

EPR of Gamma-irradiated L-Glutamine Hydrochloride and *N*-Carbamoyl-L-glutamic Acid

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The electron paramagnetic resonance spectra of γ -irradiated L-glutamine hydrochloride and *N*-carbamoyl-L-glutamic acid single crystals have been investigated at room temperature. Radiation damage centres are attributed to $\dot{\text{C}}\text{H}$, $\dot{\text{N}}\text{H}_2$ and $\text{CH}_2\dot{\text{C}}(\text{NH}_2)\text{COOH}$ radicals.

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