# Supporting Chemical Evaluations Using Transparent and Accessible Data

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### **Abbreviations**

- AED: Administered Equivalent Dose
- **BPA**: bisphenol A
- CCD: CompTox Chemicals Dashboard
- **CHR**: chronic study type
- **EPA**: US Environmental Protection Agency
- **ER**: estrogen receptor
- GenRA: Generalized Read Across (web application)
- GHS: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals
- **HTTK:** High throughput toxicokinetics

- IRIS: EPA's Integrated Risk Information System
- **IVIVE:** in vitro to in vivo extrapolation
- LOAEL: Lowest Observed Adverse Effect Level
- MGR: multigeneration reproduction study type
- **POD**: Point of departure
- QMRF: QSAR Model Reporting Format
- RfD: Reference Dose
- **SUB:** Subchronic study type
- **ToxCast:** US EPA's Toxicity Forecaster program
- webTEST: Toxicity Estimation Software (web application)

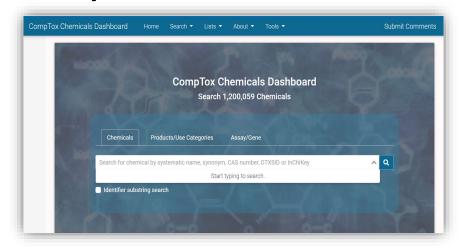
# **Agenda**

- CompTox Chemicals Dashboard
  - Vision
  - Case Study
    - Bisphenol A & B
    - Navigation and Orientation
    - webTEST & GenRA

Wrap up

# Easy access to data improves efficiency and ultimately accelerates chemical risk assessment

### **CompTox Chemicals Dashboard**



https://comptox.epa.gov/dashboard/

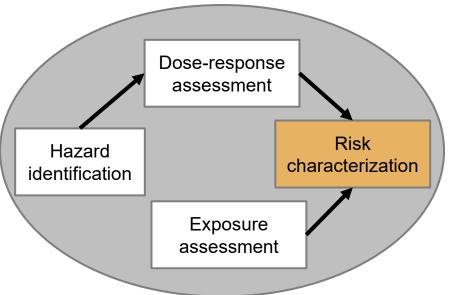
- Centralized location for publicly available chemical toxicity data
- Combination of existing legacy, and high throughput and predictive model data
- Publicly accessible, periodically updated, curated
- Supports EPA and partner decision making
  - e.g., Well-studied chemicals: data can be found in most areas
  - e.g., Data-poor substances: limited data, but may find in vitro and/or modeled data, similar compounds, and literature search information

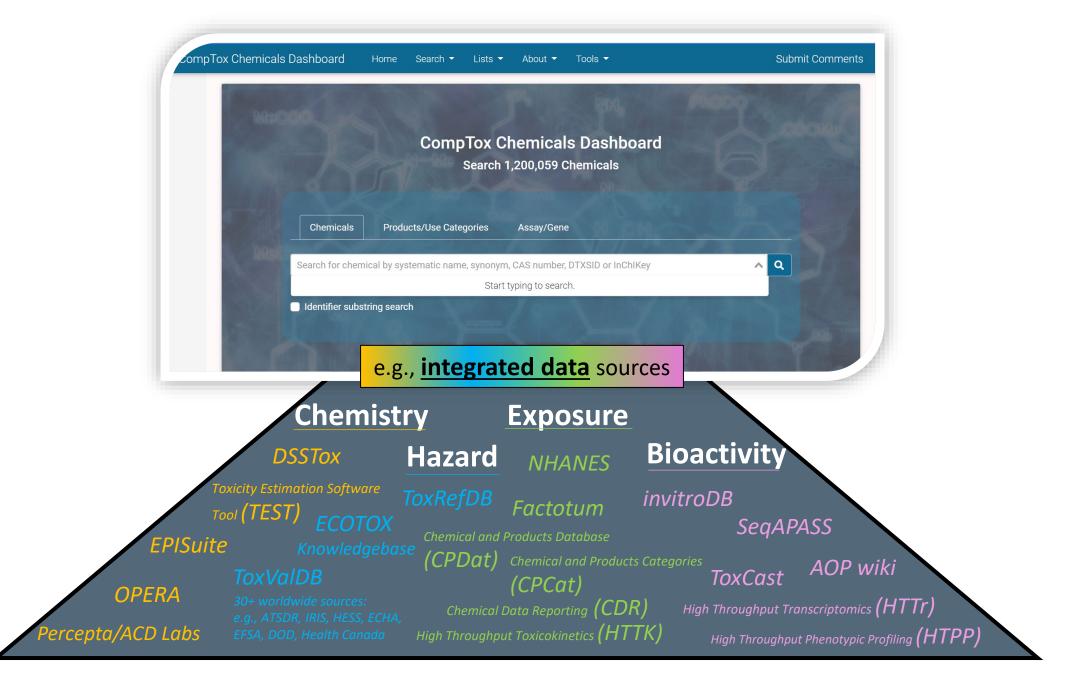
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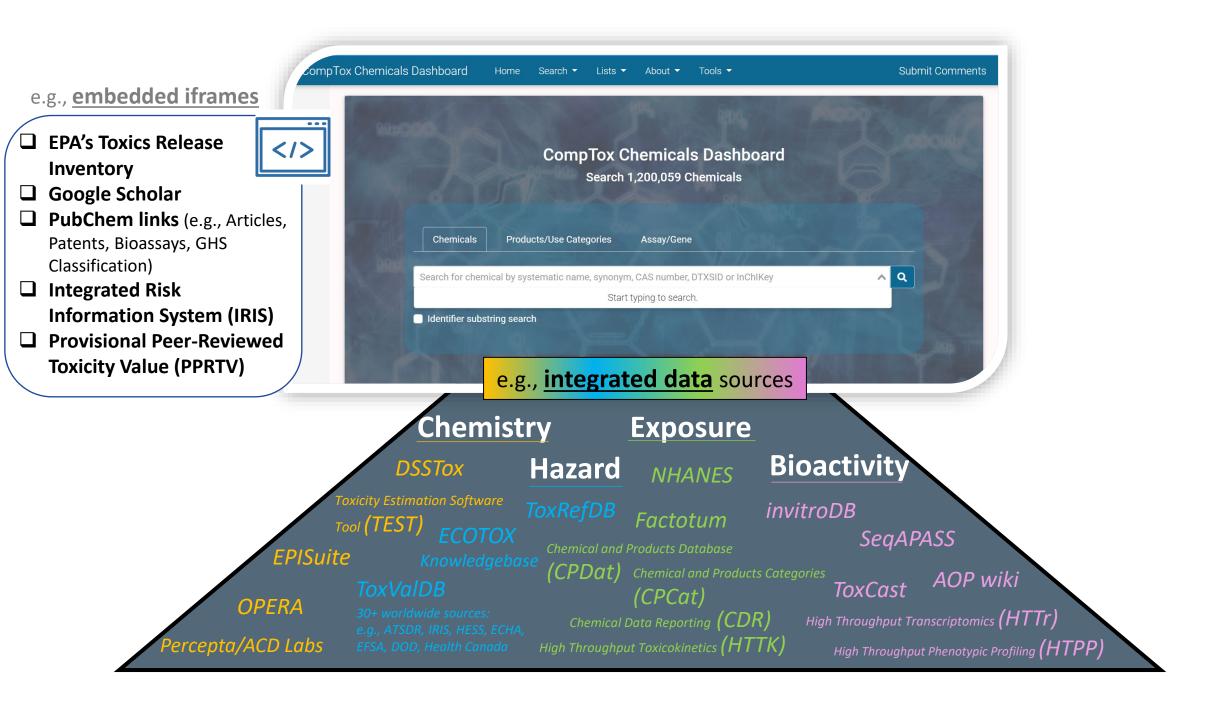
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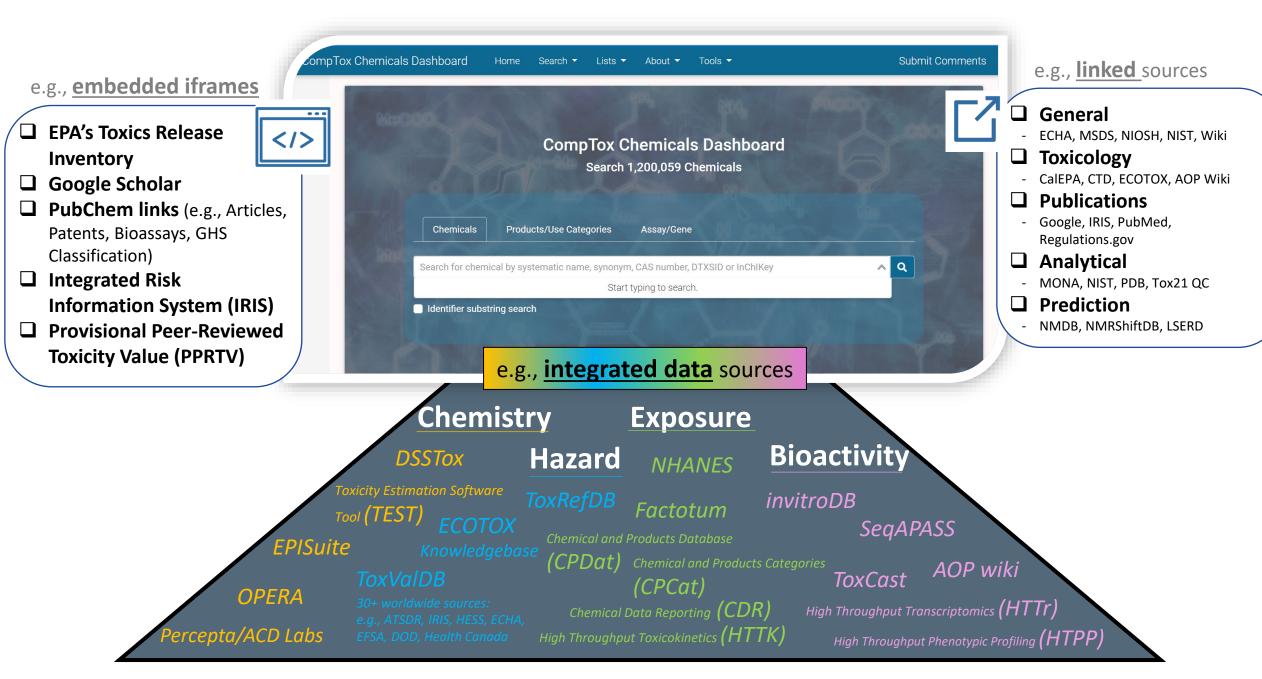
 Hazard/Bioactivity: safety classifications, human health & ecological data, in vivo animal data, biological targets (effect), doseresponse characterization (dose)

