

Test Report: EN 14476:2005 Chemical disinfectants and antiseptics - Virucidal quantitative suspension test for chemical disinfectants and antiseptics used in human medicine - Test method and requirements (phase 2/step 1) under dirty conditions

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Identification of sample

Name of the product
Batch number
Client

SAFE 4 DISINFECTANT CLEANER CONCENTRATE
N/A

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Project Code
Date of Delivery
Storage conditions
Active substances

BT-SAF-08
9 November 2012
Dry conditions between 0-30°C
Halogenated tertiary amines

Test Method and its validation

Method

1 part interfering substance + 1 part virus suspension + 8 parts biocide were mixed and incubated at the indicated contact temperature for the indicated contact times. Assays were validated by a cytotoxicity control, interference control, neutralization control and a formaldehyde internal standard. Detection by immunocytochemistry.

Neutralization

Dilution-neutralisation/gel filtration; Modified Eagles medium + 5% V/V foetal bovine serum at 4°C

Experimental Conditions

Period of analysis
Product diluent used
Product test concentrations
Appearance product dilutions
Contact times (minutes)
Test temperature
Interfering substances
Stability of mixture
Temperature of incubation
Identification of virus

3 to 14 May 2013
Sterile, synthetic hard water
2.0% (1:50); 5.0% (1:20)
Clear
30 ± 10
20°C ± 1°C
0.3g/l bovine serum + 0.3 %V/V sheep erythrocytes
Stable
37°C ± 1°C + 5% CO₂
Canine parvovirus (VR-953)/ CRFK cells (HPACC 86093002)

PROTOCOL SUMMARY

The basic virucidal efficacy test is set up with two concentrations of disinfectant and a 30 minute contact time. Virus is exposed to disinfectant in 24-well plates, then neutralized, serially diluted and virus titred in 96-well tissue culture plates to determine the tissue culture infectious dose₅₀ (TCID₅₀) of surviving virus. TCID₅₀ is determined by the method of Karber¹.

Cytotoxicity control

The neutralized disinfectant is measured for its effects on the host cells used to propagate the virus, to determine the sensitivity of the assay.

Interference control

The end point titration of the virus is exposed to three different sub-lethal concentrations of neutralized disinfectant to measure the effect of sub-lethal concentrations of disinfectant on virus infectivity in relation to the titre achieved on untreated cells.

Disinfectant suppression control

Virus is added to the highest concentration of disinfectant and then the mixture removed and neutralized. The neutralized virus titre is then determined to assess the efficiency of the neutralization procedure.

Virus recovery control

Virus titre is determined for virus in contact with sterile hard water at t=0 and at t = 30 (or the longest contact time). The virus titre after 60 minutes (or the longest contact time) is then compared to the recovery of disinfectant-treated virus to measure the log reduction in virus titre.

Reference virus inactivation control

Virus is in contact with 0.7% W/V formaldehyde and the recovery of virus determined by TCID₅₀ after 5, 15, 30 and 60 minutes, in order to assess that the test virus has retained reproducible biocide resistance. In addition, the formaldehyde cytotoxicity of neutralized formaldehyde is determined, to measure assay sensitivity.

1Kärber, G.: Beitrag zur Kollektiven Behandlung Pharmakologischer Reihenversuche. Arch. Exp. Path. Pharmak. 162 (1931): 480-487.

Suspension test results for the efficacy of SAFE 4 DISINFECTANT CLEANER CONCENTRATE from Safe Solutions (Safe4) Ltd against CANINE PARVOVIRUS-1 under DIRTY CONDITIONS

Exposure Time	Virus Recovery 0 min		Virus Recovery 60 min		Cytotoxicity		Disinfectant Suppression		2.0% (v/v)		5.0% (v/v)	
	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml
t = 30	4.67	1.48E+06	4.83	2.14E+06	1.00	3.16E+02	3.17	4.68E+04	1.17	4.68E+02	1.00	3.16E+02
		1.48E+06		2.14E+06		3.16E+02		4.68E+04		4.68E+02		3.16E+02
log		6.17		6.33		2.50		4.67		2.67		2.50
log difference								1.66		3.66		3.83

