# 3'-Deoxy-2',3'-didehydrothymidine

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**Material Safety Data Sheet** 



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Hazard Alert Code Key:

EXTREME

HIGH

**MODERATE** 

LOW

# Section 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

#### **PRODUCT NAME**

3'-Deoxy-2',3'-didehydrothymidine

# STATEMENT OF HAZARDOUS NATURE

CONSIDERED A HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE ACCORDING TO OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200.

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# **SUPPLIER**

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#### **EMERGENCY**

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# **PRODUCT USE**

Nucleoside analogue which inhibits HIV replication in vitro.

#### **SYNONYMS**

C10-H12-N2-O4, "thymidine, 2' , 3' -anhydro-", "2' , 3' -didehydro-3' -deoxythymidine", "2' , 3' -dideoxy-2' , 3' -didehydrothymidine", "thymine, 1-(2, 3-dideoxy-beta-D-glycero-pent-2-enofuranosyl)-", BMY-27857, D-4T, d4T, Zerit, "nucleoside antiretroviral/ antiviral/ anti-HIV/ AIDS"

# **Section 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

# **CHEMWATCH HAZARD RATINGS**

		Min	Max	
Flammability	1		Min/Nil=0 Low=1	
Toxicity	2		Moderate=2	
Body Contact	0		High=3	
Body Contact	U		Extreme=4	

Reactivity 1 Chronic 2

#### **CANADIAN WHMIS SYMBOLS**



# EMERGENCY OVERVIEW RISK

Possible risk of harm to the unborn child.

#### **POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS**

#### **ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS**

#### **SWALLOWED**

- Accidental ingestion of the material may be damaging to the health of the individual.
- Limited evidence exists that the substance may cause irreversible but non-lethal mutagenic effects following a single exposure.
- At sufficiently high doses the material may be neurotoxic(i.

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■ Lactic acidosis (which produces a number disturbances in tissues and the central nervous system) and severe enlargement of the liver (hepatomegaly), with fatty degeneration (steatosis), including fatal cases, have been reported with the use of antiretroviral nucleoside analogues (NRTIs) alone or in combination.

A majority of these cases have been women.

#### **EYE**

■ Although the material is not thought to be an irritant, direct contact with the eye may cause transient discomfort characterized by tearing or conjunctival redness (as with windburn).

Slight abrasive damage may also result.

#### SKIN

■ The material is not thought to produce adverse health effects or skin irritation following contact (as classified using animal models).

Nevertheless, good hygiene practice requires that exposure be kept to a minimum and that suitable gloves be used in an occupational setting.

- Open cuts, abraded or irritated skin should not be exposed to this material.
- Entry into the blood-stream, through, for example, cuts, abrasions or lesions, may produce systemic injury with harmful effects.

Examine the skin prior to the use of the material and ensure that any external damage is suitably protected.

#### **INHALED**

■ The material is not thought to produce either adverse health effects or irritation of the respiratory tract following inhalation (as classified using animal models).

Nevertheless, adverse effects have been produced following exposure of animals by at least one other route and good hygiene practice requires that exposure be kept to a minimum and that suitable control measures be used in an occupational setting.

- Persons with impaired respiratory function, airway diseases and conditions such as emphysema or chronic bronchitis, may incur further disability if excessive concentrations of particulate are inhaled.
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#### **CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS**

■ Results in experiments suggest that this material may cause disorders in the development of the embryo or fetus, even when no signs of poisoning show in the mother.

Exposure to the material may result in a possible risk of irreversible effects. The material may produce mutagenic effects in man. This concern is raised, generally, on the basis of

appropriate studies with similar materials using mammalian somatic cells in vivo. Such findings are often supported by positive results from in vitro mutagenicity studies.

Long term exposure to high dust concentrations may cause changes in lung function i.e. pneumoconiosis; caused by particles less than 0.5 micron penetrating and remaining in the lung.

Complications of chronic overdose include peripheral neuropathies and hepatic toxicity.

In two-year carcinogenicity studies in mice and rats the drug was non-carcinogenic at doses which produced exposures 39 and 168 times, respectively, human exposure at the recommended dose. Benign and malignant tumours in mice and rats and malignant urinary bladder tumours in male rats occurred at levels of exposure 250 (mice) and 732 (rats) times the human exposure at the clinical dose. The material was not mutagenic in the Ames, E coli reverse mutation, or in the CHO/ HGPRT mammalian cell forward gene mutations assays, with or without metabolic activation. The material produced positive results in the in vitro human lymphocyte clastogenesis and mouse fibroblast assays.