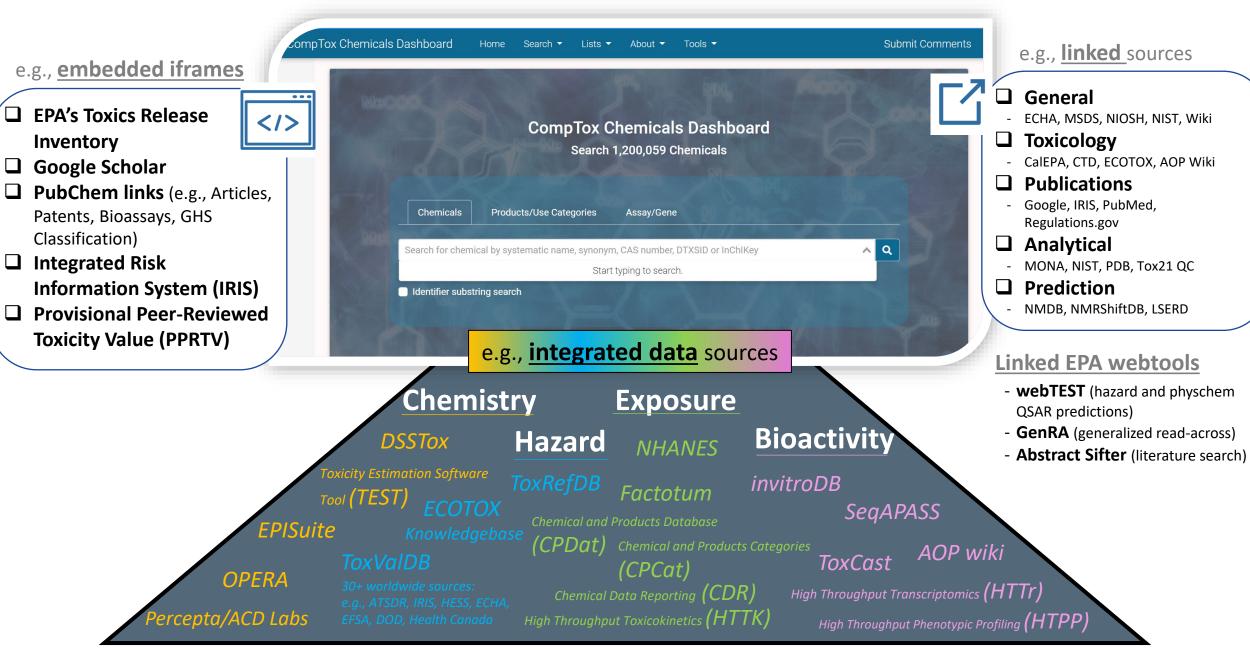
• Exposure/Toxicokinetics: measured and predicted











# **Team Approach**



Efforts include many more than who are shown here

Many external collaborators provided data & links

EPA/ORD/Center for Computational Toxicology and Exposure

# **Exploration Case Study**

# • Bisphenol A: A well-studied chemical

- Chemistry: physchem properties
- Hazard: quantitative risk assessment values, IRIS, in vivo data
- Bioactivity: high throughput screening data
- Exposure: Biomonitoring data

# Bisphenol B: A limited-studied chemical

- Chemistry: physchem properties
- Hazard: webTEST (predictions) & GenRA (data gap-filling using)
- Bioactivity: high throughput screening data
- Exposure: predictions

# Live Demo

# Navigation and Capabilities

# **Navigation & Capabilities**

### **Basic Search**

- Chemical
- Product/Use Category
- Assay/Gene

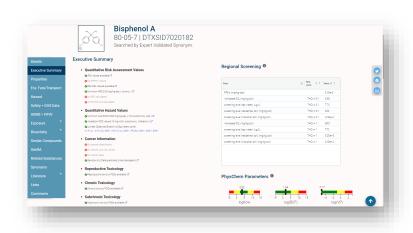
### **Advanced Search**

- Mass
- Molecular Formula
- Both

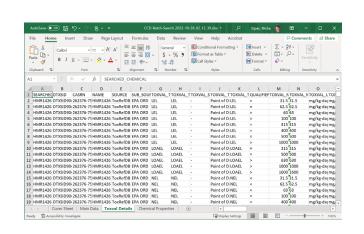
### **Batch Search**

- Several incl. chemical lists
- User defined

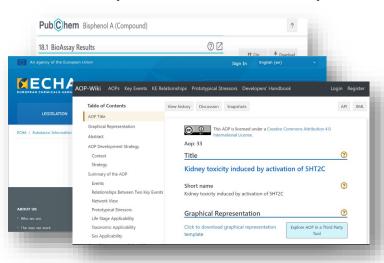
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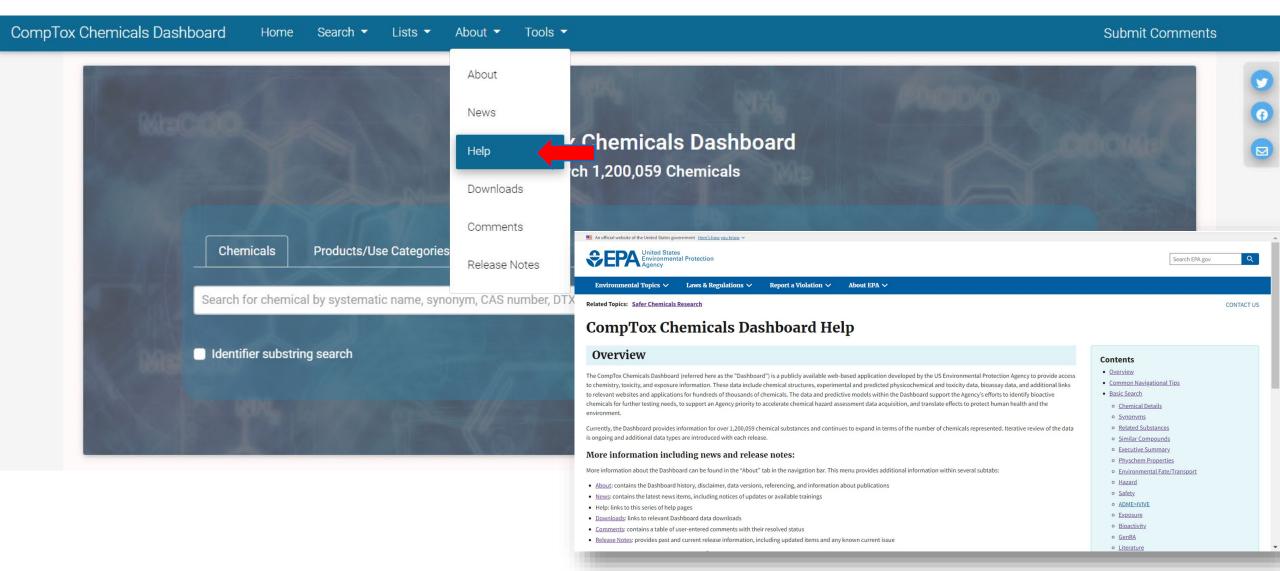
### **Data Download**



