

## Native *Bacillus sphaericus* 12 $\alpha$ -Hydroxysteroid Dehydrogenase

Cat. No. NATE-0001

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### Introduction

#### Description

In enzymology, a 12 $\alpha$ -hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase (EC 1.1.1.176) is an enzyme that catalyzes the chemical reaction: 3 $\alpha$ ,7 $\alpha$ ,12 $\alpha$ -trihydroxy-5 $\beta$ -cholanate + NADP $^{+}$   $\leftrightarrow$  3 $\alpha$ ,7 $\alpha$ -dihydroxy-12-oxo-5 $\beta$ -cholanate + NADPH + H $^{+}$ . Thus, the two substrates of this enzyme are 3 $\alpha$ ,7 $\alpha$ ,12 $\alpha$ -trihydroxy-5 $\beta$ -cholanate and NADP $^{+}$ , whereas its 3 products are 3 $\alpha$ ,7 $\alpha$ -dihydroxy-12-oxo-5 $\beta$ -cholanate, NADPH, and H $^{+}$ . This enzyme belongs to the family of oxidoreductases, specifically those acting on the CH-OH group of donor with NAD $^{+}$  or NADP $^{+}$  as acceptor. This enzyme is involved in a metabolic pathway that degrades bile acids into cholesterol.

#### Synonyms

EC 1.1.1.176; 61642-40-8; 12 $\alpha$  Hydroxysteroid Dehydrogenase; 12 $\alpha$ -hydroxy steroid dehydrogenase; NAD $^{+}$ -dependent 12 $\alpha$ -hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase; NADP $^{+}$ -12 $\alpha$ -hydroxysteroid dehydrogenase; 12- $\alpha$ -Hydroxysteroid Dehydrogenase; 12 $\alpha$ -hydroxysteroid:NADP $^{+}$  12-oxidoreductase

### Product Information

#### Source

*Bacillus sphaericus*

#### Form

lyophilized powder

#### EC Number

EC 1.1.1.176

#### CAS No.

61642-40-8

#### Activity

150-350 units/mg protein (Lowry)

#### Unit Definition

One unit will oxidize 1.0  $\mu$ mole of deoxycholic acid to 12-ketodeoxycholic acid per min at pH 8.0 at 37°C.

### Storage and Shipping Information

#### Storage

-20°C