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	<b>QMRF Title:BIOVIA toxicity prediction model – NTP carcinogenicity call (female rat)</b>
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## 1.QSAR identifier

### 1.1.QSAR identifier (title):

BIOVIA toxicity prediction model – NTP carcinogenicity call (female rat)

### 1.2.Other related models:

Toxicity Prediction (Extensible) NTP Carcinogenicity Call (Male Rat)

Toxicity Prediction (Extensible) NTP Carcinogenicity Call (Male Mouse)

Toxicity Prediction (Extensible) NTP Carcinogenicity Call (Female Mouse)

### 1.3.Software coding the model:

BIOVIA Discovery Studio v4.5

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## 2.General information

### 2.1.Date of QMRF:

4/5/2015

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### 2.3.Date of QMRF update(s):

N/A

### 2.4.QMRF update(s):

N/A

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### 2.6.Date of model development and/or publication:

2015

### 2.7.Reference(s) to main scientific papers and/or software package:

BIOVIA Discovery Studio v4.5 <http://www.3dsbiovia.com/products/discovery-studio/>

### 2.8.Availability of information about the model:

The model is proprietary (available as a commercial product), but the algorithm is in public domain. The training set is also proprietary, however, it is embedded with the model and can be retrieved with similarity search when a prediction is conducted. No external test is conducted except cross-validation.

### 2.9.Availability of another QMRF for exactly the same model:

None

### 3. Defining the endpoint - OECD Principle 1

#### 3.1. Species:

Female Rat (F344)

#### 3.2. Endpoint:

4. Human Health Effects 4.12. Carcinogenicity

#### 3.3. Comment on endpoint:

The National Toxicology Program publishes the study result of carcinogenicity of a compound after a two year exposure on rodents (both sexes of rat and mouse). If there is at least some evidence that the compound causes carcinogenicity in a rodent species, it is classified as a carcinogen for the species/sex.

#### 3.4. Endpoint units:

Dimensionless - Yes/No Binary Classification

#### 3.5. Dependent variable:

Classification as carcinogenic or non-carcinogenic

#### 3.6. Experimental protocol:

According to

<http://ntp.niehs.nih.gov/testing/types/cartox/protocols/2year/index.html>

2-Year Study Protocol

The purpose of this study is to determine the toxicologic and/or carcinogenic effects of long-term exposure on rats and mice.

Treatment:

After a 10- to 14-day quarantine period, animals are assigned at random to treatment groups. Rats and mice receive the test agent for 104 weeks via a defined route of exposure at 3 treatment concentrations plus controls. Animals have continuous ad libitum access to dosed-feed and dosed-water in those exposure studies. For inhalation, gavage and dermal studies, animals are treated five times per week, weekdays only. Male mice are housed individually and rats and female mice are group-housed, except for inhalation and dermal exposure studies in which all rats and mice are housed individually.

Animals Sexes Species Test

Groups Total

Treatment  $50 \times 2 \times 2 \times 3 = 600$

Controls  $50 \times 2 \times 2 \times 1 = 200$

Sentinel Animals  $15 \times 2 \times 2 = 60$

\_\_\_ Total

860

Observations:

Individual animal body weights for test and control group animals are recorded on day one on test and at 4-week intervals thereafter except

for dosed-feed and dosed-water studies, which are recorded weekly for the first thirteen weeks and monthly thereafter. If life-threatening tumors develop, a significant number of deaths occur, or a significant effect on body weight is observed, the weighing frequency may be increased to every two weeks. Animals are observed twice daily at least six hours apart (before 10:00

am and after 2:00 pm including holidays and weekends) for moribundity and mortality. Animals found moribund or showing clinical signs of pain or distress are humanely euthanized. Formal examinations for clinical signs of toxicity are made and recorded at four-week intervals. For dosed-feed or dosed-water studies, food consumption/water consumption is measured and recorded weekly for the first thirteen weeks and monthly thereafter.

**Necropsy and Pathology:**

**Necropsy:** A complete necropsy is performed on all treated and control animals that either die or are sacrificed. All tissues required for complete histopathology are trimmed, embedded, sectioned and stained with hematoxylin and eosin for histopathologic evaluation. (necropsy list)

**Histopathology:** All animals in all treatment groups that die (or are sacrificed in a moribund condition) and those that complete the 104-week exposure are subjected to a complete necropsy and slides of all tissues required for complete histopathologic evaluation are prepared and evaluated. (histopathology list)

### **3.7. Endpoint data quality and variability:**

The US NTP carcinogenicity data were critically examined. The studies not conforming to the following criteria were considered inadequate for developing the sex-species specific rodent carcinogenicity model. The criteria were:

1. Rat strain should be F344, and mouse strain should be B6C3F1.
2. Route of exposure should be oral, i.e., feed, or drinking water.
3. If labeled CE or SE, chemical should be at least 95% pure, and impurities should be known.
4. If labeled NE, rat should be exposed to chemical for 100 or more weeks.
5. If labeled NE, mice should be exposed to chemical for 70 or more weeks.

