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DETERMINATION OF HYGIENIC HANDRUB (EN 1500:2013) ACTIVITY OF THE PRODUCT **CHEMISEPT GEL**

Sample ID: S48/2022
Sample name: **CHEMISEPT GEL**
Client: Chemi-Pharm AS, Tánassilma tee 11, Tánassilma küla, 76406 Saku vald, Estonia
Manufacturer: Chemi-Pharm AS, Tánassilma tee 11, Tánassilma küla, 76406 Saku vald, Estonia
Sampling point: Chemi-Pharm AS, Tánassilma tee 11, Tánassilma küla, 76406 Saku vald, Estonia

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Incoming date:
23.2.2022

Delivery date:
28.3.2022

Description: Testing the efficacy of chemical disinfectants and antiseptics

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| Sample ID: | S48/2022 | Sampling date: | 29.12.2021 |
| Sample name: | CHEMISEPT GEL | Sample delivered: | 23.2.2022 |
| Sampled: | Client | Testing date: | 16.3. - 17.3.2022 |
| Sampling point: | Chemi-Pharm AS | Delivered amount: | 2 x 500 ml |
| Client: | Chemi-Pharm AS | Page: | 3 |

The Number of CFU in the tested product: 0 CFU/ml

Testing the efficacy of chemical disinfectant **CHEMISEPT GEL** on *Escherichia coli* K 12 NCTC 10538

Test suspensions:

| Dilutions | V1 | V2 | lgN | Weighted mean (σ) | | |
|--------------------------|------|------|----------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------|---|
| 10 ⁻⁶ | >330 | >330 | | | | |
| 10 ⁻⁷ | 33 | 47 | 8,6 | | | |
| $\Phi = 4,0 \times 10^8$ | | | $8,17 \leq \lg N \leq 8,7$ | for N | $5 \leq \sigma \leq 15$ | - |

Verification of methodology

| Validation of suspension N _{vo} | | Validation of suspension N _{vb} | | Neutralizer toxicity control (B) | |
|--|-----|--|-----|----------------------------------|-----|
| Vc1 | 96 | Vc1 | 68 | Vc1 | 112 |
| Vc2 | 110 | Vc2 | 129 | Vc2 | 82 |
| $30 \leq 103 \leq 160$ | | $30 \leq 98,5 \leq 160$ | | $97 \geq$ | |
| $30 \leq \Phi_{Nvo} \leq 160$ | | $30 < \Phi_{Nvb}(Nvb/1000) < 160$ | | $\Phi_B \geq 0,0005 \Phi_{Nvb}$ | |

Method validation (C)

| Testing conditions | Vc1 | Vc2 | σ C |
|------------------------|-----|-----|-----------------------|
| 80 %, 0,5 min, -, 20°C | 84 | 116 | $100 \geq 0,5 N_{vo}$ |

Note: Vc = value is the number of cfu per ml, Φ = average Vc1 a Vc2 (1. + 2. duplicate Vc values), N = the number of cfu/ml of the bacterial test suspension, N_{vo} (C), N_{vb} (B) = the number of cfu/ml of the bacterial test suspensions for validation in the test mixture B, C at the beginning of the contact time = 0, B, C, = the number of surviving bacteria per ml in control tests (B - neutralizer toxicity validation, C - method validation)

Acceptance criteria for test results:

Only if the results of the test procedure fulfil the following requirements, they shall be accepted for further evaluation, otherwise the test shall be repeated:

- a) A complete set of results from at least 18 volunteers shall be available. All complete sets of results shall be used for further evaluation.
- b) The overall means of the lg prevalues for RP and PP shall be both at least 5.00.
- c) Not more than three individual lg reductions less than 3.00 shall occur in RP.
- d) The absolute difference of mean differences between lg reductions of RP and PP of group RP → PP and group PP → RP shall be less than 2.00.
- e) All quotients of weighted mean counts between 5 and 15.

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| Sample name: | CHEMISEPT GEL | Sample delivered: | 23.2.2022 |
| Sampled: | Client | Testing date: | 16.3. - 17.3.2022 |
| Sampling point: | Chemi-Pharm AS | Delivered amount: | 2 x 500 ml |
| Client: | Chemi-Pharm AS | Page: | 4 |

Conclusion:

The acceptance criteria for the test results were met.