### Links (embedded & links out)

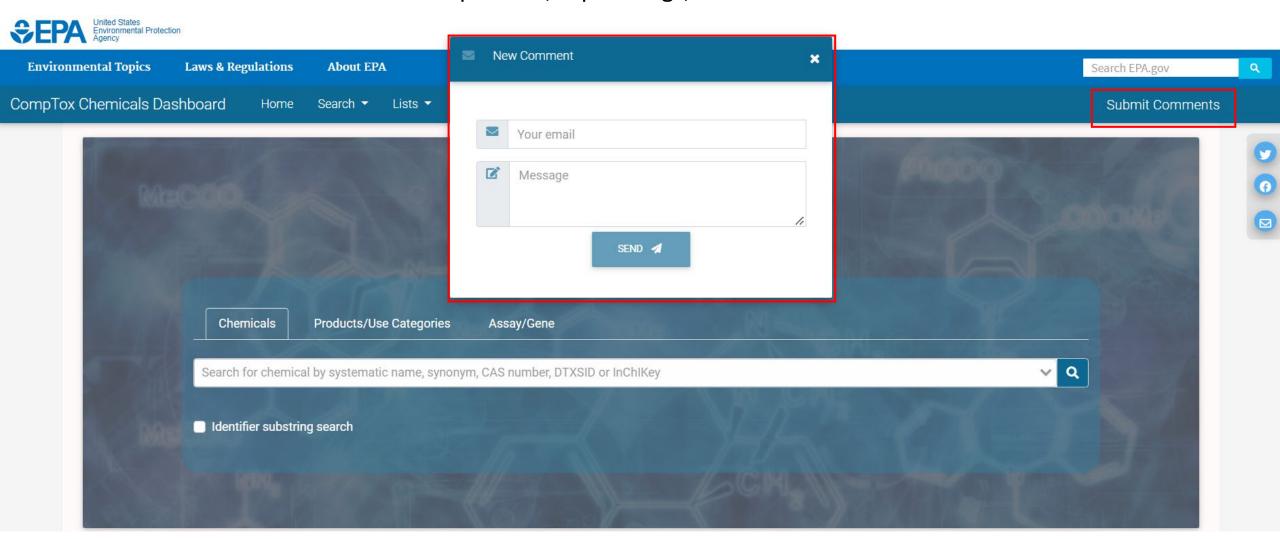


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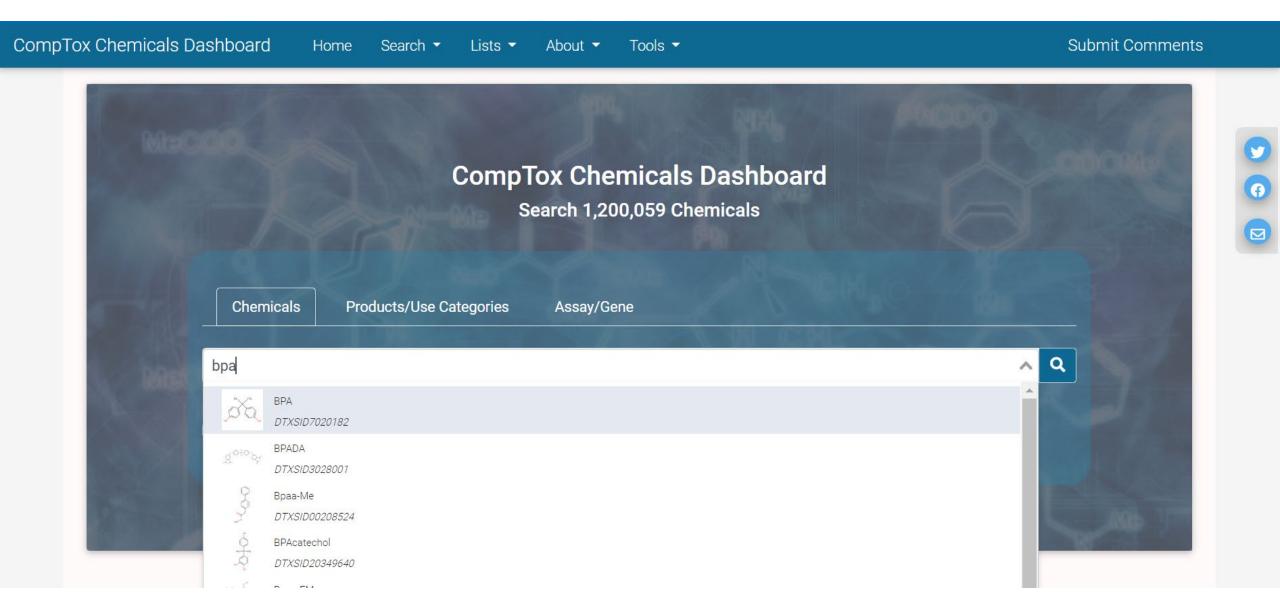


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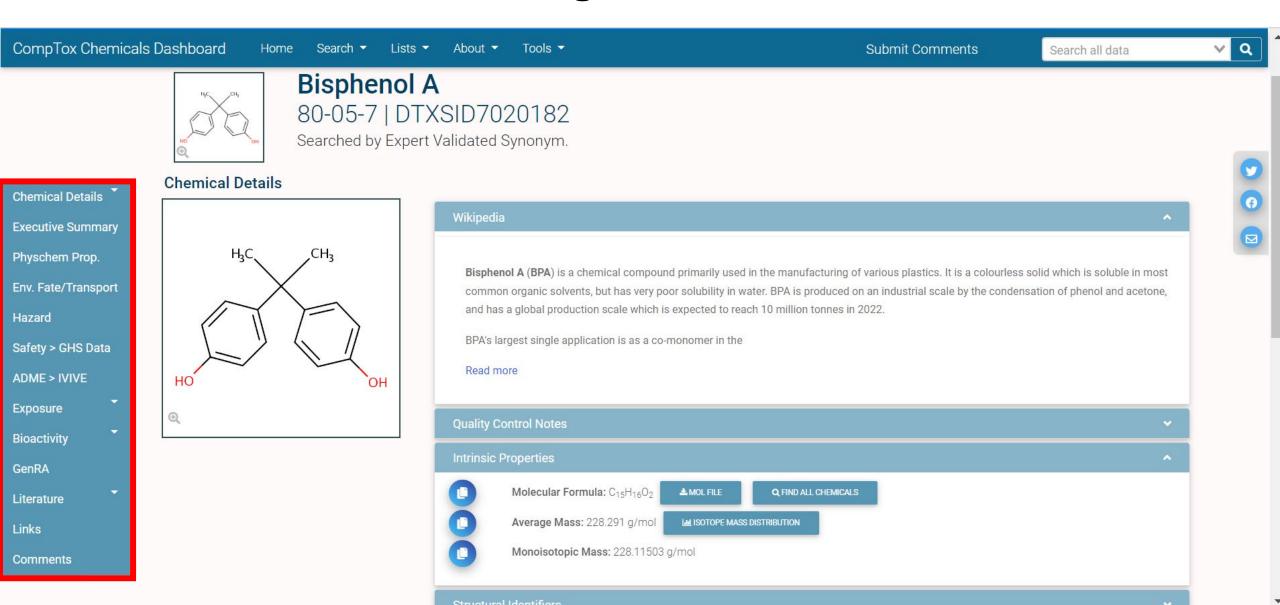
-to ask a question, report bugs, or submit feedback