Reproduction studies have been performed in rats and rabbits with exposures up to 399 and 183 times, respectively, of that seen at a clinical dose of 1 mg/kg/day and have revealed no evidence of

teratogenicity. The incidence in foetuses of a common skeletal variation, unossified or incomplete ossification of sternebra, was increased in rats at 399 human exposure, whilst no effect was observed at 216 times human exposure. A slight post-implantation loss was noted at 216 times the human

exposure with no effect noted at about 135 times human exposure. An increase in early rat neonatal mortality (birth to 4 days of age) occurred at 399 ties human exposure, while survival of neonates was unaffected at about 135 times human exposure.

The material is transferred to the foetus through the placenta and in rats is excreted in the mothers milk.

Section 3 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS							
NAME	CAS RN	%					
2',3'-anhydrothymidine	3056-17-5	>98					

# **Section 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### **SWALLOWED**

- If swallowed do NOT induce vomiting.
- If vomiting occurs, lean patient forward or place on left side (head-down position, if possible) to maintain open airway and prevent aspiration.

#### EYE

If this product comes in contact with the eyes

- Wash out immediately with fresh running water.
- Ensure complete irrigation of the eye by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by
  occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.

#### SKIN

If skin or hair contact occurs

- Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).
- Seek medical attention in event of irritation.

#### **INHALED**

- If dust is inhaled, remove from contaminated area.
- Encourage patient to blow nose to ensure clear passage of breathing.
- If irritation or discomfort persists seek medical attention.

# **NOTES TO PHYSICIAN**

■ Treat symptomatically.

The material can be removed by haemodialysis clearance.

Section 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES					
Vapour Pressure (mmHG)	Negligible				
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not available.				
Specific Gravity (water=1)	Not available				

#### **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

- Water spray or fog.
- Foam.

#### **FIRE FIGHTING**

- Alert Emergency Responders and tell them location and nature of hazard.
- · Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves.

#### GENERAL FIRE HAZARDS/HAZARDOUS COMBUSTIBLE PRODUCTS

- Combustible solid which burns but propagates flame with difficulty.
- Avoid generating dust, particularly clouds of dust in a confined or unventilated space as dusts may form an
  explosive mixture with air, and any source of ignition, i.e. flame or spark, will cause fire or explosion. Dust
  clouds generated by the fine grinding of the solid are a particular hazard; accumulations of fine dust may burn
  rapidly and fiercely if ignited.

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#### Section 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

# **MINOR SPILLS**

- Clean up waste regularly and abnormal spills immediately.
- Avoid breathing dust and contact with skin and eyes.
- Wear protective clothing, gloves, safety glasses and dust respirator.
- Use dry clean up procedures and avoid generating dust.
- Vacuum up or sweep up. NOTE Vacuum cleaner must be fitted with an exhaust micro filter (HEPA type) (consider explosion-proof machines designed to be grounded during storage and use).
- Dampen with water to prevent dusting before sweeping.
- · Place in suitable containers for disposal.

# **MAJOR SPILLS**

Moderate hazard.

- CAUTION Advise personnel in area.
- Alert Emergency Responders and tell them location and nature of hazard.

# **Section 7 - HANDLING AND STORAGE**

#### PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING

- Avoid all personal contact, including inhalation.
- · Wear protective clothing when risk of exposure occurs.

Empty containers may contain residual dust which has the potential to accumulate following settling. Such dusts may explode in the presence of an appropriate ignition source.

- Do NOT cut, drill, grind or weld such containers.
- In addition ensure such activity is not performed near full, partially empty or empty containers without appropriate workplace safety authorisation or permit.

# RECOMMENDED STORAGE METHODS

Glass container.

- Polyethylene or polypropylene container.
- Check all containers are clearly labelled and free from leaks.

# STORAGE REQUIREMENTS

- Store in original containers.
- Keep containers securely sealed.