From table (see Table E.5 in EN 1500) of critical values for Wilcoxon's matched-pairs signed-ranks test the entry for $n = 20$ and a one-sided 0.025 level of significance, the critical value of 52 is found. Hence $c = 52 + 1 = 53$. The pairwise differences are sorted in descending order. The 53rd value is 0,17. Hence the Hodges-Lehmann upper one-sided 97,5% confidence limit for the difference in lg Rs between RP and PP is 0,17, which is less than the agreed inferiority margin of 0,6. Therefore the hypothesis of inferiority of PP is rejected and it can be concluded the test preparation PP is non-inferior to RP.

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| The tested product | CHEMISEPT GEL |
| Batch number: | 198291221 |
| Standard: | EN 1500:2013 |
| Procedure: | handrub |

Conditions:

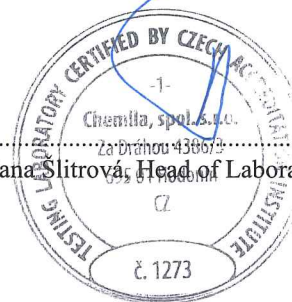
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|------------------------|------|
| Application time: | 30 s |
| Volume of the product: | 3 ml |
| Concentration: | 100% |

The tested product is seemed suitable to be used as medical hygienic handrub.

