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# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## 2,3-Oxidosqualene

Item No. 36187

CAS Registry No.: 7200-26-2  
Formal Name: 2,2-dimethyl-3-[(3E,7E,11E,15E)-3,7,12,16,20-pentamethyl-3,7,11,15,19-heneicosapentaen-1-yl]-oxirane

Synonyms: (3R,S)-Oxidosqualene, Squalene 2,3-oxide

MF: C<sub>30</sub>H<sub>50</sub>O

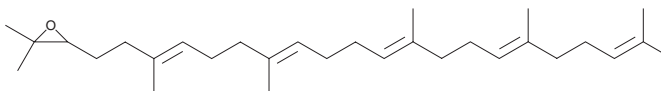
FW: 426.7

Purity: ≥90%

Supplied as: A neat oil

Storage: -80°C

Stability: ≥2 years



Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.

### Laboratory Procedures

2,3-Oxidosqualene is supplied as a neat oil. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the 2,3-oxidosqualene in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. 2,3-Oxidosqualene is slightly soluble in chloroform.

### Description

2,3-Oxidosqualene is an intermediate in the biosynthesis of sterols such as lanosterol (Item No. 19521), cycloartenol, and cholesterol (Item No. 9003100).<sup>1,2</sup> It is also an intermediate in the biosynthesis of the triterpenoid β-amyrin (Item No. 20949).<sup>3</sup>

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THIS PRODUCT IS FOR RESEARCH ONLY - NOT FOR HUMAN OR VETERINARY DIAGNOSTIC OR THERAPEUTIC USE.

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