(-)-[N-methyl-<sup>3</sup>H]- is stored at -20°C in its original solvent and at its original concentration, the rate of decomposition is initially 3% in 6 months. Stability is nonlinear and not correlated to isotope half-life. Lot to lot variation may occur.

SPECIFIC ACTIVITY RANGE: 60-87 Ci/mmol (2220-3219 GBg/mmol)

**RADIOCHEMICAL PURITY:** This product was initially found to be greater than 97% when determined by the following methods. The rate of decomposition can accelerate. Purity should be checked prior to use:

High pressure liquid chromatography on a Polyhydroxyethyl A column using the following mobile phase:

1% triethylammonium acetate (pH 4.0): acetonitrile, (40:60).

Thin layer chromatography on silica gel using the following solvent systems:

a. chloroform: methanol, (9:1).

b. chloroform: methanol: ammonium hydroxide, (9:1:0.1).

**QUALITY CONTROL:** The radiochemical purity of nicotine, L-(-)-[N-methyl-<sup>3</sup>H]- is checked at appropriate intervals using the first listed chromatography method.

**HAZARD INFORMATION:** WARNING: This product contains a chemical known to the state of California to cause cancer.