## **4. Defining the algorithm - OECD Principle 2**

### **4.1. Type of model:**

QSAR model derived from Bayesian binary classification

### **4.2. Explicit algorithm:**

Bayesian Classification

A modified Bayesian learning method is used. The algorithm is described in Xia X, Maliski EG, Gallant P & Rogers D (2004). Journal of Medicinal Chemistry. 47(18) 4463- 4470

$P_{\text{corr}}(\text{Active}|\text{F}) = (A + P(\text{Active}) * K) / (B + K).$

(For  $K = 1/P(\text{Active})$ , this is the Laplacian correction.)

#### 4.3.Descriptors in the model:

- [1]AlogP unitless The calculated partition-coefficient of a compound between 1-octanol and water
- [2]Molecular\_Weight gram/mole The calculated molecular weight by summing the average atomic weight of all the atoms in the molecule.
- [3]Num\_H\_Donors unitless Number of hydrogen bond donors.
- [4]Num\_H\_Acceptors unitless Number of hydrogen bond acceptors in the molecule.
- [5]Num\_RotatableBonds unitless Number of rotatable bonds in the molecule.
- [6]Molecular\_FractionalPolarSurfaceArea unitless The fraction of polar surface area over the total molecular surface area.
- [7]FCFP\_12 unitless Functional class extended-connectivity atom type fingerprint with a maximum length of 12 bonds

#### 4.4.Descriptor selection:

A pool of most commonly used descriptors (AlogP, Molecule\_Weight, Num\_H\_Donors, Num\_H\_Acceptors, Molecular\_FractionPolarSurfaceArea, ECFP\_2, ECFP\_4, ECFP\_6, ECFP\_8, ECFP\_10, ECFP\_12, FCFP\_2, FCFP\_4, FCFP\_6, FCFP\_8, FCFP\_10, FCFP\_12, SCFP\_2, SCFP\_4, SCFP\_6, SCFP\_8, SCFP\_10, SCFP\_12) were selected randomly to build models. The model with the best leave-one-out cross-validated ROC score is selected to build the final model. In addition, Bayesian model has a built-in mechanism to select the most statistically-significant descriptors.

#### 4.5.Algorithm and descriptor generation:

- (1) The AlogP is the Ghose/Crippen group-contribution estimate for LogP, where P is the relative solubility of a compound in octanol versus water. See Ghose, A.K., Viswanadhan, V.N., and Wendoloski, J.J., "Prediction of Hydrophobic (Lipophilic) Properties of Small Organic Molecules Using Fragment Methods: An Analysis of AlogP and CLogP Methods." J. Phys. Chem. A, 1998, 102, 3762-3772.
- (2) Molecular weight is calculated using the atomic weights of the individual atoms in the molecule.
- (3) Hydrogen bond acceptors are defined as heteroatoms (O, N, S, or P) with one or more lone pairs, excluding atoms with positive formal charges, amide and pyrrole-type nitrogens, and aromatic oxygen and sulfur atoms in heterocyclic rings.
- (4) Hydrogen bond donors are defined as heteroatoms (O, N, S, or P) with one or more attached hydrogen atoms.
- (5) Molecular\_FractionPolarSurfaceArea is calculated from the polar surface area and total surface area using a 2D approximation to each molecule.
- (6) The fingerprint generation method is based on one of the original algorithms in computational organic chemistry called the Morgan algorithm. The goal of the Morgan algorithm is to assign a unique identity to each atom in a molecule so that a molecule can be described in a way that is invariant to the original numbering of atoms. The algorithm has two parts: the assignment of an initial code to each atom,

and an iterative part in which each atom code is updated to reflect the codes of each atom's neighbors.

FCFP<sub>12</sub> is calculated by first assigning atom types (FCFP<sub>0</sub>) using functional types (Hydrogen bond doner/acceptor, hydrophobic, charged positive/negative, aromatic), and an n iterative process is used to generate features that represent each atom in progressively larger structural neighborhoods. After each iteration, the new feature codes for the atoms are added to the set of features from all previous steps. The process completes when the desired size is reached and the set of all features is returned as the fingerprint.

#### **4.6. Software name and version for descriptor generation:**

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#### **4.7. Chemicals/Descriptors ratio:**

Number of chemicals = 290

Number of descriptors = 7

Chemicals/Descriptors = 41.4

### **5. Defining the applicability domain - OECD Principle 3**

#### **5.1. Description of the applicability domain of the model:**

The applicability domain of the model is defined by the range of descriptors of training set chemicals. The applicability domain is only a qualitative measure on how reliable the prediction is. There is no quantitative measure on how reliable the prediction is.

