# LIFELINE CELL TECHNOLOGY SAFETY DATA SHEET

### SECTION 1 – PRODUCT AND COMPANY INFORMATION

**Product Name:** Dexamethasone

**Product Number:** LS-1101

Company Address: Lifeline Cell Technology

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**Product use:** Cell/Tissue culture

### **SECTION 2 – HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION**

Hazardous Components: Not a hazardous substance or mixture

### SECTION 3 – COMPOSITION / INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Principal Components: Dexamethasone CAS number: 50-02-2

Water CAS number: 7732-18-5

**Composition**: The item formulation is a corticosteroid hormone in a cyclodextrin complex for water solubility. Dexamethasone is in concentrations of less than 0.1%. With the exception of purified water, all other ingredients are in concentrations of less than 1%.

Synonym: Decadron, Oradexon, Hexadrol

### **SECTION 4 – FIRST AID MEASURES**

#### **Potential Health Effects:**

**Eye**: May cause irritation of the eye. **Skin**: May cause skin irritation.

**Ingestion**: May be harmful if swallowed.

Inhalation: May be harmful if inhaled. Material may be irritating to mucous membranes and upper

respiratory tract.
First aid measures:

Oral Exposure: If swallowed, rinse out mouth with water provided person is conscious. Call a physician.

**Dermal Exposure**: In case of contact with skin, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Should irritation occur, call a physician.

**Eye Exposure**: In case of contact with eyes, flush with copious amounts of water for at least 15 minutes. Assure adequate flushing by separating the eyelids with fingers. Call a physician.

### **SECTION 5 – FIRE FIGHTING MEASURES**

**General Fire hazard:** Product does not present any special fire hazard. Carbon oxides may be released

in a fire.

Flash point: N/A

**Extinguishing media:** Use media appropriate for the material that is burning.

**Advice for Firefighters:** Wear self-contained breathing apparatus if necessary.

## SECTION 6 – ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

**Personal Precautions and Protective Equipment:** Refer to section 8 for appropriate personal protection.

**Environmental Precautions:** No special environmental precautions are required.

**Methods for Clean Up**: Absorb liquid with disposable laboratory towel or other absorbent material and then place in a closed container for disposal. Wash spill site after liquid cleanup is complete with cleansers appropriate for the spill site surface material.

### **SECTION 7 – HANDLING AND STORAGE**

**Precautions for Handling**: Refer to section 8 for appropriate personal protection. Avoid contact with eyes, skin or clothing. Product may cause allergic reaction in sensitized individuals. Do not pipet by mouth.

**Storage**: Keep container tightly closed. Store at -20°C or below. Protect from light.

### SECTION 8 – EXPOSURE CONTROLS AND PERSONAL PROTECTION

**Exposure limits:** Not listed on the OSHA Occupational Chemical database.

**Engineering Controls**: Eye wash stations are required.

**Ventilation:** Area ventilation is generally adequate.

### **Personal Protective Equipment:**

**Respiratory**: Respirator is not required.

Hand:Chemical resistant gloves required.Eye:Safety glasses or goggles required.Clothing:Laboratory coat recommended.

General Hygiene Measures: Wash hands thoroughly after handling.

### **SECTION 9 – PHYSICAL / CHEMICAL PROPERTIES**

**Appearance**: Frozen, clear liquid above ~0° C.

**Upper/lower flammability or Explosive limits:** No data available

**Odor:** Odorless

**Vapor pressure:** No data available **Odor threshold:** No data available

**Vapor density:** No data available

**pH:** Neutral

Relative density: No data available

Freezing point: ~0° C

**Solubility:** Completely soluble in water

**Boiling point:** ~100° C

Flash point: No data available Evaporation rate: No data available Flammability: Not flammable

**Upper/lower flammability or explosive limits:** No data available **Partition coefficient: n-octanol/water:** No data available

**Auto-ignition temperature:** No data available

**Viscosity:** No data available

### SECTION 10 - STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

**Reactivity:** No data available

**Chemical stability:** Stable under recommended storage and usage conditions.

**Possible hazardous reactions:** No data available

**Conditions to be avoided:** No data available **Incompatible materials:** Strong oxidizing agents

**Hazardous decomposition products:** Carbon oxides may be released in a fire.

### SECTION 11 – TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

**Likely routes of exposure (Dexamethasone):** Ingestion, skin, eye contact.

### Acute toxicity

Oral – Rat LD50: >3,000 mg/kg
Inhalation LC50: No data available
Other: No data available

Chronic toxicity: No data available

**Skin corrosion:** No data available **Eye damage:** No data available

Sensitization (Respiration or Skin): No data available

**Germ cell mutagenicity:** No data available

Carcinogenicity: Some glucocorticoid show carcinogenic or teratogenetic activity.

**Reproductive toxicity:** No data available

Teratogeniticity: Some glucocorticoid show carcinogenic or teratogenetic activity

### Carcinogenicity

NTP: No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified

as known or anticipated carcinogen by NTP.

**IARC:** No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified

as probable, possible or confirmed human carcinogen by IARC.

**OSHA:** No component of this product present at levels greater than or equal to 0.1% is identified

as carcinogen or potential carcinogen by OSHA.

# **SECTION 12 – ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION**

**Ecotoxicity:** No data available **Persistence/Degradability:** No data available **Bioaccumulation Potential:** No data available

**Mobility in Soil:** No data available. Expected to be mobile because it is an aqueous solution.

## **SECTION 13 – DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS**

**RCRA hazardous waste code:** Not listed as a hazardous waste.

**Appropriate disposal containers:** No specific restrictions on waste container type.

Appropriate Method of Disposal: Clean up and dispose of waste in accordance with all federal, state and

local environmental regulations.

### SECTION 14 – TRANSPORT INFORMATION

**UN number:** N/A **Proper Shipping Name**: None.

DOT:Non-hazardous for transport.IMDG:Non-hazardous for transport.IATA:Non-hazardous for transport.

### **SECTION 15 – REGULATORY INFORMATION**

**SARA 302 Components:** No chemicals in this product are subject to SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 Components: This product does not contain chemical components with known CAS numbers

that exceed the threshold (De Minimus) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

SARA 311/312: Chronic health hazard

Massachusetts Right to Know Components: No components are subject to Massachusetts Right to Know Act.

Pennsylvania Right to Know Components:

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New Jersey Right to Know Components: No components are subject to New Jersey Right to Know Act.

**California Prop. 65 Components:** This product does not contain any chemicals known to the state of California to cause cancer, birth defects or other reproductive harm.

### **SECTION 16 - OTHER INFORMATION**

#### **Preparation information:**

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