

## Product datasheet

# Thiazolyl blue tetrazolium bromide (MTT), membrane-permeable dye ab146345

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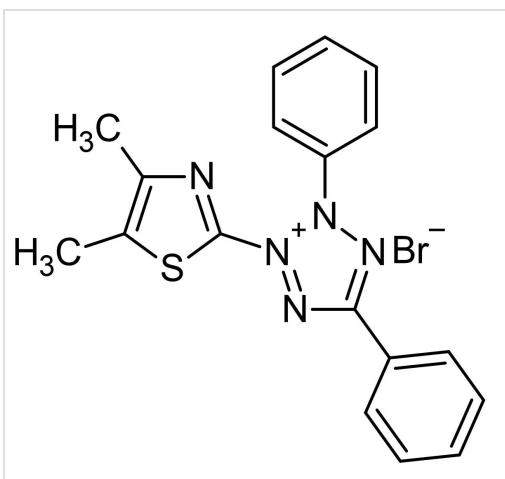
### Overview

<b>Product name</b>	Thiazolyl blue tetrazolium bromide (MTT), membrane-permeable dye
<b>Description</b>	Membrane-permeable dye for assessing cell viability and proliferation
<b>Purity</b>	> 98%
<b>CAS Number</b>	298-93-1
<b>Chemical structure</b>	



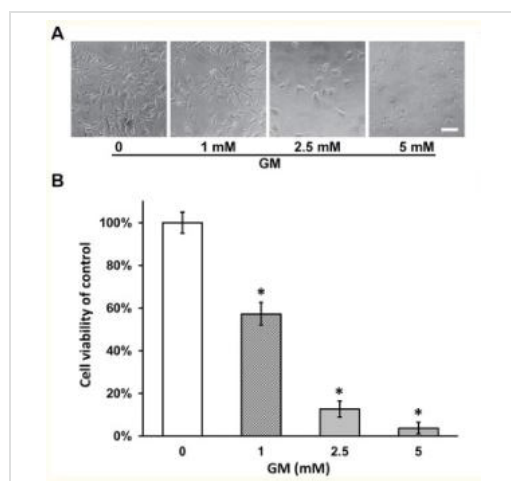
### Properties

<b>Emission</b>	570nm
<b>Chemical name</b>	2-(4,5-Dimethyl-2-thiazolyl)-3,5-diphenyl-2 <i>H</i> -tetrazolium bromide
<b>Molecular weight</b>	414.33
<b>Molecular formula</b>	C <sub>18</sub> H <sub>16</sub> BrN <sub>5</sub> S
<b>Storage instructions</b>	Store at +4°C. The product can be stored for up to 12 months.
<b>Solubility overview</b>	Soluble in water to 5 mg/ml
<b>Handling</b>	<p>Wherever possible, you should prepare and use solutions on the same day. However, if you need to make up stock solutions in advance, we recommend that you store the solution as aliquots in tightly sealed vials at -20°C. Generally, these will be useable for up to one week. Before use, and prior to opening the vial we recommend that you allow your product to equilibrate to room temperature for at least 1 hour.</p> <p>Refer to SDS for further information.</p> <p>Need more advice on solubility, usage and handling? Please visit our <a href="#">frequently asked questions (FAQ) page</a> for more details.</p>
<b>Source</b>	Synthetic



Chemical Structure - Thiazolyl blue tetrazolium bromide (MTT), membrane-permeable dye (ab146345)

2D chemical structure image of ab146345, Thiazolyl blue tetrazolium bromide (MTT), membrane-permeable dye



Functional Studies - Thiazolyl blue tetrazolium bromide (MTT), membrane-permeable dye (ab146345)

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#### NaHS protects viability of HEI-OC1 cells upon gentamicin toxicity.

Gentamicin (GM) was added to the culture medium to a concentration of 0 (control), 1, 2.5 and 5 mM respectively incubated for 48 hours. Representative culture images (A) and viability measured by MTT assay (B) of HEI-OC1 cell culture after gentamicin (GM) treatment were shown.

Scale bar 100  $\mu$ m. Values were represented as the mean  $\pm$  SEM from three independent experiments. \*  $P < 0.05$  vs control.

(After Figure 1A & B of Dong et al).

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