#### **5.2. Method used to assess the applicability domain:**

If a continuous descriptor is out of range of the training set, a warning is issued for the input compound. For the fingerprint descriptors, if a new feature not seen in the training set is found, a warning message is issued for that feature.

#### **5.3. Software name and version for applicability domain assessment:**

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### 5.4.Limits of applicability:

Property Min Max Mean Std. Dev.

ALogP -7.685 11.179 1.8335 2.2979

Molecular\_Weight 0 959.17 225.46 143.41

Num\_H\_Donors 0 8 1.1897 1.5138

Num\_H\_Acceptors 0 22 3.1931 3.1179

Num\_RotatableBonds 0 31 2.9 3.5883

Molecular\_FractionalPolarSurfaceArea 0 1 0.26143 0.19323

## 6.Internal validation - OECD Principle 4

### 6.1.Availability of the training set:

Yes

### 6.2.Available information for the training set:

CAS RN: Yes

Chemical Name: Yes

Smiles: No

Formula: No

INChI: No

MOL file: Yes

### 6.3.Data for each descriptor variable for the training set:

All

### 6.4.Data for the dependent variable for the training set:

All

### 6.5.Other information about the training set:

The data used to train the model consisted of 338 samples. 172 of them are in the positive category. The training set is proprietary, however, it is emmbedded with the model and can be retrieved with similarity search when a prediction is conducted.

#### **6.6.Pre-processing of data before modelling:**

The 3597 experimental rat oral LD50 values were selected from open literatures after critical review of experimental data. Most of the data were extracted from various editions of the Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances (RTECS). To minimize data errors from that source, two types of procedures were performed:

A sample of data from RTECS was checked against the original literature. Deviations were found in less than 1% of the case.

Those compounds found to be outliers during the modeling process were also checked against their literature values. A few inconsistencies were corrected.

Generally, the LD50 assay consists of a single administration of the chemical to several groups of rats at different dosages, followed by a 14-day observation period. The LD50 value is calculated from the number of deaths in the different dosage groups.

The outcome of the carcinogenicity test is Clear Evidence (CE), Some Evidence (SE) or No Evidence (NE) in NTP technical report. In our modeling, only NE is treated as negative, with CE and SE are treated as positive.

#### **6.7.Statistics for goodness-of-fit:**

N/A

#### **6.8.Robustness - Statistics obtained by leave-one-out cross-validation:**

ROC score=0.710 (LOO)

True Positive = 88

False Negative = 44

False Positive = 50

True Negative = 108

#### **6.9.Robustness - Statistics obtained by leave-many-out cross-validation:**

ROC score = 0.677 (Leave 10% out)

Sensitivity = 0.897

Specificity = 0.899

Concordance = 0.890

#### **6.10.Robustness - Statistics obtained by Y-scrambling:**

N/A

#### **6.11.Robustness - Statistics obtained by bootstrap:**

N/A

#### **6.12.Robustness - Statistics obtained by other methods:**

N/A

### **7.External validation - OECD Principle 4**

#### **7.1.Availability of the external validation set:**

No

#### **7.2.Available information for the external validation set:**

CAS RN: No

Chemical Name: No

Smiles: No

Formula: No

INChI: No

MOL file: No

**7.3.Data for each descriptor variable for the external validation set:**

No

**7.4.Data for the dependent variable for the external validation set:**

No

**7.5.Other information about the external validation set:**

Due to the small size of the available data from NTP, no data were reserved for external validation purpose.

**7.6.Experimental design of test set:**

N/A

**7.7.Predictivity - Statistics obtained by external validation:**

N/A

**7.8.Predictivity - Assessment of the external validation set:**

N/A

**7.9.Comments on the external validation of the model:**

N/A

**8.Providing a mechanistic interpretation - OECD Principle 5**

**8.1.Mechanistic basis of the model:**

Features contributing the most from FCFP\_12 are included in attachment.

**8.2.A priori or a posteriori mechanistic interpretation:**

posteriori: these features are selected purely based on their Bayesian score

**8.3.Other information about the mechanistic interpretation:**

N/A

**9.Miscellaneous information**

**9.1.Comments:**

The model is extensible, i.e., it can be extended by feeding new training data to create an improved model.

**9.2.Bibliography:**

[1]NTP Technical Reports <http://ntp.niehs.nih.gov/results/pubs/longterm/reports/longterm/index.html>  
[2]Xia X, Maliski EG, Gallant P & Rogers D(2004). Journal of Medicinal Chemistry. 47(18) 4463-4470 <http://pubs.acs.org/doi/full/10.1021/jm0303195>

**9.3.Supporting information:**

**10.Summary (JRC QSAR Model Database)**

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**10.3.Keywords:**

female;rat;carcinogenicity;NTP call;BIOVIA Discovery Studio;

**10.4.Comments:**

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