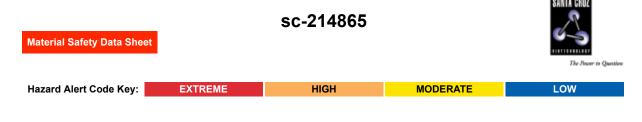
# **Deoxycholic acid**



### Section 1 - CHEMICAL PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

### PRODUCT NAME

Deoxycholic acid

#### STATEMENT OF HAZARDOUS NATURE

CONSIDERED A HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE ACCORDING TO OSHA 29 CFR 1910.1200.



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#### **SYNONYMS**

C24-H40-O4, "5-beta-cholan-24-oic acid, 3-alpha, 12-alpha-dihydroxy-, ", "cholan-24-oic acid, 3, 12-dihydroxy-, (3-alpha, 5-beta, 12-alpha)-", "choleic acid", cholerbic, "deoxycholatic acid", "cholic acid, deoxy-", "7-alpha-deoxycholic acid", "deoxycholic acid", "3, 12-dihyroxycholanic acid", "3-alpha, 12-alpha-dihydroxycholanic acid", "3-alpha, 12-alpha-dihydroxycholanic acid", "3-alpha, 12-alpha-dihydroxycholanic acid", "3-alpha, 12-alpha-dihydroxycholanic acid", "Cholerbic, Droxolan, Pyrochol, Septochol

#### Section 2 - HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION **CHEMWATCH HAZARD RATINGS** Min Max Flammability: 1 Toxicity: 2 Min/Nil=0 Body Contact: 2 Low=1 Moderate=2 Reactivity: 1 High=3 Chronic: 2 Extreme=4 **CANADIAN WHMIS SYMBOLS**



#### **EMERGENCY OVERVIEW**

#### RISK

Harmful if swallowed. Irritating to eves, respiratory system and skin. Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment.

### POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS

#### **ACUTE HEALTH EFFECTS**

#### **SWALLOWED**

Accidental ingestion of the material may be harmful; animal experiments indicate that ingestion of less than 150 gram may be fatal or may produce serious damage to the health of the individual.

High dietary concentrations of deoxycholic acid, have produce intestinal bleeding and ulceration of the stomach.

Estimated acceptable daily intake of cholic acid and deoxycholic acid and their salts: 1.

#### EYE

This material can cause eye irritation and damage in some persons.

#### SKIN

This material can cause inflammation of the skin oncontact in some persons.

- The material may accentuate any pre-existing dermatitis condition.
- 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 can cause respiratory irritation in some persons.

The body's response to such irritation can cause further lung damage.

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.

Not normally a hazard due to non-volatile nature of product.

High concentrations cause inflamed airways and watery swellingof the lungs with edema.

#### CHRONIC HEALTH EFFECTS

. Long-term exposure to respiratory irritants may result in disease of the airways involving difficult breathing and related systemic problems

There has been some concern that this material can cause cancer or mutations but there is not enough data to make an assessment. Limited evidence suggests that repeated or long-term occupational exposure may produce cumulative health effects involving organs or biochemical systems.

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.

Certain authors(1) have concluded that sodium deoxycholate (present in high concentrations in human stools) has a promoting effect on colon cancers in rats. Mice given intramuscular injections of deoxycholic acid solutions were found to develop a statistically significant number of pulmonary adenomas (benign epithelial tumours). Intravenous or oral administration of the substance results in a decrease in the total glycolytic activity of, and pathological damage to, the liver. (1):Reddy et al, J. Nat. Cancer Institute, 56, pp 441-442, 1976.

Section 3 - COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS						
NAME	CAS RN	%				
deoxycholic acid	83-44-3	>98				

### Section 4 - FIRST AID MEASURES

#### **SWALLOWED**

· IF SWALLOWED, REFER FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION, WHERE POSSIBLE, WITHOUT DELAY. · Where Medical attention is not immediately available or where the patient is more than 15 minutes from a hospital or unless instructed otherwise:

EYE

If this product comes in contact with the eves: Wash out immediately with fresh running water. Ensure complete irrigation of the eve by keeping eyelids apart and away from eye and moving the eyelids by occasionally lifting the upper and lower lids.

#### SKIN

If skin contact occurs: Immediately remove all contaminated clothing, including footwear · Flush skin and hair with running water (and soap if available).

