

selectively labelled

An *isotopically labelled* compound is designated as selectively labelled when a mixture of *isotopically substituted* compounds is formally added to the analogous *isotopically unmodified* compound in such a way that the position(s) but not necessarily the number of each labelling *nuclide* is defined. A selectively labelled compound may be considered as a mixture of *specifically labelled* compounds.

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