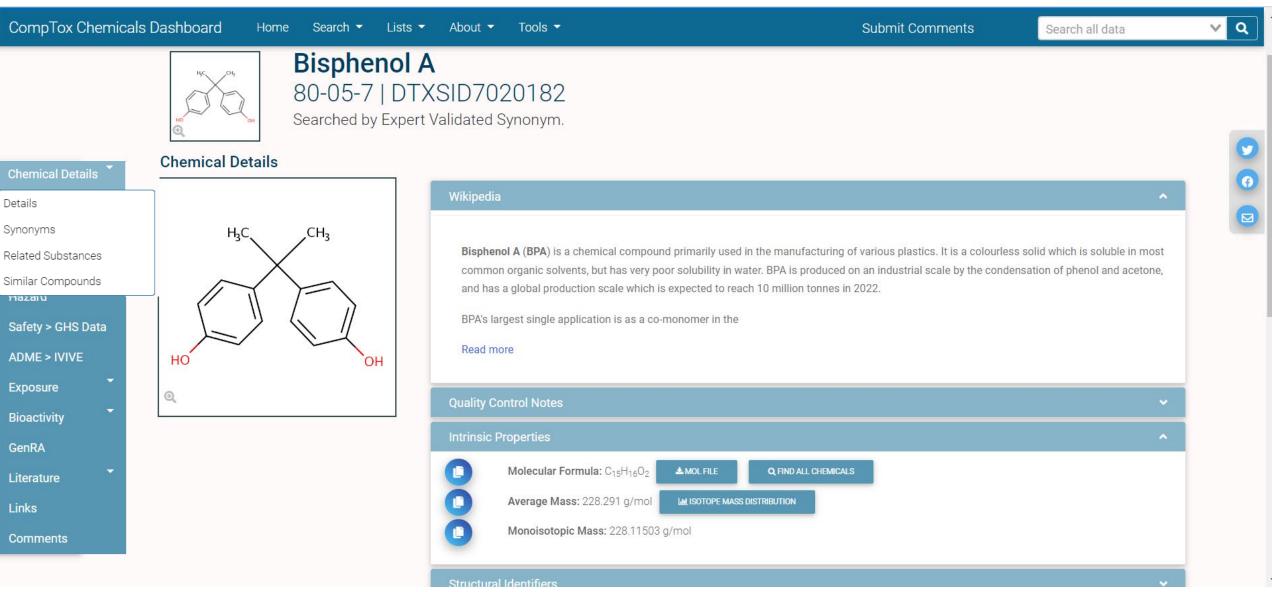
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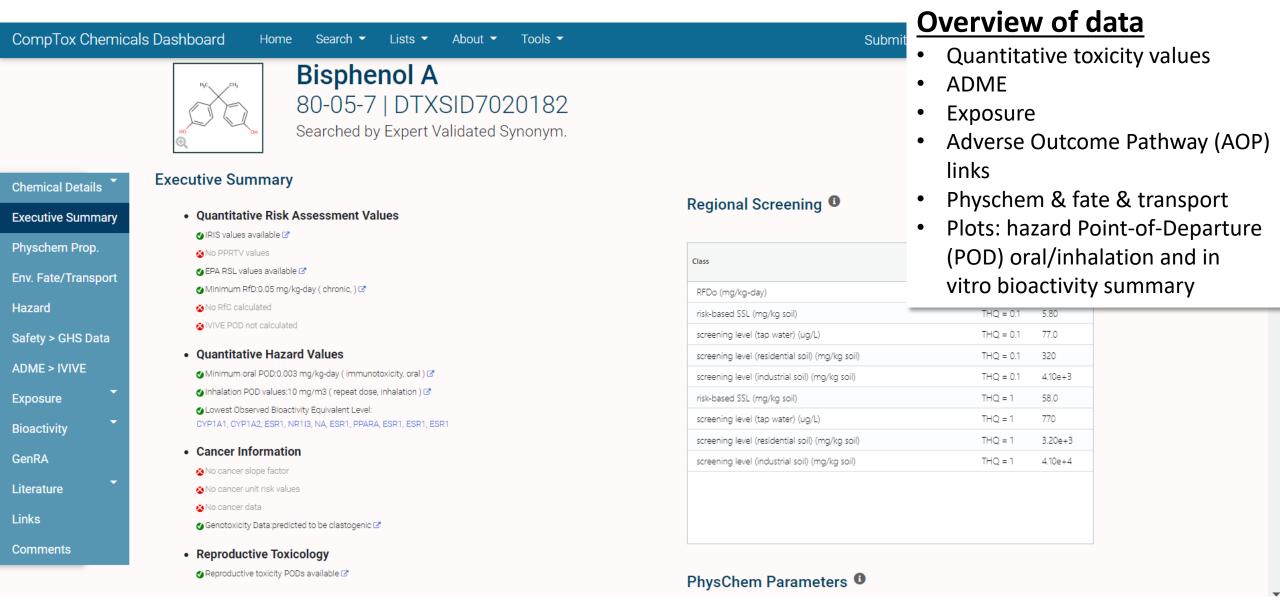
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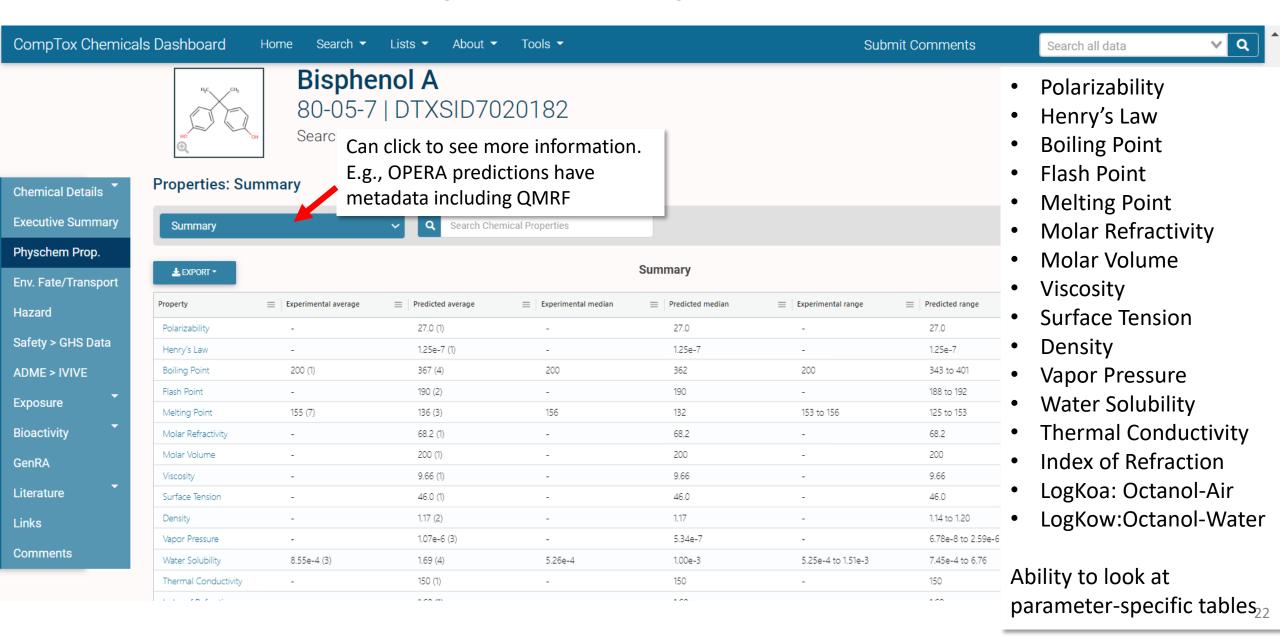
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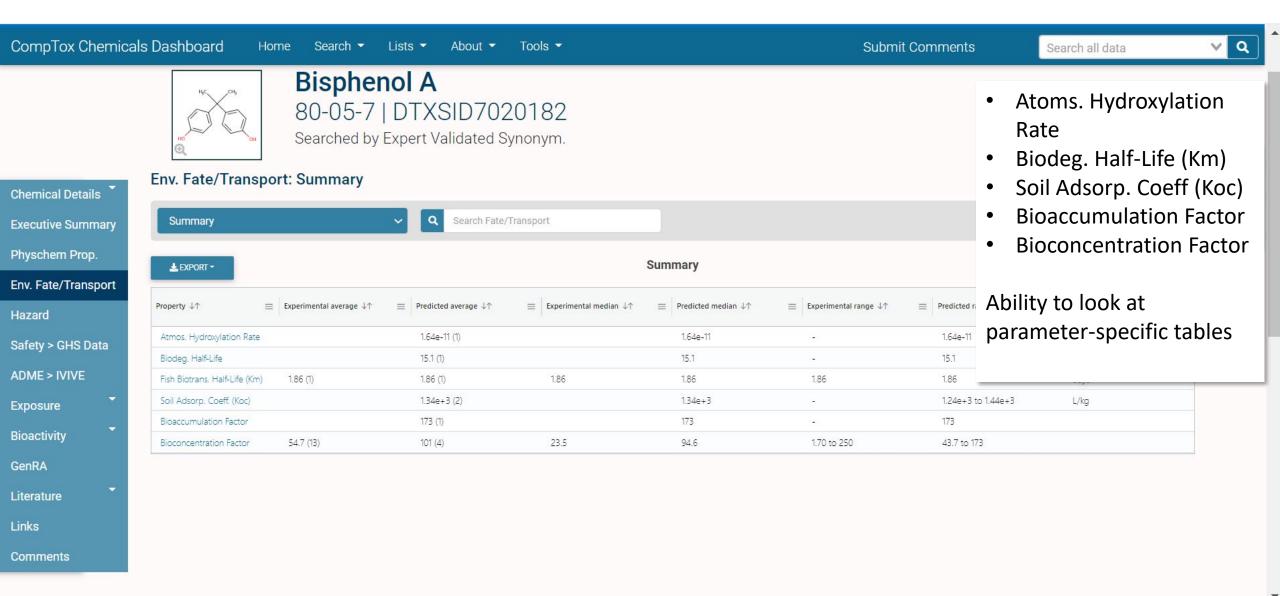
### **Executive Summary Tab**



