

### Evaluation of Citrofresh 14P for GDM Technologies

<b>Disinfectants evaluated:</b>	Citrofresh 14P in 2%- 4% and 6% concentration	
<b>Method used:</b>	Kelsey-Sykes Capacity Test	
<b>Organisms used:</b>	Staphylococcus aureus	NCTC 6571
	Pseudomonas aeruginosa	NCTC 10332
	Salmonella cholerasuis	ATCC 14028
	MRSA	NCTC 43300
<b>Test condition:</b>	Dirty condition (1% Bovine Serum Albumin) in Standard Hard Water.	
<b>Controls:</b>	Non-inoculated media:	tested for sterility
	Positive (growth) control:	no disinfectant added
	Negative control:	no organism added
<b>Aim of testing:</b>	TGA approval for Hospital Grade Disinfectant, general and specific for MRSA	
<b>Abbreviations:</b>	Ng	No growth
	Ng x 5	No growth in 5 tubes
	1/5 to 5/5	Growth in 1 to 5 out of 5 tubes
	orgs/ml	Organisms per millilitre

## 1. Table of results:

	Citrofresh 14 P (2%)	Citrofresh 14 P (4%)	Citrofresh 14P (6%)	Comments
<b>Staphylococcus aureus NCTC 6571</b>				
<b>Initial count orgs/ml</b>	1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	
<b>10 min. exposure</b>	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	
<b>20 min. exposure</b>	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	
<b>30 min. exposure</b>	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	
<b>Salmonella cholerasuis ATCC 14028</b>				
<b>Initial count orgs/ml</b>	1.5 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 6.0 x 10 <sup>7</sup> 1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	1.5 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 6.0 x 10 <sup>7</sup> 1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	1.5 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 6.0 x 10 <sup>7</sup> 1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	
<b>10 min. exposure</b>	4/5 growth 2/5 growth 3/5 growth	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	2% failed in first test
<b>20 min. exposure</b>	4/5 growth 3/5 growth 3/5 growth	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	2% failed in first test
<b>30 min. exposure</b>	5/5 growth 3/5 growth 3/5 growth	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	2% failed in first test
<b>Pseudomonas aeruginosa NCTC 10332</b>				
<b>Initial count orgs/ml</b>	1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 6.5 x 10 <sup>7</sup> 1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 6.5 x 10 <sup>7</sup> 1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 6.5 x 10 <sup>7</sup> 1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	
<b>10 min. exposure</b>	4/5 growth 2/5 growth 1/5 growth	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	2% failed in first and second test
<b>20 min. exposure</b>	3/5 growth 3/5 growth 2/5 growth	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	2% failed in first and second test
<b>30 min exposure</b>	4/5 growth 4/5 growth 3/5 growth	Ng x 5 1/5 growth Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	2% failed in first and second test

**2. Table of results:**

Methicillin Resistant Staphylococcus aureus (MRSA) ATCC 43300	Citrofresh 14P (2%)	Citrofresh 14P (4%)	Citrofresh 14P (6%)	Comments
Initial count orgs/ml	1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.1 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.1 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	1.2 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.3 x 10 <sup>8</sup> 1.1 x 10 <sup>8</sup>	
10 min. exposure	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	
20 min. exposure	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	
30 min exposure	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	Ng x 5 Ng x 5 Ng x 5	

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