## **SPECIFICATION**

## Lithocholic Acid

## for the Japanese Pharmacopoeia General Tests (for Thin-Layer Chromatography)

REQUIREMENT	SPECIFICATION
Description (JP method)	White crystals or crystalline powder
Purity (JP method)	-
Related substances (JP method)	to pass test
Assay (JP method)	min.98.0%
* Solubility in ethanol	to pass test
* Melting point	184~190℃
* Specific rotation [α]D20(c=1,C2H5OH)	+31~+37°
* Assay (HPLC)	under investigation

(\*:Additional test performed by Wako)