

# MICROBIOLOGICAL PROFILE



V18<sup>™</sup>

lodophor based disinfectant

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#### INTRODUCTION

V18 is a powerful iodophor based disinfectant.

V18 has a broad spectrum of activity. It is bactericidal, fungicidal and virucidal.

V18 is an authorised biocide, GB-2019-1179-02-02, NI-2019-1179-02-02. DEFRA approved.

V18 is recommended for use in all types of livestock housing and for foot and wheel baths.

V18 is designed for use as part of an effective cleaning and disinfection (hygiene) programme.

Effective in the presence of heavy or	Use after cleaning	
For use in foot trays	Powerful and fast acting	Colour coded to indicate activity

#### V18 - EFFICACY SUMMARY

**V18** has been tested and proven to be effective against a range of micro-organisms. European Standard (EN\*) test methods were used to prove efficacy against bacteria, viruses and fungi.

The UKAS accredited Microbiology Laboratory at Evans Vanodine International plc. (Testing number 1108) performed tests with bacteria and fungi.

**V18** has also been tested against Leptospira, Mycobacteria and viruses at independent expert laboratories using appropriate methods.

**V18** is approved in the UK by the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs (DEFRA), for disinfection where an approved product is required <a href="https://www.gov.uk/guidance/get-your-disinfectant-approved-by-defra">https://www.gov.uk/guidance/get-your-disinfectant-approved-by-defra</a>. This approval is also mirrored in Northern Ireland and Ireland by DARDNI and DAERA respectively.

The following tables include information of relevant, applicable test methods, conditions, contact times and organisms.

\*EN - European Norm

Published in the UK as BS EN by the British Standards Institution.

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### **SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS AGAINST AVIAN PATHOGENS**

ACTERIAL TEST PROFILE					
ORGANISM	DILUTION	TEST METHOD	TEMP (°C)	CONTACT TIME (MINUTES)	SOILING LEVEL
Escherichia coli	1:100				
Pasteurella multocida	1:400				
Proteus hauseri	1:200				High
Salmonella arizonae	1:100	EN 1656	10		
Salmonella gallinarum	1:100			30	
Salmonella infantis	1:400				Low
Salmonella pullorum	1:200				
Salmonella typhimurium	1:200				High
Staphylococcus aureus	1:100				
Mycobacterium avium	1:200	EN 14204	10	5	Low
Disatous bousasi	1:100				High
Proteus hauseri	1:400	EN 14349	10	30	Low
Chambulasasasasasas	1:100	EN 14549	10	30	High
Staphylococcus aureus	1:250				Low
Proteus hauseri	1:400	EN 16437	10	60	3g/I bovin albumin

VIRUS TEST PROFILE							
VIRUS	DILUTION	TEST METHOD	TEMP (°C)	CONTACT TIME (MINUTES)	SOILING LEVEL		
Avian Adenovirus	1:33	In-house	25	30	None		
Infectious Bursal disease virus	1:50	In-house	30	30	High		
Infectious Bronchitis virus	1:55	In-house	4	120	Yeast		
Infectious Laryngotracheitis virus	1:100	In-house	10	30	None		
Avian influenza virus Taiwan strain H6N1	1:145	In-house	4	30	Yeast		
Avian influenza virus H5N3	1:145	In-house	4	30	Yeast		
Avian influenza reassortant virus H3N2	1:200	In-house	4	30	Organic		
Newcastle Disease virus	1:100	DEFRA	4	30	5% yeast		
Turkey Rhinotracheitis virus	1:100	In-house	10	30	None		
Avian Reovirus	1:50	In-house	10	30	None		

In-house tests use protocols specific for each virus.

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### **SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS AGAINST BOVINE PATHOGENS**

BACTERIAL TEST PROFILE					
ORGANISM	DILUTION	TEST METHOD	TEMP (°C)	CONTACT TIME (MINUTES)	SOILING LEVEL
Corynebacterium pseudotuberculosis	1:100				
Escherichia coli	1:100	EN 1656			High
Klebsiella aerogenes	1:200		10	30	
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	1:100				
Staphylococcus aureus	1:100				
Decidence as a supplication	1:200		10		High
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	1:300	FN 14740		30	Low
Charleston	1:100	EN 14349		30	High
Staphylococcus aureus	1:250	]			Low
Staphylococcus aureus	1:100	EN 16437	10	240	3g/I bovine albumin
Leptospira interrogans	1:200	In-house	Room Temp	2	None
Mycobacterium fortuitum	1:20	DEFRA	4	60	5% yeast

