

geminate ion pair

Ion pair formed from a precursor that constitutes a single kinetic entity, i.e., by electron transfer or ion transfer in an encounter complex (cf. collision complex) or by ionic dissociation of a single molecular entity.

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