Approved by: Ing. Barbora Stoklásková, Leader of Study

Hodonín, 28.3.2022

Ing. Jana Slitrová, Head of Laboratory



Period of analysis: 16.3.-17.3.2022
Prepared by: Mgr. Alena Holiková

| Volunteer | Hand left or right | 2-Propanol batch 11161134133, expiry date 2026/06/30, 60%, 2x3 ml, 2x30 s | | | | | | | | | | Product Chemisept Gel, sample S48/2022, 100%, 3 ml, 30 s | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|-----------------------|---|------|-----|------|------|-----|------|------|------|------|--|------|------|-----|------|------|------|------|------|-----|
| | | -3 | -4 | -5 | 0 | -1 | -2 | -3 | -4 | -5 | 0 | -1 | -2 | -3 | -4 | -5 | 0 | -1 | -2 | | |
| 1 | l | >330 | 126 | <14 | >330 | 58 | <14 | >330 | >330 | >330 | >330 | >330 | >330 | >330 | 50 | >330 | 142 | >330 | >330 | >330 | 14 |
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| Volunteer | Chronological Sequence | Reference hand disinfection procedure RP | | | | | | Reference handwash procedure with product PP | | | | | | Difference RP - PP |
|-----------|------------------------|--|--------------|--------------|---------------|------|-------------|--|--------------|---------------|------|-------|--|--------------------|
| | | N prevalues | N postvalues | lg prevalues | lg postvalues | lg R | N prevalues | N postvalues | lg prevalues | lg postvalues | lg R | | | |
| 1 | RP | 1,21E+06 | 6,40E+02 | 6,08 | 2,81 | 3,27 | 4,10E+06 | 1,44E+03 | 6,61 | 3,16 | 3,45 | -0,18 | | |
| 2 | RP | 1,26E+06 | 9,70E+02 | 6,10 | 2,99 | 3,11 | 4,50E+06 | 8,80E+02 | 6,65 | 2,94 | 3,71 | -0,60 | | |
| 3 | RP | 4,40E+06 | 1,01E+03 | 6,64 | 3,00 | 3,64 | 7,60E+06 | 6,45E+02 | 6,88 | 2,81 | 4,07 | -0,43 | | |
| 4 | RP | 1,88E+06 | 3,70E+02 | 6,27 | 2,57 | 3,70 | 1,41E+06 | 3,02E+02 | 6,15 | 2,48 | 3,67 | 0,03 | | |
| 5 | RP | 1,27E+06 | 5,00E+02 | 6,10 | 2,70 | 3,40 | 2,41E+06 | 3,75E+02 | 6,38 | 2,57 | 3,81 | -0,40 | | |
| 6 | RP | 1,32E+05 | 1,28E+02 | 5,12 | 2,11 | 3,01 | 1,26E+05 | 1,89E+02 | 5,10 | 2,28 | 2,82 | 0,19 | | |
| 7 | RP | 4,10E+06 | 9,20E+02 | 6,61 | 2,96 | 3,65 | 2,12E+06 | 5,40E+03 | 6,33 | 3,73 | 2,60 | 1,05 | | |
| 8 | RP | 1,15E+06 | 1,35E+03 | 6,06 | 3,13 | 2,93 | 1,15E+06 | 4,20E+02 | 6,06 | 2,62 | 3,44 | -0,51 | | |
| 9 | RP | 2,00E+06 | 1,72E+03 | 6,30 | 3,24 | 3,06 | 1,41E+06 | 1,42E+03 | 6,15 | 3,15 | 3,00 | 0,06 | | |
| 10 | RP | 6,80E+06 | 9,30E+02 | 6,83 | 2,97 | 3,86 | 4,40E+06 | 8,50E+02 | 6,64 | 2,93 | 3,71 | 0,15 | | |
| 11 | PP | 8,50E+05 | 7,10E+02 | 5,93 | 2,85 | 3,08 | 3,90E+06 | 2,24E+03 | 6,59 | 3,35 | 3,24 | -0,16 | | |
| 12 | PP | 1,52E+06 | 1,13E+03 | 6,18 | 3,05 | 3,13 | 4,60E+06 | 9,30E+02 | 6,66 | 2,97 | 3,69 | -0,56 | | |
| 13 | PP | 3,80E+06 | 8,30E+02 | 6,58 | 2,92 | 3,66 | 6,10E+06 | 1,28E+02 | 6,79 | 2,11 | 4,68 | -1,02 | | |
| 14 | PP | 1,71E+06 | 8,20E+02 | 6,23 | 2,91 | 3,32 | 2,89E+06 | 7,60E+02 | 6,46 | 2,88 | 3,58 | -0,26 | | |
| 15 | PP | 6,30E+05 | 5,90E+02 | 5,80 | 2,77 | 3,03 | 2,11E+06 | 3,80E+02 | 6,32 | 2,58 | 3,74 | -0,71 | | |
| 16 | PP | 1,21E+06 | 1,43E+03 | 6,08 | 3,16 | 2,92 | 1,13E+06 | 4,00E+03 | 6,05 | 3,60 | 2,45 | 0,47 | | |
| 17 | PP | 2,92E+06 | 1,90E+03 | 6,47 | 3,28 | 3,19 | 2,06E+06 | 4,10E+03 | 6,31 | 3,61 | 2,70 | 0,49 | | |
| 18 | PP | 1,83E+06 | 3,90E+02 | 6,26 | 2,59 | 3,67 | 4,90E+05 | 3,80E+02 | 5,69 | 2,58 | 3,11 | 0,56 | | |
| 19 | PP | 5,40E+06 | 2,71E+03 | 6,73 | 3,43 | 3,30 | 2,07E+06 | 1,36E+03 | 6,32 | 3,13 | 3,19 | 0,11 | | |
| 20 | PP | 5,60E+06 | 7,70E+03 | 6,75 | 3,89 | 2,86 | 2,72E+06 | 8,80E+03 | 6,43 | 3,94 | 2,49 | 0,37 | | |
| ∅ | Overall | 2,48E+06 | 1,34E+03 | 6,26 | 2,97 | 3,29 | 2,86E+06 | 1,75E+03 | 6,33 | 2,97 | 3,36 | | | |
| s | | 1,88E+06 | 1,61E+03 | 0,40 | 0,36 | 0,31 | 1,91E+06 | 2,22E+03 | 0,41 | 0,50 | 0,57 | | | |
| n | | | | 20 | 20 | 20 | | | 20 | 20 | 20 | | | |
| ∅ | RP → PP | | | 6,21 | 2,85 | 3,36 | | | 6,30 | 2,87 | 3,43 | -0,07 | | |
| s | | | | 0,47 | 0,33 | 0,33 | | | 0,50 | 0,42 | 0,47 | | | |
| n | | | | 10 | 10 | 10 | | | 10 | 10 | 10 | | | |
| ∅ | PP → RP | | | 6,30 | 3,09 | 3,22 | | | 6,36 | 3,08 | 3,29 | -0,07 | | |
| s | | | | 0,32 | 0,37 | 0,28 | | | 0,31 | 0,57 | 0,68 | | | |
| n | | | | 10 | 10 | 10 | | | 10 | 10 | 10 | | | |

