# PRODUCT INFORMATION



## Tauroursodeoxycholic Acid-d<sub>4</sub> (sodium salt)

Item No. 32985

CAS Registry No.: 2410279-95-5

 $2-[[(3\alpha,5\beta,7\beta)-3,7-dihydroxy-24-$ Formal Name:

> oxocholan-24-yl-2,2,4,4-d<sub>4</sub>]amino]ethanesulfonic acid, monosodium salt

Synonyms:  $3\alpha,7\beta$ -dihydroxy- $5\beta$ -cholanoyl Taurine- $d_{\alpha}$ ,

Sodium Tauroursodeoxycholate-d<sub>4</sub>,

TUDCA-d<sub>4</sub>, UR-906-d<sub>4</sub>

MF:  $C_{26}H_{40}D_4NO_6S \bullet Na$ 

FW: 525.7

**Chemical Purity:** ≥98% (Tauroursodeoxycholic Acid)

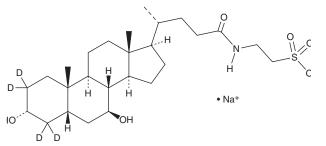
Deuterium

Incorporation:  $\geq$ 99% deuterated forms (d<sub>1</sub>-d<sub>4</sub>);  $\leq$ 1% d<sub>0</sub>

A crystalline solid Supplied as:

-20°C Storage: Stability: ≥2 years

Information represents the product specifications. Batch specific analytical results are provided on each certificate of analysis.



#### **Laboratory Procedures**

Tauroursodeoxycholic acid-d₄ (sodium salt) is intended for use as an internal standard for the quantification of tauroursodeoxycholic acid (Item Nos. 20277 | 9003379) by GC- or LC-MS. The accuracy of the sample weight in this vial is between 5% over and 2% under the amount shown on the vial. If better precision is required, the deuterated standard should be quantitated against a more precisely weighed unlabeled standard by constructing a standard curve of peak intensity ratios (deuterated versus unlabeled).

Tauroursodeoxycholic acid- $d_4$  (sodium salt) is supplied as a crystalline solid. A stock solution may be made by dissolving the tauroursodeoxycholic acid-d<sub>4</sub> (sodium salt) in the solvent of choice, which should be purged with an inert gas. Tauroursodeoxycholic acid-d<sub> $^{4}$ </sub> (sodium salt) is soluble in organic solvents such as ethanol, DMSO, and dimethyl formamide. The solubility of tauroursodeoxycholic acid-d<sub>4</sub> (sodium salt) in these solvents is approximately 1, 20, and 25 mg/ml, respectively.

#### Description

Tauroursodeoxycholic acid (TUDCA) is a taurine-conjugated form of the secondary bile acid ursodeoxycholic acid (Item No. 15121).1,2 TUDCA is found in small quantities in human bile but at a higher concentration in the bile of black bears.<sup>2</sup> It demonstrates anti-apoptotic activity in rodent models of tauopathy, Huntington's disease, ischemic brain injury, and retinal disorders.<sup>2,3</sup>

### References

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