

## **Mouse Express® Mouse Feed** L-Lysine (<sup>13</sup>C<sub>6</sub>, 99%) Enriched

Stable isotope labeling in mammals (SILAM) has also been accomplished utilizing L-lysine-<sup>13</sup>C<sub>6</sub>.<sup>1</sup> Cambridge Isotope Laboratories, Inc. (CIL) is pleased to offer labeled feed for the metabolic incorporation of stable isotope-enriched amino acids into mice and rats. **Mouse Express® L-lysine (<sup>13</sup>C<sub>6</sub>, 99%) mouse feed is prepared using our exclusive 99% enriched L-lysine-<sup>13</sup>C<sub>6</sub>**. *Custom formulations are available in other labeling patterns and amino acid substitutions. Please inquire*.

## Mouse Express<sup>®</sup> L-Lysine (<sup>13</sup>C<sub>6</sub>, 99%) Enriched Mouse Feed Labeling Kit

CIL's Mouse Feed Labeling Kit consists of 1 kg L-lysine- ${}^{13}C_6$  labeled feed and 1 kg of unlabeled feed. This nutrient mix metabolically labels the entire mouse proteome with L-lysine- ${}^{13}C_6$  for use in quantitative global proteomic research using tryptic digests. This diet is unique in that it contains L-lysine- ${}^{13}C_6$  at an isotopic enrichment of 99%.

Catalog No.	Description
MLK-LYS-C	L-Lysine ( <sup>13</sup> C <sub>6</sub> , 99%) Enriched Mouse Feed Labeling Kit (1 kg L-lysine- <sup>13</sup> C <sub>6</sub> labeled feed/1 kg unlabeled feed)
MF-LYS-C	Mouse Feed Pellets (aquamarine) (L-lysine- <sup>13</sup> C <sub>6</sub> , 99%)
MF-UNLABELED	Mouse Feed Pellets (off-white) (unlabeled)

## **Key Features**

- Amino acid-defined diet
- Irradiated feed available
- Storage up to six + months
- Vacuum-sealed packaging: convenient 1 kg quantities
- Color-coded ½" pellets to clearly distinguish labeled and unlabeled feed
- Two-week lead time (four weeks if irradiation is required)
- Custom diets prepared upon request (minimum order may be required)

"We have used the Mouse Express<sup>®</sup> L-Lysine (<sup>13</sup>C<sub>6</sub>, 99%) Enriched Mouse Feed Labeling Kit from Cambridge Isotope Labs to label a colony of black 6 mice. We achieved full labeling efficiency by F2 generation in the muscle tissue, our tissue of interest, and in all other tissues tested. These tissues are fueling a variety of studies for multiple principal investigators at our research institute."

> – Kristy J. Brown, PhD Children's National Medical Center Center for Genetic Medicine



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## Reference

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