# **PhysChem Properties Tab**



# **Environmental Fate/Transport Tab**



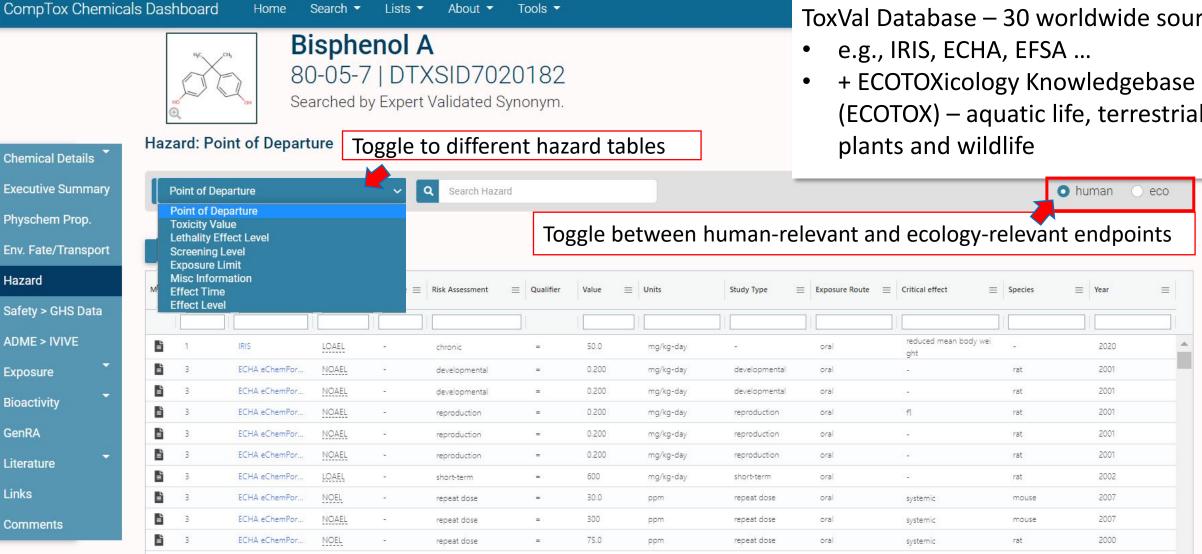
### Backup

### **Hazard Tab**

### Traditional animal studies toward human toxicity & ecotoxicology

ToxVal Database – 30 worldwide sources

(ECOTOX) – aquatic life, terrestrial



750

repeat dose

ppm

repeat dose

oral

systemic

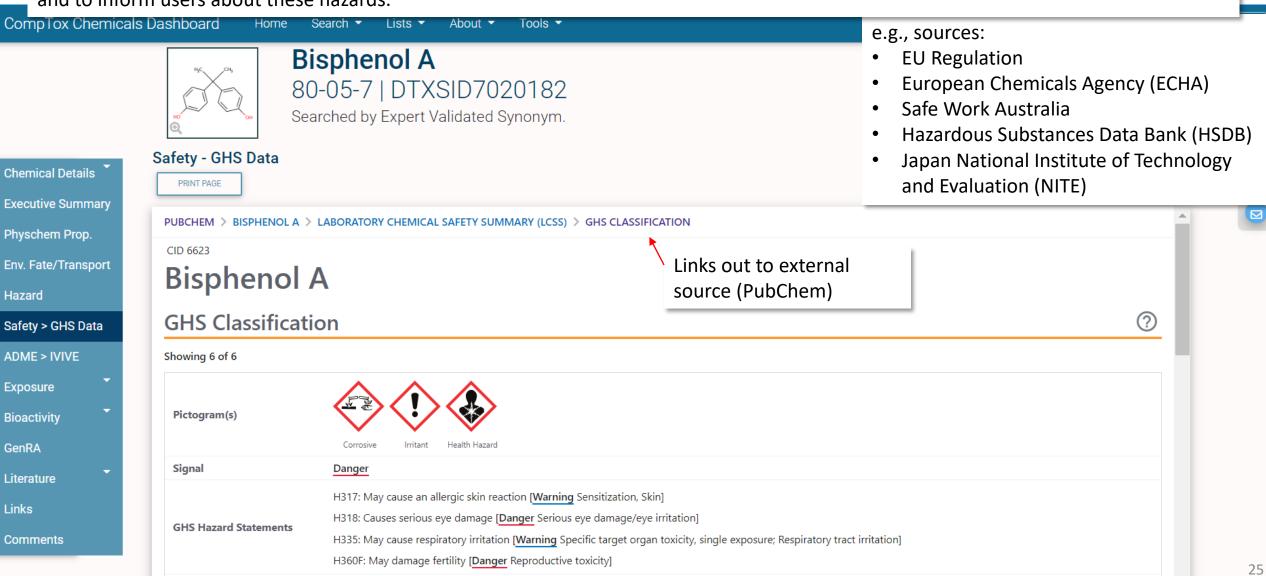
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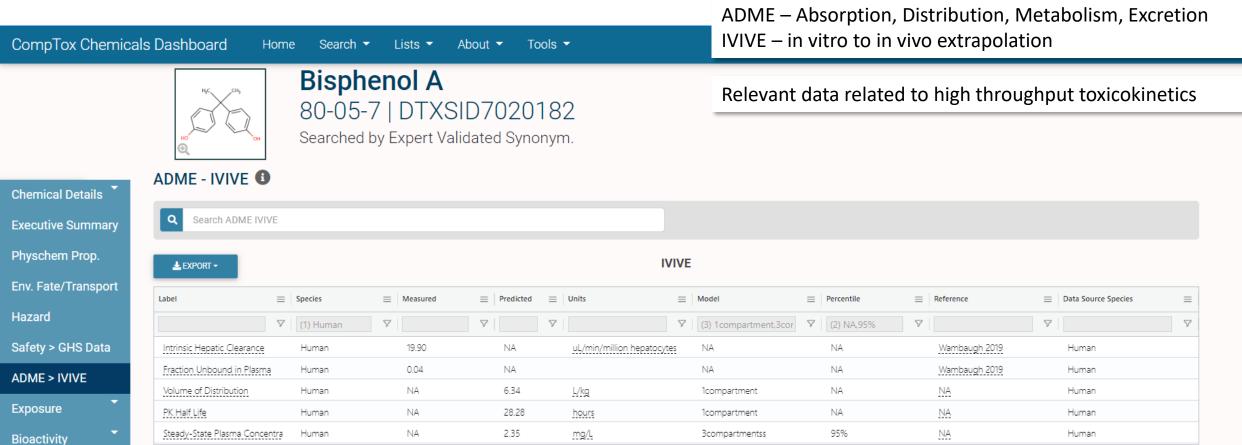
# Safety > GHS tab

GHS (Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labelling of Chemicals) is a United Nations system to identify hazardous chemicals and to inform users about these hazards.



### Backup

### ADME > IVIVE Tab



GenRA

Links

Literature

Comments

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### **Exposure Tabs**

Reported and measured data - come from public sources (e.g., MSDS sheets, EPA's Toxics Release Inventory, National Health, Nutrition Examination Survey (NHANES) biomonitoring data, EPA's Chemical Data Reporting (CDR) Rule - issued under the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA))



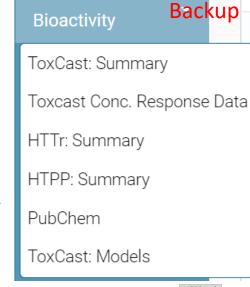
<u>Predicted data</u> – for predicted probability of functional use and exposure predictions - use various inputs, including physchem and env./fate transport data

Databases are developed for public consumption. E.g.,

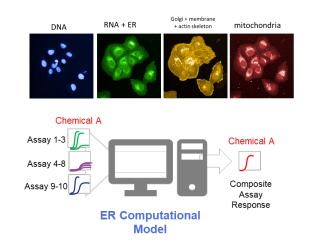
- EPA's Chemical and Products Database (CPDat)
- EPA's Chemical/Product Categories Database (CPCat)

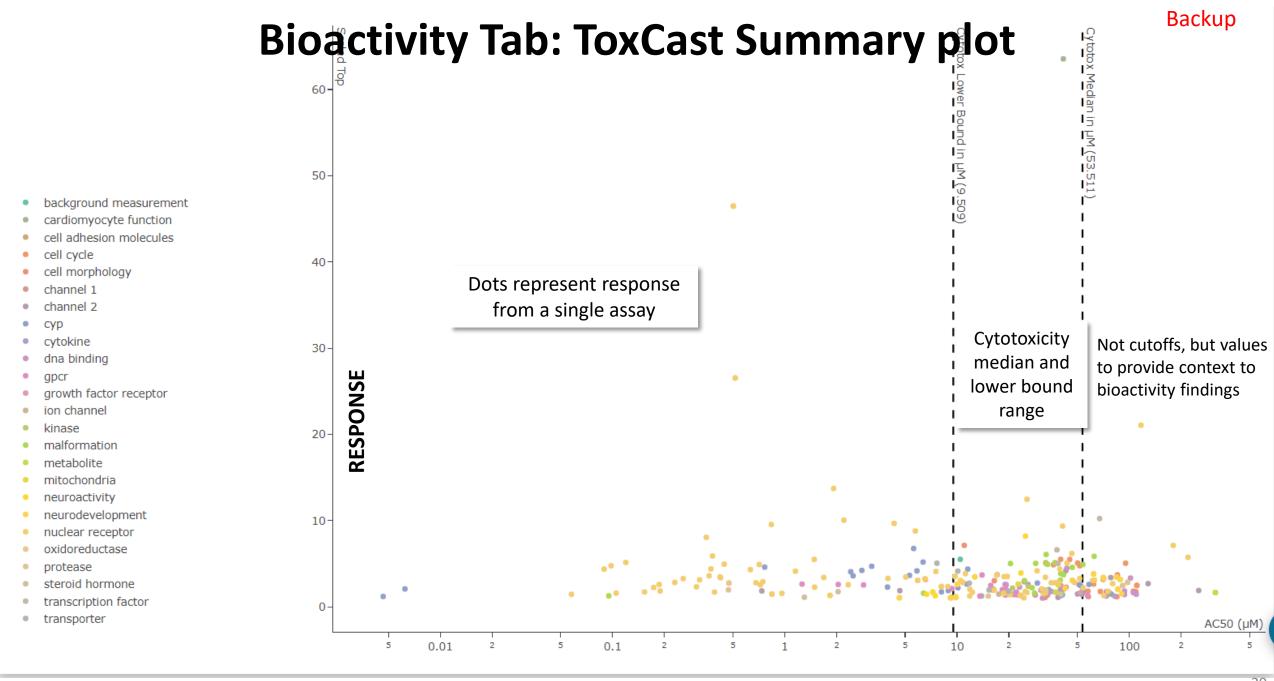
# **Bioactivity Tabs (in vitro)**

- High-throughput chemical screens to generate biological data on hundreds to thousands of chemicals
  - US EPA's Toxicity Forecasting (ToxCast) Program www.epa.gov/chemical-research/toxicity-forecasting
  - e.g., chemical-biological receptor interaction, metabolomics changes,
     functional cellular changes (neural network function), zebrafish development
  - Tox21 intergovernmental US collaboration
  - o invitroDB database (v3.5) <a href="https://www.epa.gov/chemical-research/exploring-toxcast-data-downloadable-data">www.epa.gov/chemical-research/exploring-toxcast-data-downloadable-data</a>
- High-throughput transcriptomics (HTTr)
- ToxCast ■ Not in ToxCast
- High-throughput phenotypic profiling (HTPP)
- Development of predictive models utilizing individual assay data (e.g., estrogen receptor [ER] model)
- PubChem Bioassay iframe