Sorting of individual differences and computation for Hodges-Lehmann 97,5% upper confidence limits

| | Sorted differences | Mean pairwise differences $(d_i+d_{ii})/2$ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----|--------------------|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 19 | 20 |
| 1 | 1,05 | 1,05 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 2 | 0,56 | 0,81 | 0,56 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | 0,49 | 0,77 | 0,53 | 0,49 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 4 | 0,47 | 0,76 | 0,52 | 0,48 | 0,47 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 5 | 0,37 | 0,71 | 0,47 | 0,43 | 0,42 | 0,37 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6 | 0,19 | 0,62 | 0,38 | 0,34 | 0,33 | 0,28 | 0,19 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7 | 0,15 | 0,60 | 0,36 | 0,32 | 0,31 | 0,26 | 0,17 | 0,15 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | 0,11 | 0,58 | 0,34 | 0,30 | 0,29 | 0,24 | 0,15 | 0,13 | 0,11 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9 | 0,06 | 0,56 | 0,31 | 0,28 | 0,27 | 0,22 | 0,13 | 0,11 | 0,09 | 0,06 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 | 0,03 | 0,54 | 0,30 | 0,26 | 0,25 | 0,20 | 0,11 | 0,09 | 0,07 | 0,05 | 0,03 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11 | -0,16 | 0,45 | 0,20 | 0,17 | 0,16 | 0,11 | 0,02 | -0,01 | -0,03 | -0,05 | -0,07 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 12 | -0,18 | 0,44 | 0,19 | 0,16 | 0,15 | 0,10 | 0,01 | -0,02 | -0,04 | -0,06 | -0,06 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 13 | -0,26 | 0,40 | 0,15 | 0,12 | 0,11 | 0,06 | -0,04 | -0,06 | -0,08 | -0,08 | -0,08 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 14 | -0,41 | 0,32 | 0,08 | 0,04 | 0,03 | -0,02 | -0,11 | -0,13 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15 | -0,43 | 0,31 | 0,07 | 0,03 | 0,02 | -0,03 | -0,12 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 16 | -0,51 | 0,27 | 0,03 | -0,01 | -0,02 | -0,07 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 17 | -0,56 | 0,25 | 0,00 | -0,04 | -0,05 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 18 | -0,60 | 0,23 | -0,02 | -0,06 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 19 | -0,71 | 0,17 | -0,08 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20 | -1,02 | 0,02 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

$\log R =$ decimal log reduction; RP \rightarrow PP sequence: first RP, second PP; PP \rightarrow RP sequence: first PP, second RP; $\phi =$ mean; $s =$ standard deviation; $n =$ number of values (volunteer)

Difference of mean Rs (RP \rightarrow PP): $3,36 - 3,43 = -0,07$; Difference of mean Rs (PP \rightarrow RP): $3,22 - 3,29 = -0,07$; Absolute difference of differences: $|-0,07 - (-0,07)| = 0,00$

The median is between the 10th and 11th value: $[0,03 + (-0,16)]/2 = -0,065$. The mean pairwise differences that do not exceed the median (here: $-0,065$) are computed.

From table (see E.5 in EN 1500:2013) of critical values for Wilcoxon's matched-pairs signed-ranks test the entry for $n = 20$ and a one-sided 0,025 level of significance, the critical value of 52 is found. Hence $c = 52 + 1 = 53$. **The 53rd value is 0,17**. Hence the Hodges-Lehmann upper one sided 97,5% confidence limit for the difference in lg Rs between

RP and PP is 0,17, which is less than the agreed inferiority margin of 0,6. Therefore the hypothesis of inferiority of PP is rejected and it can be concluded that the test preparation

PP is non-inferior to RP.