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TEST REPORT

Report No: AWRTCL/PRTR/ 17361/20-21

Date: 27.05.2020

| CUSTOMER DETAILS | SAMPLE DETAILS | TEST DETAILS |
|------------------------------|--|--------------------|
| | Sample received: 18.05.2020 | |
| Name & Address : | Sample code no: AWRTCL/17361/20-21 | Method: |
| Mr.Umesh Agrawal | Sample Description: INSTA PROTEX | As agreed between |
| Watch Water INDIA (| Sample Quantity for Testing: 1 Kg powder | the Testing |
| Watch Water Treatment | | Laboratory and the |
| Pvt Ltd.) | Date of Analysis started : 19.05.2020 | customer |
| B-11 SHANKAR GARDEN | Date of Analysis Completed: 26.05.2020 | |
| VIKAS PURI, | Subcontract : Not Applicable | |
| NEW DELHI - 110018, INDIA | Sample condition when received: Intact | |
| | | |

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

A project was taken up to assess Microbial decontamination of hands with induced microbial contamination using INSTA PROTEX disinfectant solution. **INSTA PROTEX disinfectant powder was tested at 0.5% solution (2.5 gr in 500 ml of Tap water) for its capability to reduce induced microbial contamination on Hands (palms) with an exposure time of 1 minute duration. The tested disinfectant solution was found to be effective in reducing 11 different microbial species (constituting 8 bacterial species one Surrogate Virus, one Mold and one Yeast species) to the tune of ≥99.9999%.**

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METHODOLOGY:

Two palms were smeared with 1 ml 24 hr old broth culture of a known microbial species. The contents were allowed to air dry for 10 minutes. One of the palm smears was swabbed and transferred to 9 ml of 0.9% physiological saline. Serial dilutions were made and 1 ml inoculum was plated out on selective agars. Incubation was done at 37 $^{\circ}$ C / 24-48 hr. Colonies were enumerated. **This is BEFORE TREATMENT**

The second palm smear was exposed to 1 ml of 0.5% solution of INSTA PROTEX disinfectant liquid and allowed for air drying for 1 minute. The treated smear of palm was swabbed and transferred to 9 ml of 0.9% physiological saline. Serial dilutions were made and 1 ml inoculum was plated out on selective agars. Incubation was done at 37 $^{\circ}$ C / 24-48 hr. Colonies were enumerated. **This is AFTER TREATMENT**

Note: Yeast & Mold plates were incubated at 25°C/3-5 days.

% Reduction was calculated by taking microbial counts Before Treatment as reference.

The Tap water used for preparing INSTA PROTEX Solution : TDS 435 mg/L, pH: 7.52, Temperature: $25 \,^{\circ}$ C

| Name of the organism | Microbial counts | Microbial counts | % Reduction |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| RACTERIA | Beiore freatment | Alter frediment | Neudelion |
| DAGTERIA | | | |
| E.coli MTCC 68 | 8.0x 10 ⁶ cfu/ Swab | NVC /swab | ≥99.9999 |
| Salmonella typhimurium MTCC 98 | 15.0 x 10 ⁶ cfu/ Swab | NVC /swab | ≥99.9999 |
| Shigella flexneri MTCC 1457 | 5.0 x 10 ⁶ cfu/ Swab | NVC /swab | ≥99.9999 |
| Staphylococcus aureus MTCC 87 | 9.0 x 10 ⁶ cfu/ Swab | NVC/swab | ≥99.9999 |
| Enterococcus fecalis MTCC 439 | 8.0 x 10 ⁶ cfu/ Swab | NVC/swab | ≥99.9999 |
| Pseudomonas aeruginosa MTCC 424 | 9.0 x 10 ⁶ cfu/ Swab | NVC/swab | ≥99.9999 |
| Vibrio Cholera MTCC 3906 | 8.0 x 10 ⁶ cfu/ Swab | NVC/swab | ≥99.9999 |
| Clostridium perfringens MTCC 450 | 12.0 x10 ⁶ cfu/ Swab | NVC/ swab | ≥99.9999 |
| VIRUS- Bacteriophage | | | |
| MS2 phage ATCC15597B1 | 8.0x 10 ⁶ pfu/ Swab | NPFU/swab | ≥99.9999 |
| MOLD | | | |
| Aspergillus niger MTCC282 | 8.0 x 10 ⁶ cfu/ Swab | NVC /swab | ≥99.9999 |
| YEAST | | | |
| Saccharomyces cerevisiae MTCC 2569 | 6.0 x 10 ⁶ cfu/ Swab | NVC /swab | ≥99.9999 |

TEST DATA: Microbial reduction on Hands with Induced microorganisms)

Cfu:Colony forming units, Pfu:Plaque forming units, NVC: No viable colony, NPFU: No plaque forming unit

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RESULTS & CONCLUSION:

The test data obtained from various tests conducted using 0.5% solution of INSTA PROTEX disinfectant to decontaminate hands (palms) having contamination of know microbial cultures reveals that INSTA PROTEX is effective in 60 seconds exposure to bring about at least 99.9999% reduction of microorganisms belonging to bacteria, Yeast and Mold groups.

MICROBIOLOGICAL MEDIA USED

| Name of Microorganism | Growth Media used |
|------------------------------------|---|
| BACTERIA | |
| E.coli MTCC 68 | M Endo agar medium |
| Pseudomonas aeruginosa MTCC 424 | Cetrimide agar medium |
| Enterococcus faecalis MTCC 439 | Slanetz Bartely agar medium |
| Vibrio Cholera MTCC 3906 | Thiosulphate Citrate Bile slats sucrose agar medium |
| Salmonella typhimurium MTCC 98 | Xylose Lysine Dextrose agar medium |
| Shigella flexneri MTCC 1457 | Deoxycholate Citrate agar |
| Clostridium perfringens MTCC 450 | Differential reinforced clostridial agar |
| Staphylococcus aureus MTCC 87 | Baired parker agar |
| VIRUS – Bacteriophage | |
| MS2 phage ATCC15597B1 | Tryptone Soya agar |
| MOLD | |
| Aspergillus niger MTCC282 | Chloramphenicol Yeast Glucose agar |
| YEAST | |
| Saccharomyces cerevisiae MTCC 2569 | Chloramphenicol Yeast Glucose agar |

IMPORTANT

ANALYTICAL METHODS: Standard Methods from IS, APHA and USEPA published documents. **CHEMICALS:** All chemicals used are Analytical grade.

LAB EQIPMENT: All equipment used, as applicable, are calibrated by NABL accredited laboratories

WATER: Tap water

MICROBIAL CULTURES: MTCC and ATCC standard cultures

Dr S.MURALIDHARA RAO Head – Laboratory

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