# Section 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

# **EXPOSURE CONTROLS**

Source	Material	TWA mg/m³	STEL mg/m³	Peak mg/m³	TWA F/CC	Notes
Canada - Ontario Occupational Exposure Limits	2',3'- anhydrothymidine (Particles (Insoluble or Poorly Soluble) Not Otherwise)	10 (I)				
Canada - British Columbia Occupational Exposure Limits	2',3'- anhydrothymidine (Particles (Insoluble or Poorly Soluble) Not Otherwise Classified (PNOC))	10 (N)				
Canada - Ontario Occupational Exposure Limits	2',3'- anhydrothymidine (Specified (PNOS) / Particules (insolubles ou peu solubles) non précisées par ailleurs)	3 (R)				
US - Tennessee Occupational Exposure Limits - Limits For Air Contaminants	2',3'- anhydrothymidine (Particulates not otherwise regulated Respirable fraction)	5				
US - California Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants	2',3'- anhydrothymidine (Particulates not otherwise regulated Respirable fraction)	5				(n)

Bold print identifies substances for which the Oregon 2',3'-Permissible US - Oregon anhydrothymidine Exposure Limits Permissible (Particulates not 10 (PELs) are different **Exposure Limits** otherwise regulated than the federal (Z-1)(PNOR) (f) Total Dust) Limits. PNOR means "particles not otherwise regulated." 2',3'-US - Michigan anhydrothymidine **Exposure Limits** (Particulates not 5 for Air otherwise regulated, Contaminants Respirable dust) Bold print identifies substances for which the Oregon 2'.3'-Permissible US - Oregon anhydrothymidine **Exposure Limits** Permissible (Particulates not 5 (PELs) are different **Exposure Limits** otherwise regulated than the federal (Z-1)(PNOR) (f) Respirable Limits. PNOR Fraction) means "particles not otherwise regulated." US - Wyoming 2'.3'-Toxic and anhydrothymidine Hazardous (Particulates not Substances 5 otherwise regulated Table Z1 Limits (PNOR)(f)- Respirable for Air fraction) Contaminants 2',3'-Canada - Prince anhydrothymidine See Appendix B Edward Island (Particles (Insoluble or 10 current TLV/BEI Occupational Poorly Soluble) [NOS] Book

# PERSONAL PROTECTION



**Exposure Limits** 



Inhalable particles)



#### **RESPIRATOR**

•Particulate. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 1432000 & 1492001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent) **EYE** 

When handling very small quantities of the material eye protection may not be required.

For laboratory, larger scale or bulk handling or where regular exposure in an occupational setting occurs

- · Chemical goggles
- Face shield. Full face shield may be required for supplementary but never for primary protection of eyes

• Contact lenses may pose a special hazard; soft contact lenses may absorb and concentrate irritants. A written policy document, describing the wearing of lens or restrictions on use, should be created for each workplace or task. This should include a review of lens absorption and adsorption for the class of chemicals in use and an account of injury experience. Medical and first-aid personnel should be trained in their removal and suitable equipment should be readily available. In the event of chemical exposure, begin eye irrigation immediately and remove contact lens as soon as practicable. Lens should be removed at the first signs of eye redness or irritation - lens should be removed in a clean environment only after workers have washed hands thoroughly. [CDC NIOSH Current Intelligence Bulletin 59], [AS/NZS 1336 or national equivalent]

#### HANDS/FEET

Suitability and durability of glove type is dependent on usage. Important factors in the selection of gloves include

- · frequency and duration of contact,
- · chemical resistance of glove material,
- · glove thickness and
- dexterity

Select gloves tested to a relevant standard (e.g. Europe EN 374, US F739, AS/NZS 2161.1 or national equivalent).

- When prolonged or frequently repeated contact may occur, a glove with a protection class of 5 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 240 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.
- When only brief contact is expected, a glove with a protection class of 3 or higher (breakthrough time greater than 60 minutes according to EN 374, AS/NZS 2161.10.1 or national equivalent) is recommended.
- Contaminated gloves should be replaced.

Gloves must only be worn on clean hands. After using gloves, hands should be washed and dried thoroughly. Application of a non-perfumed moisturiser is recommended.

- Rubber gloves (nitrile or low-protein, powder-free latex). Employees allergic to latex gloves should use nitrile gloves in preference.
- Double gloving should be considered.
- PVC gloves.
- Protective shoe covers. [AS/NZS 2210]
- · Head covering.

Experience indicates that the following polymers are suitable as glove materials for protection against undissolved, dry solids, where abrasive particles are not present.

- polychloroprene
- nitrile rubber
- butyl rubber
- fluorocaoutchouc
- · polyvinyl chloride

Gloves should be examined for wear and/ or degradation constantly.