#### INHALED

· If fumes or combustion products are inhaled remove from contaminated area. · Lav patient down. Keep warm and rested.

#### NOTES TO PHYSICIAN

■ for poisons (where specific treatment regime is absent):

---BASIC TREATMENT

· Establish a patent airway with suction where necessary.

· Watch for signs of respiratory insufficiency and assist ventilation as necessary.

Treat symptomatically.

### Section 5 - FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES

Vapour Pressure (mmHG):	Negligible
Upper Explosive Limit (%):	Not available
Specific Gravity (water=1):	Not available
Lower Explosive Limit (%):	Not available

#### **EXTINGUISHING MEDIA**

· Foam

· Dry chemical powder.

#### **FIRE FIGHTING**

· Alert Emergency Responders and tell them location and nature of hazard.

· Wear breathing apparatus plus protective gloves.

When any large container (including road and rail tankers) is involved in a fire,

consider evacuation by 100 metres in all directions.

#### **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.

Combustion products include: carbon monoxide (CO), carbon dioxide (CO2), other pyrolysis products typical of burning organic material.

#### FIRE INCOMPATIBILITY

Avoid contamination with oxidizing agents i.e. nitrates, oxidizing acids, chlorine bleaches, pool chlorine etc. as ignition may result.

#### PERSONAL PROTECTION

Glasses: Chemical goggles. Gloves: Respirator: Particulate

#### Section 6 - ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

#### MINOR SPILLS

- · Remove all ignition sources.
- · Clean up all spills immediately.
- · Avoid contact with skin and eyes.
- · Control personal contact by using protective equipment.
- · Use dry clean up procedures and avoid generating dust.
- · Place in a suitable, labelled container for waste disposal.
- Environmental hazard contain spillage.
- MAJOR SPILLS
- Environmental hazard contain spillage.

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.

 $\cdot$  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

Observe manufacturer's storing and handling recommendations.

### Section 8 - EXPOSURE CONTROLS / PERSONAL PROTECTION

### EXPOSURE CONTROLS

Source	Material	TWA ppm	TWA mg/m³	STEL ppm	STEL mg/m³	Peak ppm	Peak mg/m³	TWA F/CC	Notes
<u> </u>									
Canada - Ontario Occupational Exposure Limits	deoxycholic acid (Particles (Insoluble or Poorly Soluble) Not Otherwise)		10 (I)						
Canada - British Columbia Occupational Exposure Limits	deoxycholic acid (Particles (Insoluble or Poorly Soluble) Not Otherwise Classified (PNOC))		10 (N)						
Canada - Ontario Occupational Exposure Limits	deoxycholic acid (Specified (PNOS) / Particules (insolubles ou peu solubles) non précisées par ailleurs)		3 (R)						
US - Tennessee Occupational Exposure Limits - Limits For Air Contaminants	deoxycholic acid (Particulates not otherwise regulated Respirable fraction)		5						
US - California Permissible Exposure Limits for Chemical Contaminants	deoxycholic acid (Particulates not otherwise regulated Respirable fraction)		5						(n)
US - Oregon Permissible Exposure Limits (Z-1)	deoxycholic acid (Particulates not otherwise regulated (PNOR) (f) Total Dust)	-	10						Bold print identifies substances for which the Oregon Permissible Exposure Limits (PELs) are different than the federal Limits. PNOR means

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

"particles not

#### PERSONAL PROTECTION



#### RESPIRATOR

• particulate. (AS/NZS 1716 & 1715, EN 143:2000 & 149:2001, ANSI Z88 or national equivalent)

#### EYE

 $\cdot$  Safety glasses with side shields.

· Chemical goggles.

#### HANDS/FEET

■ Wear chemical protective gloves, eg. PVC.

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

· 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.

### OTHER

- · Overalls.
- · P.V.C. apron.
- · Barrier cream.
- $\cdot$  Skin cleansing cream.
- · Eye wash unit.

#### **ENGINEERING CONTROLS**

· Local exhaust ventilation is required where solids are handled as powders or crystals; even when particulates are relatively large, a certain proportion will be powdered by mutual friction.

· Exhaust ventilation should be designed to prevent accumulation and recirculation of particulates in the workplace.