VIRUS TEST PROFILE					
VIRUS	DILUTION	TEST METHOD	TEMP (°C)	CONTACT TIME (MINUTES)	SOILING LEVEL
Bovine enterovirus	1:100	EN 14675	10	30	Low
Foot and Mouth Disease Virus OI British field strain 1860/UK167	1:550	DEFRA	4	30	1% Foetal bovine serum
Bovine rotavirus	1:75	In-house	4	30	Yeast

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### **SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS AGAINST PORCINE PATHOGENS**

ACTERIAL TEST PROFILE					
ORGANISM	DILUTION	TEST METHOD	TEMP (°C)	CONTACT TIME (MINUTES)	SOILING LEVEL
Enterococcus hirae	1:100				
Escherichia coli	1:100				
Pasteurella multocida	1:400				
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	1:100	EN 1656	10	30	High
Salmonella enteritidis	1:200				
Staphylococcus aureus	1:100				
Streptococcus suis	1:200				
Mycobacterium avium	1:200	EN 14204	10	5	Low
Entaraca caula hiran	1:100				High
Enterococcus hirae	1:250				Low
Daniela manuaria na manuaria na m	1:200	EN 14349	10	30	High
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	1:300		10	30	Low
Ctwobulo coccus gurous	1:100				High
Staphylococcus aureus	1:250				Low
Enterococcus hirae	1:100			180 60	3g/I bovine serum
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	1:100	EN 16437	10		
Staphylococcus aureus	1:100			240	
FIELD ISOLATES					
Actinobacillus pleuropneumoniae (App)	1:800				
Bordetella bronchiseptica	1:200	]			
Brachyspira hyodysenteriae	1:200	EN 1656			
Haemophilus parasius (Hps)	1:100		10	30	High
Pasteurella multocida	1:400	]			
Staphylococcus hyicus	1:100	1			
Streptococcus suis	1:400	]			

VIRUS TEST PROFILE					
VIRUS	DILUTION	TEST METHOD	TEMP (°C)	CONTACT TIME (MINUTES)	SOILING LEVEL
PRRS Virus	1:200	In-house	Room Temp	30	None
African Swine Fever virus	1:200	In-house	20	30	Organic
Porcine Circovirus Type 2	1:100*	In-house	10	30	Organic
PED Virus	1:200	In-house	4	60	None
PED Virus	1:200	In-house	25	15	None
TGE Virus	1:50	In-house	Not Recorded	Not Recorded	Not Recorded
Suid herpesvirus (Aujesky's)	1:200	EN 14675	10	30	Low
Foot and Mouth Disease virus OI British field strain 1860/UK167	1:550	DEFRA	4	30	1% Foetal bovine serum
Swine Vesicular Disease Virus	1:100	]	4	30	None
Porcine rotavirus	1:100	In-house	Room Temp	30	None

 $<sup>^{*}</sup>$  V18 passed the virucidal effectiveness test according to the US EPA regulatory agencies as a greater than 3 log (10) reduction demonstrated.

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### **SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS AGAINST HUMAN PATHOGENS**

BACTERIAL TEST PROFILE						
ORGANISM	DILUTION	TEST METHOD	TEMP (°C)	CONTACT TIME (MINUTES)	SOILING LEVEL	
Escherichia coli	1:100					
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	1:100		10	30	High	
Salmonella enteritidis	1:200					
Salmonella typhimurium	1:200	EN 1656				
Shigella sonnei	1:100					
Staphylococcus aureus	1:100					
Streptococcus pyogenes	1:200					
Davidana na mamaina an	1:200				High	
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	1:300	FN 14740	10	70	Low	
Chambulacaccus guraus	1:100	EN 14349	10	30	High	
Staphylococcus aureus	1:250				Low	

### **SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS AGAINST PATHOGENIC FUNGI**

FUNGI TEST PROFILE						
FUNGI	DILUTION	TEST METHOD	TEMP (°C)	CONTACT TIME (MINUTES)	SOILING LEVEL	
Candida albicans	1:50	EN 1657	10	30	High	
Fusarium oxysporum f.sp. cubense	1:100	EN 1657	20	50	High	

### **SUMMARY OF TEST RESULTS AGAINST MISCELLANEOUS PATHOGENS**

BACTERIAL TEST PROFILE					
ORGANISMS	DILUTION	TEST METHOD	TEMP (°C)	CONTACT TIME (MINUTES)	SOILING LEVEL
Melissococcus plutonius	1:100	EN 1656	10	30	High

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# THE EFFECT OF CONTACT TIME AND TEMPERATURE ON BACTERICIDAL ACTIVITY

EN 1656 was carried out with 5 and 30 minute contact times, at a standard 10°C temperature and at 20°C and 30°C to determine the effect on the bactericidal dilution with a range of bacteria.

