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## **Product Information Sheet**

# T859 Tetracycline Hydrochloride

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#### **Properties**

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Form:	Powder C-NH
Appearance:	Yellow Powder OH O OH
Application:	Plant Tissue Culture Antibiotic
Solubility:	Soluble in Water and DMSO
Storage Temp:	-20 to 0 °C
Stock Solution	Solutions of Tetracycline are stable at -20 to 0° C for short periods of time. Tetracycline
Storage Temp:	hydrolyzes in the presence of water to form a turbid solution. It will not hydrolyze completely,
	and the resulting trace amount solutions are stable for longer periods of time at -20 to 0° C.
Other Notes:	This product is hygroscopic. Protect from light.

### **Application Notes**

Tetracycline is a broad spectrum antibiotic effective against many aerobic and anaerobic Gram-positive and Gramnegative bacteria, Chlamydiaceae, *Mycoplasma spp., Ricekttsia spp.,* spirochaetes and some protozoa. Tetracycline inhibits protein synthesis by binding reversibly to 30S subunit of the ribosome to prevent the binding of aminoacyl tRNA.<sup>2, 3</sup>

Minimum inhibitory concentration (MIC) of tetracycline HCL has been reported for many bacteria. MIC of tetracycline HCL against *M.luteus* is >100 µg/mL, *S. aureus* is 2.5 µg/mL, *P. aeruginosa* is 50 µg/mL, *B. subtilis* is  $\leq 1 \mu g/mL$ , and *K. pneumonia* is 5 µg/mL.<sup>4</sup>

Tetracycline can also be used as a selective agent for cells containing tetracycline resistance gene.

PhytoTechnology Laboratories® also carries Tetracycline Hydrochloride Solution (10 mg/mL), Product No. T7859.

Please Note: It is the sole responsibility of the purchaser to determine the appropriateness of this product for the specific plants that are being cultured and applications that are being used.

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