### Section 9 - PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

#### PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

Solid. Does not mix with water.			
State	Divided solid	Molecular Weight	392.56
Melting Range (°F)	349- 352	Viscosity	Not Applicable
Boiling Range (°F)	Not available	Solubility in water (g/L)	Immiscible
Flash Point (°F)	Not available	pH (1% solution)	Not applicable
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)	Not Applicable
Volatile Component (%vol)	Negligible	Evaporation Rate	Not Applicable

#### APPEARANCE

White powder; does not mix well with water (0.24 g/l).

### Section 10 - CHEMICAL STABILITY

#### CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO INSTABILITY

- $\cdot$  Presence of incompatible materials.
- Product is considered stable.

#### STORAGE INCOMPATIBILITY

Avoid reaction with oxidizing agents.

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

### Section 11 - TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

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#### TOXICITY AND IRRITATION

DEOXYCHOLIC ACID:

■ unless otherwise specified data extracted from RTECS - Register of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances.

Oral (rat) LD50: 1000 mg/kg Nil F	Reported

Intravenous (mouse) LD50: 130 mg/kg

Asthma-like symptoms may continue for months or even years after exposure to the material ceases. This may be due to a non-allergenic condition known as reactive airways dysfunction syndrome (RADS) which can occur following exposure to high levels of highly irritating compound. Key criteria for the diagnosis of RADS include the absence of preceding respiratory disease, in a non-atopic individual, with abrupt onset of persistent asthma-like symptoms within minutes to hours of a documented exposure to the irritant. A reversible airflow pattern, on spirometry, with the presence of moderate to severe bronchial hyperreactivity on methacholine challenge testing and the lack of minimal lymphocytic inflammation, without eosinophilia, have also been included in the criteria for diagnosis of RADS. RADS (or asthma) following an irritating inhalation is an infrequent disorder with rates related to the concentration of axposure due to high concentrations of irritating substance. Industrial bronchitis, on the other hand, is a disorder that occurs as result of exposure due to high concentrations of irritating substance (often particulate in nature) and is completely reversible after exposure ceases. The

disorder is characterised by dyspnea, cough and mucus production. Tumorigenic by RTECS criteria

### Section 12 - ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Very toxic to aquatic organisms, may cause long-term adverse effects in the aquatic environment. This material and its container must be disposed of as hazardous waste. Avoid release to the environment.

Refer to special instructions/ safety data sheets.

#### Ecotoxicity

Ingredient	Persistence: Water/Soil	Persistence: Air	Bioaccumulation	Mobility
deoxycholic acid		No Data Available	LOW	MED

#### **Section 13 - DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

#### **Disposal Instructions**

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

Puncture containers to prevent re-use and bury at an authorized landfill.

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**



#### DOT:

Symbols: G Hazard class or Division: 9 Identification Numbers: UN3077 PG: III Label Codes: 9 Special provisions: 8, 146, 335, B54, IB8, IP3, N20, T1, TP33 Packaging: Exceptions: 155 Packaging: Non- bulk: 213 Packaging: Exceptions: 155 Quantity limitations: No limit Passenger aircraft/rail: Quantity Limitations: Cargo No limit Vessel stowage: Location: A aircraft only: Vessel stowage: Other: None Hazardous materials descriptions and proper shipping names: Environmentally hazardous substance, solid, n.o.s

#### Air Transport IATA:

UN/ID Number: 3077 Packing Group: III Special provisions: A97 Cargo Only Packing Instructions: 956 Maximum Qty/Pack: 400 kg Passenger and Cargo Passenger and Cargo Packing Instructions: Y956 Maximum Qty/Pack: 400 kg Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Passenger and Cargo Limited Quantity Packing Instructions: 956 Maximum Qty/Pack: 30 kg G Shipping Name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S. \*(CONTAINS DEOXYCHOLIC ACID) **Maritime Transport IMDG:** IMDG Class: 9 IMDG Subrisk: None UN Number: 3077 Packing Group: III EMS Number: F-A,S-F Special provisions: 274 335 Limited Quantities: 5 kg Marine Pollutant: Yes Shipping Name: ENVIRONMENTALLY HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCE, SOLID, N.O.S.(contains deoxycholic acid)

## Section 15 - REGULATORY INFORMATION

### Section 16 - OTHER INFORMATION

#### LIMITED EVIDENCE

- Cumulative effects may result following exposure\*.
- Limited evidence of a carcinogenic effect\*.
- \* (limited evidence).

Denmark Advisory list for selfclassification of dangerous substances Substance CAS Suggested codes deoxycholic acid 83- 44- 3 Xn; R22 Xi; R38 N; R51/53

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