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The method for the synthesis of L-cysteine hydrochloride labelled with ³⁵S is described. L-Cystine-³⁵S, obtained from baker's yeast, was reduced with tin in hydrochloric acid and radiochemical pure L-cysteine-³⁵S-hydrochloride was isolated by ion-exchange chromatography on a column.

The obtained L-cysteine-³⁵S hydrochloride was stable in aqueous solution pH=2 over long period and have specific activity 20-125 mCi/mmol and radiochemical purity better than 95%.