



TECHNICAL DATA SHEET

1. Product Identification

Product Name: Phosphatidylinositol

Abbreviation: PI

Synonym: L- α -Phosphatidylinositol

CAS No.: 97281-52-2

Chemical Class: Glycerophospholipid

Grade: Research / Biochemical / Pharmaceutical R&D

Appearance: Off-white to light yellow powder or solid

2. Chemical Structure & Description

Phosphatidylinositol (PI) is a naturally occurring **phospholipid** consisting of a glycerol backbone esterified with two fatty acid chains and a phosphorylated inositol head group. It is an essential component of eukaryotic cell membranes and serves as a **precursor for phosphoinositides**, which are key regulators in intracellular signal transduction pathways.

3. Typical Technical Properties

Property	Typical Value
Molecular Formula	$C_{45}H_{87}O_{13}P^*$
Molecular Weight	~867–896 g/mol*
Physical State	Solid / Powder
Polarity	Amphiphilic
Solubility	Soluble in chloroform, methanol; insoluble in water
Lipid Class	Glycerophospholipid
Stability	Stable under dry, low-temperature conditions

* Values may vary depending on fatty acid composition.

4. Typical Specifications

Parameter		Specification
Purity (HPLC / TLC)	$\geq 98.0 \%$	
Moisture Content	$\leq 2.0 \%$	
Residual Solvents	Complies with internal standards	
Heavy Metals	$\leq 10 \text{ ppm}$	
Identification	Conforms (TLC / MS)	

Detailed batch data are provided in the corresponding COA.

5. Applications

Phosphatidylinositol (PI) is widely used in:

- Cell membrane and liposome research
 - Phosphoinositide signaling pathway studies
 - Protein–lipid interaction analysis
 - Enzymatic assays (PI kinases, phospholipases)
 - Biochemical and molecular biology research
 - Pharmaceutical and preclinical R&D
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6. Advantages

- High purity and batch-to-batch consistency
- Endogenous lipid with strong biological relevance
- Suitable for sensitive biochemical and signaling studies
- Compatible with liposome and membrane model systems
- Available in multiple forms upon request

7. Packaging & Storage

Packaging:

Sealed glass bottles or vials

Moisture-proof, light-protected containers

Storage Conditions:

Store at **-20 °C** or below

Protect from light, moisture, and oxygen

Avoid repeated freeze–thaw cycles

Shelf Life:

≥ 12 months under recommended storage conditions

8. Safety & Regulatory Information

Intended Use:

For Research Use Only (RUO)

Regulatory Status:

Not approved for food, feed, human, or veterinary use

No food-grade or feed-grade registration

Safety Documentation:

Safety Data Sheet (SDS) available upon request

Handle according to laboratory chemical safety guidelines