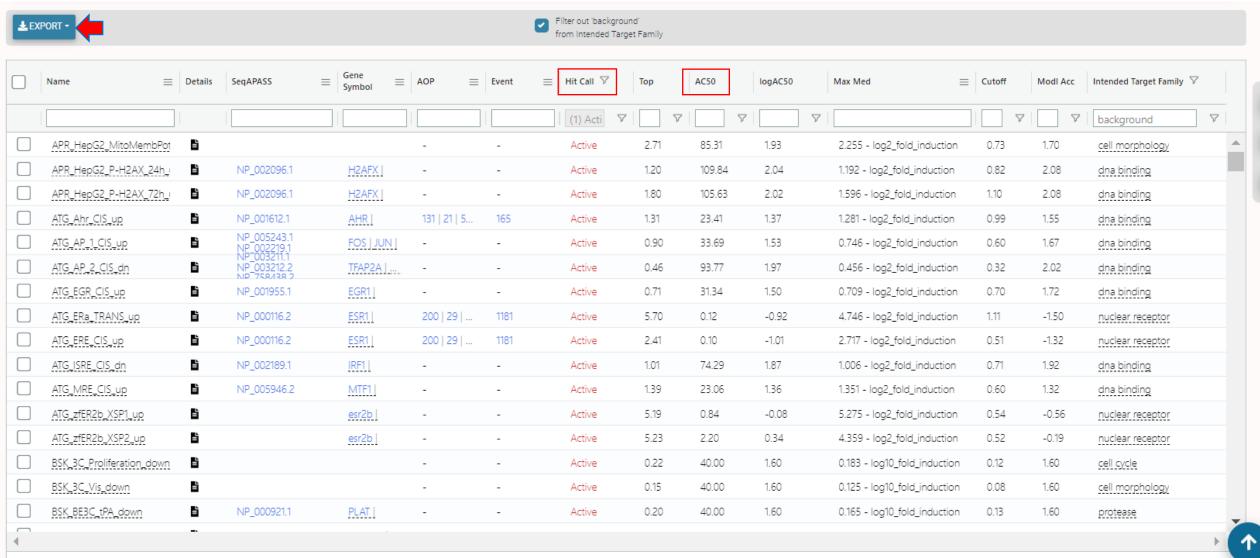








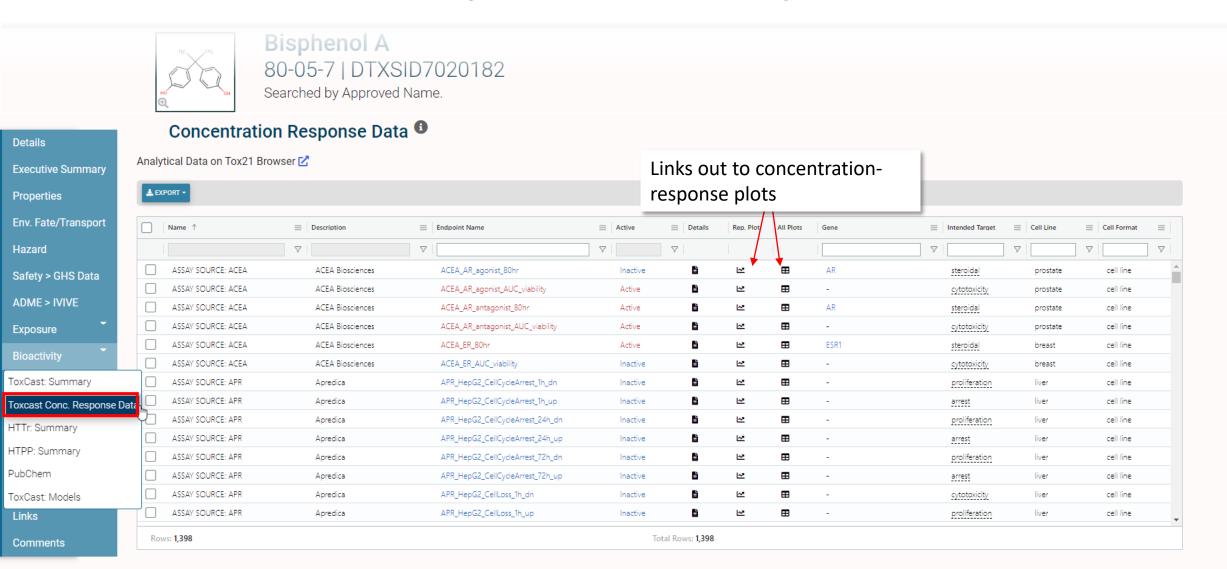
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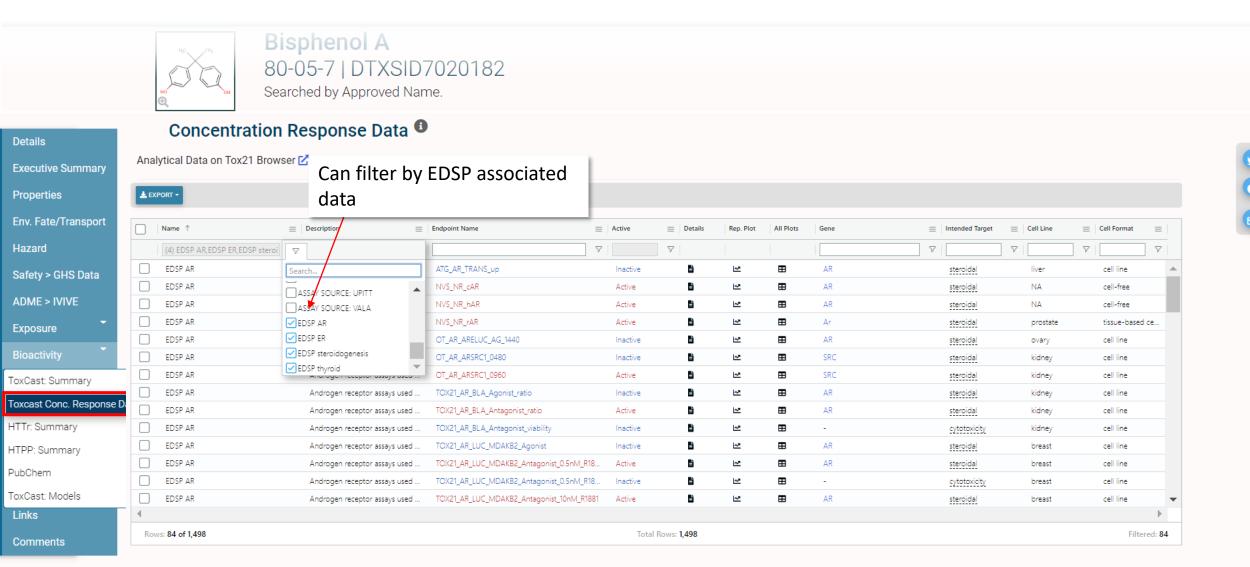


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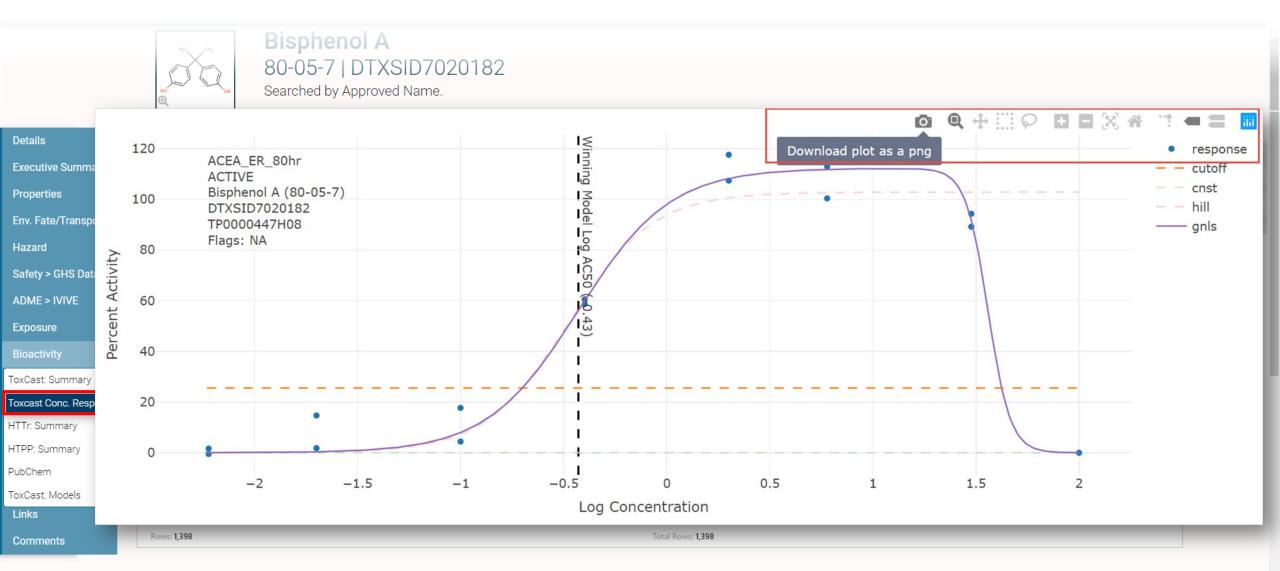




