

## AzoDye-2 Maleimide

Catalog number: 2424

Unit size: 1 mg

### Product Details

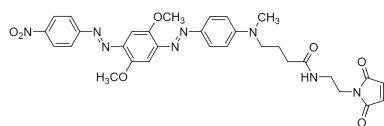
Storage Conditions	Freeze (<-15 °C), Minimize light exposure
Expiration Date	12 months upon receiving

### Chemical Properties

Appearance	Solid
Molecular Weight	628.65

Soluble In	DMSO
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#### Chemical Structure



### Applications

AzoDye-2 maleimide is an excellent building block for labeling thiol-containing molecules. AzoDye-2 dyes are nearly non-fluorescent with moderate extinction coefficients. These dark quenchers are most typically used in Molecular Beacon probes in which FRET has minimal contribution to their fluorescence quenching, thus dependence on donor-acceptor spectral overlap is not significant as to other FRET probes such as FRET peptides. AzoDye-2 dyes can quench a variety of fluorophores, in particular, fluorescein derivatives such as FAM, HEX, TET, NED and JOE. This may reflect the AzoDye-2's ability to form stable, non-fluorescent complexes with a fluorophore.