

nitrosamines

N-Nitroso amines, compounds of the structure R_2NNO . Compounds $RNHNO$ are not ordinarily isolable, but they, too, are nitrosamines. The name is a contraction of *N*-nitrosoamine and, as such, does not require the *N* locant.

See also: nitrosamides

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PAC, 1995, 67, 1307 (*Glossary of class names of organic compounds and reactivity intermediates based on structure (IUPAC Recommendations 1995)*) on page 1352