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Product:	Interfering substance	Concentration	Level of cytotoxicity	lg TCID ₅₀					>4 lg reduction after .. Min
				0 min	5 min	15 min	30min	60 min	
DISINFECTANT CLEANER CONCENTRATE									
	3.0g/l BSA + 3.0ml/l erythrocytes	5.0% (v/v)	2.50	6.17	n.a.	n.a.	2.50	n.a.	>5
		2.0% (v/v)	2.50	6.17	n.a.	n.a.	2.67	n.a.	>5
	3.0g/l BSA	5.0% (v/v)	2.50	5.83	n.a.	n.a.	2.50	n.a.	>5
		2.0% (v/v)	2.50	5.83	n.a.	n.a.	3.17	n.a.	>5
Formaldehyde		0.7% (w/v)	3.50	6.17	4.83	4.17	3.83	3.50	>60
Virus Control		n.a.	n.a.	6.17	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	6.33	n.a.

Control Data for CANINE PARVOVIRUS-1

Parallel control test

Exposure Time	Virus Recovery		Virus Recovery		2.0% (v/v)		5.0% (v/v)	
	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml
t = 30	4.33	6.76E+05	4.50	1.00E+06	1.67	1.48E+03	1.00	3.16E+02
		6.76E+05		1.00E+06		1.48E+03		3.16E+02
log		5.83		6.00		3.17		2.50
log difference						2.83		3.50

Stock Virus (TCID ₅₀)	5.17	4.68E+06
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Formaldehyde reference inactivation control

Exposure time	Virus recovery 0 min		Virus recovery 60 min		Cytotoxicity		0.7% Formaldehyde							
	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	5		15		30		60	
							raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml	raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml
60 min	4.67	1.48E+06	4.83	2.14E+06	2.00	3.16E+03	3.33	6.76E+04	2.67	1.48E+04	2.33	6.76E+03	2.00	3.16E+03
		1.48E+06		2.14E+06		3.16E+03		6.76E+04		1.48E+04		6.76E+03		3.16E+03
log		6.17		6.33		3.50		4.83		4.17		3.83		3.50
log difference								1.50		2.16		2.50		2.83

No Column Control

Virus Recovery	
t min	
raw data	TCID ₅₀ /ml
4.67	1.48E+06
	1.48E+06
	6.17

Interference control

Virus dilution

Cytotoxicity dilution				
	-1	-2	-3	Mock
-5	NA	2	NA	3
-6	NA	1	NA	1
-7	NA	0	NA	0

CONCLUSION

Verification of the methodology

A test is only valid if the following criteria are fulfilled:

- a) Test virus suspension has at least a concentration which allows the determination of a 4 log₁₀ reduction of the virus titre.
- b) Detectable titre reduction is at least 4 log₁₀.
- c) Difference of the logarithmic titre of the virus control minus the logarithmic titre of the test virus in the reference inactivation test is between – 0.5 and – 2.5 after 30 min and between – 2 and – 4.5 after 60 min for poliovirus.
- d) Cytotoxicity of the product solution does not affect cell morphology and growth or susceptibility for the test virus in the dilutions of the test mixtures which are necessary to demonstrate a 4 log reduction of the virus.
- e) The interference control result does not show a difference of < 1.0 log₁₀ of virus titre in comparison to the virus recovery control; dilutions of disinfectant to sub-acute levels did not interfere in the generation of viral cytopathic effect.
- e) Neutralisation validation. This is called the disinfectant suppression test in this protocol. This was slightly elevated at 1.66 log₁₀ at a concentration of 5.0% v/v.
- f) A difference of <0.5 log₁₀ is not observed between virus recovered directly from the virus recovery control at 60 minutes and virus from the same control recovered through an Illustra Microspin S-400 HR column

According to EN 14476: 2005, SAFE 4 DISINFECTANT CLEANER CONCENTRATE from Safe Solutions (Safe4) Ltd achieves a virucidal activity of > 3.83 log₁₀ reduction against against CANINE PARVOVIRUS-1 at 20°C following 30 MINUTES CONTACT UNDER DIRTY CONDITIONS at a concentration of 5.0% V/V (1:20).

Signed



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