



>> **Name:** 2-Anthracenecarboxylic acid, 9Cl

Synonym(s): Anthracene- β -carboxylic acid. β -Anthroic acid

CAS Registry Number: 613-08-1

Structure by analogy with 1-Anthracenecarboxylic acid, [FQB16-W](#)

Molecular Formula: C₁₅H₁₀O₂

Molecular Weight: 222.243

Accurate Mass: 222.06808

Percentage Composition: C 81.07%; H 4.54%; O 14.40%

Physical Description: Yellow leaflets (EtOH)

Melting Point: Mp 281°

Solubility: Mod. sol. hot EtOH

pKa Value: pK_a 4.18 (20°)

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>> **Derivative:** Me ester

CAS Registry Number: 25308-60-5

Molecular Formula: C₁₆H₁₂O₂

Molecular Weight: 236.27

Accurate Mass: 236.08373

Percentage Composition: C 81.34%; H 5.12%; O 13.54%

Melting Point: Mp 128°

>> **Derivative:** Amide

Molecular Formula: C₁₅H₁₁NO

Molecular Weight: 221.258

Accurate Mass: 221.084064

Percentage Composition: C 81.43%; H 5.01%; N 6.33%; O 7.23%

Physical Description: Yellow plates (AcOH)

Melting Point: Mp 293-295°

Hazard & Toxicity: Exp. carcinogen

>> **Derivative:** Hydrazide

CAS Registry Number: 2143-79-5

Molecular Formula: C₁₅H₁₂N₂O

Molecular Weight: 236.273

Accurate Mass: 236.094963

Percentage Composition: C 76.25%; H 5.12%; N 11.86%; O 6.77%

Use/Importance: Fluorescence derivatisation reagent for carbonyl compds.

Physical Description: Yellow needles (EtOH)

Melting Point: Mp 241-244°

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