#### **OTHER**

- For quantities up to 500 grams a laboratory coat may be suitable.
- For quantities up to 1 kilogram a disposable laboratory coat or coverall of low permeability is recommended. Coveralls should be buttoned at collar and cuffs.
- For quantities over 1 kilogram and manufacturing operations, wear disposable coverall of low permeability and disposable shoe covers.
- For manufacturing operations, air-supplied full body suits may be required for the provision of advanced respiratory protection.
- · Eye wash unit.
- Ensure there is ready access to an emergency shower.
- For Emergencies Vinyl suit

#### **ENGINEERING CONTROLS**

Enclosed local exhaust ventilation is required at points of dust, fume or vapor generation.

HEPA terminated local exhaust ventilation should be considered at point of generation of dust, fumes or vapors.

# **Section 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

#### **PHYSICAL PROPERTIES**

Solid.

Mixes with water.

State	Divided solid	Molecular Weight	224.2
Melting Range (°F)	329- 331	Viscosity	Not Applicable
Boiling Range (°F)	Not available	Solubility in water (g/L)	Miscible
Flash Point (°F)	Not available	pH (1% solution)	Not available
Decomposition Temp (°F)	Not available.	pH (as supplied)	Not applicable
Autoignition Temp (°F)	Not available	Vapour Pressure (mmHG)	Negligible
Upper Explosive Limit (%)	Not available.	Specific Gravity (water=1)	Not available
Lower Explosive Limit (%)	Not available	Relative Vapor Density (air=1)	>1
Volatile Component (%vol)	Negligible	Evaporation Rate	Not available

# **APPEARANCE**

Solid; mixes with water.

#### Section 10 - CHEMICAL STABILITY

#### CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO INSTABILITY

- Presence of incompatible materials.
- Product is considered stable.

#### STORAGE INCOMPATIBILITY

Avoid strong acids, bases.

Avoid reaction with oxidizing agents.

Heat-sensitive.

For incompatible materials - refer to Section 7 - Handling and Storage.

# Section 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

2',3'-anhydrothymidine

# TOXICITY AND IRRITATION

#### 2'.3'-ANHYDROTHYMIDINE

unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances. No significant acute toxicological data identified in literature search.

NOTE Substance has been shown to be mutagenic in at least one assay, or belongs to a family of chemicals producing damage or change to cellular DNA.

# **CARCINOGEN**

Stavudine (d4T) US Environmental Defense Scorecard Suspected Carcinogens Reference(s) P65-CAND

# **Section 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

No data

# **Section 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

# **Disposal Instructions**

All waste must be handled in accordance with local, state and federal regulations.

Legislation addressing waste disposal requirements may differ by country, state and/ or territory. Each user must refer to laws operating in their area. In some areas, certain wastes must be tracked.

A Hierarchy of Controls seems to be common - the user should investigate:

- Reduction
- Reuse
- Recycling
- Disposal (if all else fails)

This material may be recycled if unused, or if it has not been contaminated so as to make it unsuitable for its intended use. Shelf life considerations should also be applied in making decisions of this type. Note that properties of a material may change in use, and recycling or reuse may not always be appropriate.

DO NOT allow wash water from cleaning equipment to enter drains. Collect all wash water for treatment before disposal.

- · Recycle wherever possible.
- Consult manufacturer for recycling options or consult Waste Management Authority for disposal if no suitable treatment or disposal facility can be identified.

#### **Section 14 - TRANSPORTATION INFORMATION**

NOT REGULATED FOR TRANSPORT OF DANGEROUS GOODS: DOT, IATA, IMDG

# **Section 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION**

# 2'.3'-anhydrothymidine (CAS: 3056-17-5) is found on the following regulatory lists:

"Canada - British Columbia Occupational Exposure Limits", "Canada - Ontario Occupational Exposure Limits", "Canada - Prince Edward Island Occupational Exposure Limits", "Canada National Pollutant Release Inventory (NPRI)", "US - California Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants", "US - Michigan Exposure Limits for Air Contaminants", "US - Oregon Permissible Exposure Limits (Z-1)", "US - Tennessee Occupational Exposure Limits - Limits For Air Contaminants", "US - Wyoming Toxic and Hazardous Substances Table Z1 Limits for Air Contaminants"

#### **Section 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

#### **LIMITED EVIDENCE**

- Ingestion may produce health damage\*.
- Exposure may produce irreversible effects\*.
- \* (limited evidence).

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