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N(6)-Carboxymethyllysine

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A lysine derivative found in proteins where the epsilon nitrogen of the amino acid residue is modified by a carboxymethyl group. This advanced glycation end product (AGE) is elevated in certain diseases and is associated with aging.