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Study n°RAP01410

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ASSESSMENT OF THE BACTERICIDAL ACTIVITY ON STAPHYLOCOCCUS AUREUS AND PSEUDOMONAS AERUGINOSA according to EN 1040mod.

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Manufacturer/Supplier: ONE MORE SRL

STRADA ACQUASALATA, 5A 00000 47899 SERRAVALLE SM

SAN MARINO

Sample: GEL IGIENIZZANTE 64% ALCOHOL

Batch: 021006 DEL 02.023.20

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Storage conditions: room temperature

away from light

Appearance of the product

Physical form Gel

Colour Colorless

Active substances and their

concentrations: Alcohol 64%

Periodo of testing:

Acceptance date: 03/05/2020 Analysis date: 03/11/2020 Performed by A. Agostini

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PURPOSE

The assessment of the bactericidal activity of the product analyzed in the present study was conducted in relation to its ability to reduce the viability of two bacterial strains in vitro, *Staphylococcus aureus* and *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*. The microbial strains indicated were put in contact with the product for 1 minute. At the end of the contact time, the titer of bacteria remained alive is compared to those present at the beginning of the test itself.

EXPERIMENTAL PART

MATERIALS

Strains used and growing conditions:

TEST MICROORGANISMS	GROWTH CONDITIONS
Staphylococcus aureus DSM799	Tryptone Soy Agar (37°C; 24-48 hours)
Pseudomonas aeruginosa DSM 939	Tryptone Soy Agar (37°C; 24-48 hours)

METHOD

An aliquot of 20g of product to be tested is prepared in a sterile container and inoculated with 0.2 ml of microbial suspension at a concentration equal to 10^7 - 10^8 CFU / ml. Product inoculated with the bacterial strain is kept at 25 ° C in the dark and analyzed after 1 minute. At the end of the contact time, the antibacterial activity of the product is stopped by neutralization and the titer of the bacteria left alive is determined, making sowings in scaled dilutions with a step of 1:10 on semi-solid culture medium. At the end of the incubation period, necessary for the growth of plate colonies, the number of colony forming Units per ml or per gram (Ufc / ml or Ufc / g) present at the end of the contact period between product and microbial strain is evaluated.

RESULTS

For the contact time considered, the bacterial count was assessed at the end of the incubation period. The results was compared with the bacteria count at the time of inoculation. Comparing the data it was possible to determine the vitality reduction factor (R), with logarithmic expression. The reduction of bacterial load was also expressed as a percentage (R%), corresponding to the percentage difference in the bacterial load between the moment of inoculation and the end of the contact period between product microbial strain.



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Test organism: Staphylococcus aureus

Validation and controls

Validation suspension			Neutralizer control			Method validation		
(A)			(B)			(C)		
Vc1	87	1 06	Vc1 111 P 07		Vc1	89	G 05	
Vc2	105	A=96	Vc2	83	B =97	Vc2	101	C =95
			B ≥ 0.5 A ?				C ≥ 0.5 .	A ?
			Yes:	X	No:	Yes:	X	No:

Test suspension and test

	N	Vc1	Vc2	Average = 46.5×10^7 , $\lg N = 8.66$
Test suspension:	10^{-6}	>330	>330	No. N/100.1-No. 7.66
	10^{-7}	48	45	No = N/100; $lg No = 7.66$

Test

	Contact time	Na	lg Na	lg R	R%
GEL IGIENIZZANTE 64% ALCOHOL	1 min	<10	<1.00	>6.66	>99,99998%

Test organism: Pseudomonas aeruginosa

Validation and controls

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Validation suspension			Neutralizer control			Method validation			
(A)			(B)			(C)			
Vc1	122	A 110	Vc1 110 P 102		Vc1	93	G 02.5		
Vc2	114	A=118	Vc2	96	B =103	Vc2	94	C =93.5	
	·			$B \ge 0.5 A$? $C \ge 0.5 A$?			A ?		
			Yes:	X	No:	Yes:	X	No:	

Test suspension and test

	N	Vc1	Vc2	Average = 61.0×10^7 , $\lg N = 8.78$
Test suspension:	10^{-6}	>330	>330	No - N/100, 12 No - 7.79
	10^{-7}	52	70	No = N/100; $lg No = 7.78$

Test

	Contact time	Na	lg Na	lg R	R%
GEL IGIENIZZANTE 64% ALCOHOL	1 minuto	<10	<1.00	>6.78	>99.99998%

Explanations::

Vc = count per ml

Average = mean of Vc1 and Vc2

No = number of cells per ml in the mixtures at the beginning of the contact time

Na = number of survivors per ml in the test mixtures at the end of the contact time (1 min)

R = viability reduction (lg R = lg No - lg Na)



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CONCLUSION

The study carried out has made it possible to verify the antibacterial efficacy of a product called **GEL IGIENIZZANTE 64% ALCOHOL** (Batch **021006 of 02.023.20**) against *Staphylococcus aureus* and *Pseudomonas aeruginosa*.

The product demonstrated a significant reduction in bacterial viability, under the conditions described above after 1 minute of contact (>99.99998%).

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