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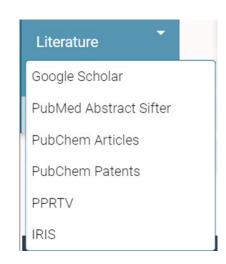
# **Bioactivity Tab: Conc. Response Data**



### Backup

### **Literature Tabs**

- Perform searches of publications containing the chemical, as well as user-defined terms
  - Google Scholar
  - PubMed Abstract Sifter
- Direct visualization of curated chemical database information
  - PubChem Articles
  - PubChem Patents
  - PPRTV (EPA's Provisional Peer-Reviewed Toxicity Value)
  - IRIS (EPA's Integrated Risk Information System)



# BPA Measured hazard and exposure data

# Measured hazard and exposure values for BPA

### **Executive Summary**

- Quantitative Risk Assessment Values
  - ✓ IRIS values available 
    ✓
  - ∧ No PPRTV values

  - No RfC calculated

### **Literature > IRIS**

### **Noncancer Assessment**

Reference Dose for Oral Exposure (RfD) (PDF) (8 pp, 93 K)

Last Updated: 09/26/1988

System	RfD (mg/kg- day)	Basis	PoD	Composite UF
Other	5 x 10 <sup>-2</sup>	Reduced mean body weight	LOAEL: 5.0 x 10 <sup>1</sup> mg/kg- day	1000

### **Exposure > Biomonitoring**

National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey (NHANES) Inferences (mg/kg-bw/day)

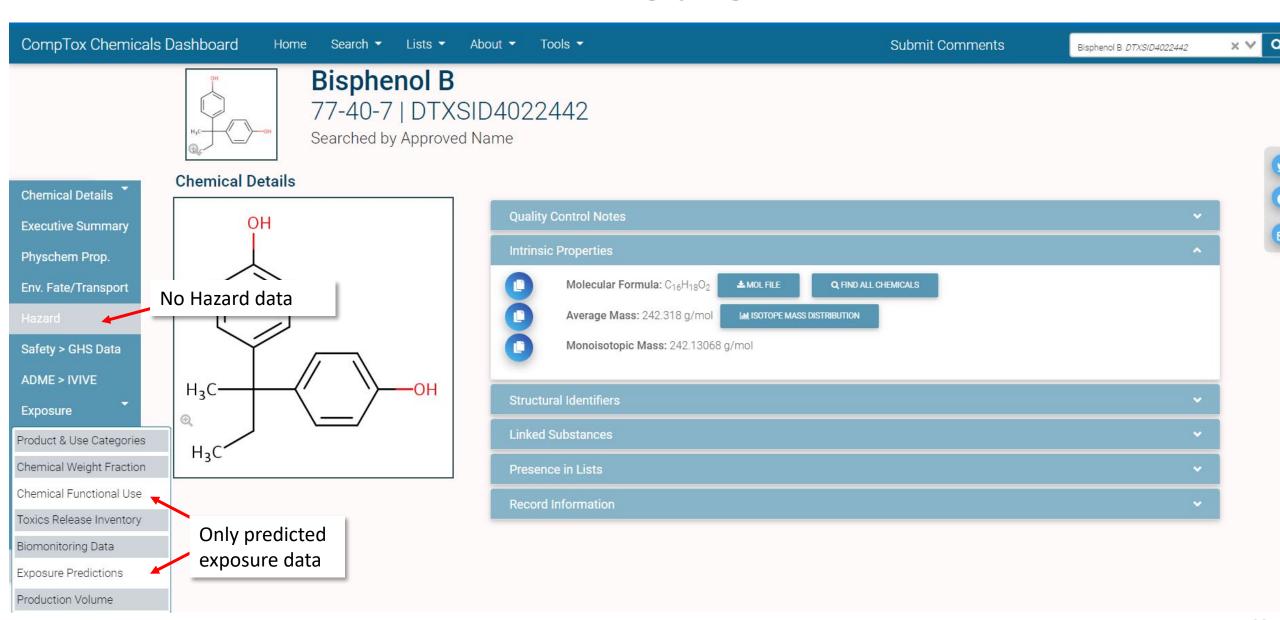
Demographic	Lower Bound (Median)	Upper Bound (Median)
Age 6-11	3.80e-5	4.92e-5
Age 12-19	2.55e-5	3.38e-5
Age 20-65	2.79e-5	3.27e-5
Age 65+	1.91e-5	2.31e-5
BMI < 30	3.02e-5	3.30e-5
BMI > 30	2.38e-5	2.74e-5
Females	2.58e-5	3.03e-5
Males	2.94e-5	3.37e-5
Repro. Age Females	2.83e-5	3.31e-5
Total	2.86e-5	3.08e-5

Hazard:  $5 \times 10^{-2} \text{mg/kg/day (RfD)}$ 

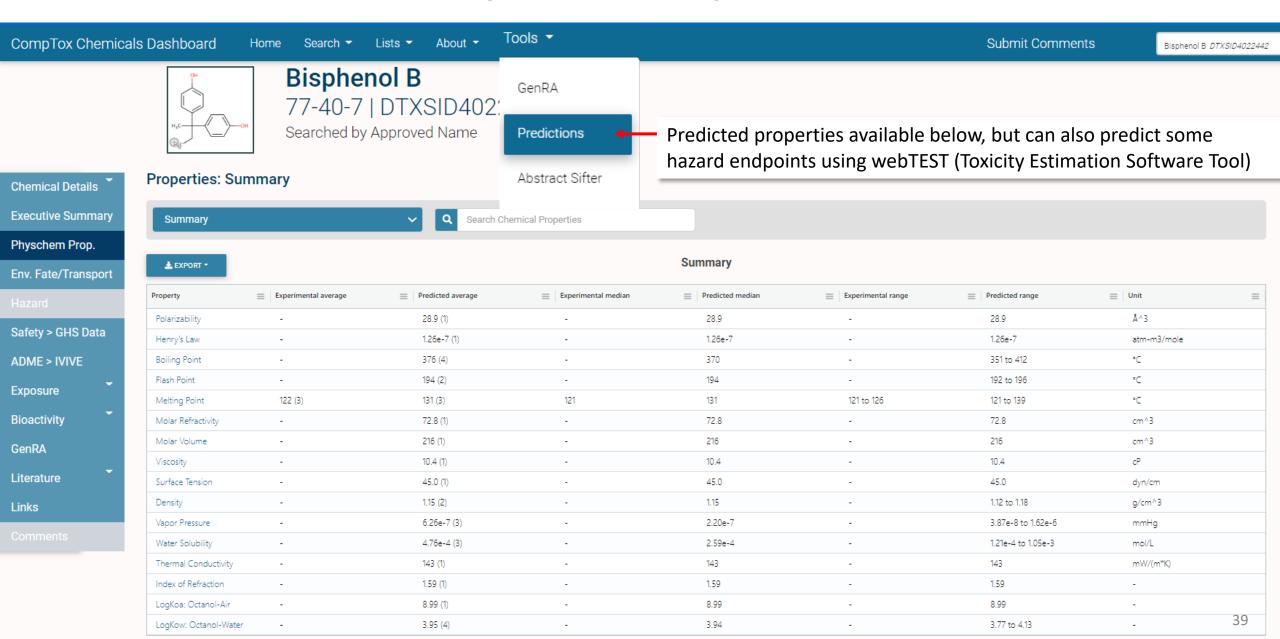
Exposures:  $\sim 5 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mg/kg/day (max)}$ 

# Bisphenol B

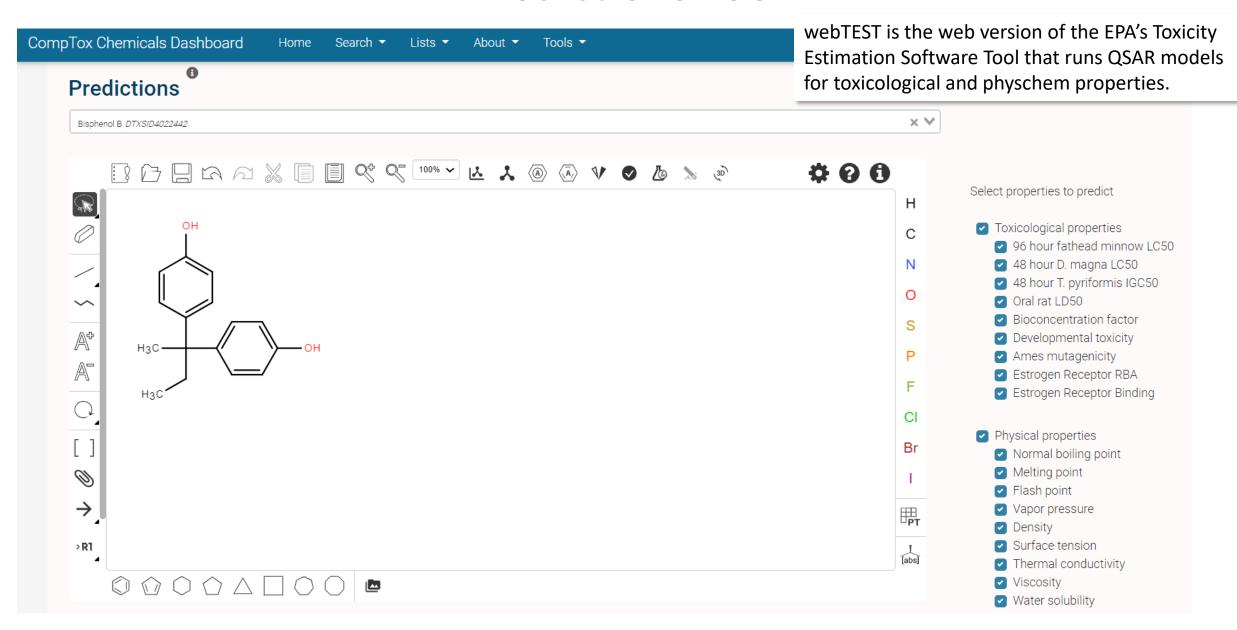
## **Landing page**



## **Physchem Properties**



### **Predictions Tool**



# webTEST predictions

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Property	≡ Experimental Value	≡ Consensus	≡ Hierarchical clustering		□ Group contribution	■ Nearest neighbor	=
96 hour fathead minnow LC50		5.148 -Log10(mol/L)	5.317 -Log10(mol/L)	4.766 -Log10(mol/L)	5.383 -Log10(mol/L)	5.125 -Log10(mol/L)	_
50 flour fathead fillinflow EC30		1.725 mg/L	1.169 mg/L	4.158 mg/L	1.002 mg/L	1.816 mg/L	
48 hour D. magna LC50		5.286 -Log10(mol/L)	5.601 -Log10(mol/L)	5.236 -Log10(mol/L)	4.965 -Log10(mol/L)	5.344 -Log10(mol/L)	
40 flour D. fliagria ECS0		1.253 mg/L	0.608 mg/L	1.407 mg/L	2.625 mg/L	1.098 mg/L	
48 hour T. pyriformis IGC50		4.858 -Log10(mol/L)	4.913 -Log10(mol/L)		5.565 -Log10(mol/L)	4.097 -Log10(mol/L)	
46 flour 1. pyrilorinis iacso		3.358 mg/L	2.958 mg/L		0.660 mg/L	19.398 mg/L	
Oral rat LD50		2.014 -Log10(mal/kg)	2.374 -Log10(mol/kg)			1.655 -Log10(mol/kg)	
Oral rat ED30		2344.727 mg/kg	1025.084 mg/kg			5363.214 mg/kg	
Bioconcentration factor		2.155 Log10 142.768	2.258 Log10 181.049	2.162 Log10 145.152	1.618 Log10 41.479	2.581 Log10 381.132	
Developmental toxicity		true	true	true			
Ames mutagenicity		false	false			false	
Estrogen Receptor RBA	-1.070 Log10 0.085	-1.668 Log10 0.021	-1.561 Log10 0.027	-1.394 Log10 0.040	-1.889 Log10 0.013	-1.827 Log10 0.015	
Estrogen Receptor Binding	true	true	true	true	true	true	
Normal boiling point		365.6 ℃	370.6 °C		395.7 ℃	330.3 ℃	
Melting point	120.5 °C	125.7 °C	138.3 °C		122.7 °C	116.2 °C	
Flash point		191.7 °C	200.1 °C		176.9 °C	198.1 °C	
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### **Generalized Read-Across (GenRA)**

Bioactivity

GenRA

Literature

- Interactive workflow to:
  - search for target or draw it;
  - define fingerprints for similarity and number of analogs;
  - Examine what data exist for source analogs;
  - Inspect the consistency, concordance, and range of effects for analogs
  - Understand confidence in the prediction(s)



## **Generalized Read-Across (GenRA)**

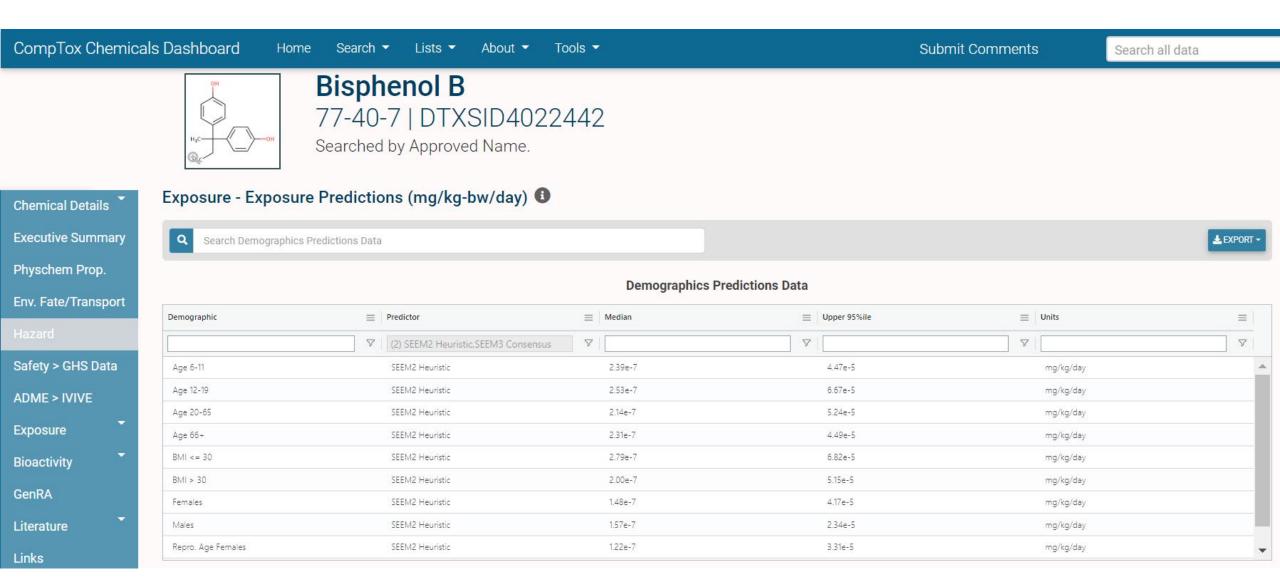
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2	role	target		analog		analog		analog		analog		
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9	Boiling °C	351.077		343.191		262.12		416.81	1	273.025		
10	log Kow	3.76543		3.32044		3.49129		6.66284	4	3.30226		
11	Vap. press. mmHg	3.87405E-08		6.77917E-08		0.00205254		5.30107E-09	9	0.000212376		
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# **Bioactivity ToxCast Summary data**

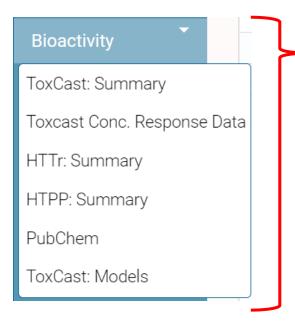
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## **Exposure predictions**



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## Reverse Toxicokinetics on Bioactivity data



#### Gather a bioactivity concentration

- Lowest X%
- Lowest AC50

### **Calculate Administered Equivalent Dose (AED)**

- 1. HTTK r-package
- 2. A straightforward equation : (Bioactivity conc. [micromolar]) x (1mg/kg/day) x (1/steady-state plasma concentration from ADME > IVIVE tab [micromolar]) . Make sure to check units
- 3. NIEHS WebICE tool

# **Exploration Case Study**

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- Exposure: Biomonitoring data

## Bisphenol B: A limited-studied chemical

- Chemistry: physchem properties
- Hazard: GenRA (data gap-filling using)
- Bioactivity: high throughput screening data
- Exposure: predictions

## Summary

- The CompTox Chemicals Dashboard allows public access of environmental chemical data to support EPA and partner decision making
- Currently >1.2 million chemicals providing chemistry, toxicity and exposure information
- Measured data (when available) are provided, along with predictions and the capability to make predictions, as well as search the literature for up-to-date information

# Thank you!

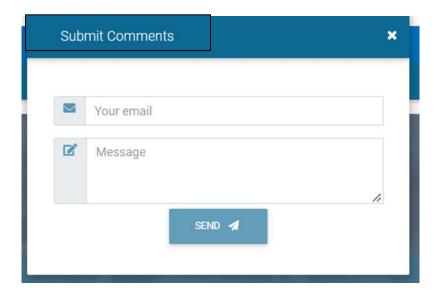
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# Resources

- https://www.epa.gov/chemical-research/new-approach-methods-nams-training
  - Link to past presentations, videos, and other references for EPA ORD's web applications, including the CompTox Chemicals Dashboard
- https://www.epa.gov/chemical-research/downloadable-computational-toxicologydata
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