BACTERIA	TEST TEMPERATURE (°C)					
	TIME	10°C	20°C	30°C		
Enterococcus hirae	5 Minutes	1:25	1:50	1:50		
Enterococcus ninde	30 Minutes	1:100	1:100	1:100		
Escherichia coli	5 Minutes	1:50	1:100	1:100		
Escricitati con	30 Minutes	1:100	1:100	1:100		
Proteus hauseri	5 Minutes	1:200	1:100*	1:200		
Troteus nuusen	30 Minutes	1:200	1:200	1:200		
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	5 Minutes	1:100	1:100	1:100		
T scadomonas acraginosa	30 Minutes	1:100	1:100	1:100		
Salmonella enterica	5 Minutes	1:100	1:100	1:100		
Sumonella entenea	30 Minutes	1:200*	1:100	1:100		
Staphylococcus aureus	5 Minutes	1:25	1:25	1:25		
Stuphylococcus duleus	30 Minutes	1:100	1:100	1:100		

The results indicate that the bactericidal dilution of V18 increases when the temperature is increased from 10°C to 20°C, when tested with a contact time of 5 minutes and only *Enterococcus hirae* and *Escherichia coli*. A further increase to 30C had no additional effect.

The results indicate that the bactericidal dilution of V18 is not affected by temperature when tested with a contact time of 30 minutes.

V18 would need to be used at considerably higher concentrations if the contact time is reduced from 30 minutes to 5 minutes (based on the most resistant bacteria tested)

\*Two unexpected results were obtained but are not considered to be significant.

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#### **VETERINARY DISINFECTANT TEST METHODS**

Veterinary disinfectants can be used in a variety of areas e.g. the breeding, husbandry, production, transport and disposal of all animals except when in the food chain following death and entry to the processing industry.

There are two types of laboratory test methods for livestock disinfectants, suspension and surface methods. Surface methods use different carriers depending on the application area. The inoculum is dried on the surface before testing. As a minimum for general hygiene purposes, products should be effective against bacteria and yeast. There are 3 different claims that can be made when virus tests are used either for full virucidal activity, limited spectrum virucidal activity or activity against enveloped viruses. It will depend on the viruses tested which claim can be applied.

The scope of veterinary EN test methods does not specify application of the product but does include disinfection by immersion and surface disinfection by wiping, spraying, foaming or other means. It does not include aerial disinfection.

The interfering substances used in EN test methods are described as low or high level soiling for disinfectants and as pre and post milking for teat disinfectants in veterinary test methods. They simulate levels of soiling encountered in practical, real-life situations.

#### **EN TEST METHODS**

TEST REFERENCE		TEST TYPE	ORGANISM	TEST PASS CRITERIA
EN 1656	For bactericidal activity.	Suspension	Bacteria	≥5 log reduction
EN 1657	For fungicidal and/or yeasticidal activity.	Suspension	Fungi/Yeast	≥4 log reduction
EN 14204	For mycobacterial activity.	Suspension	Mycobacteria	≥4 log reduction
EN 14349	For bacterial activity on stainless steel carriers.	Surface	Bacteria	≥4 log reduction
EN 14675	For virucidal activity.	Suspension	Virus	≥4 log reduction
EN 16437	For bacterial activity on wood carriers.	Surface	Bacteria	≥4 log reduction

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### **LOG REDUCTION**

Products claiming they will kill 99.9% of bacteria sounds extremely efficient, however it does not prove that a product is an effective disinfectant.

In order to demonstrate effectiveness, disinfectants should be tested using European Standard Test Methods. Depending on the applicable area and test used, relevant log reductions are specified and must be achieved to claim effectiveness with a test method. This means a reduction in microbial numbers must be seen when compared to the number of organisms at the start of the test or, for surface tests, to a water control performed at the same time. As the numbers are large it is generally accepted that they are expressed as a logarithm. The reduction can be written as either a log value or a percentage i.e. a 5 log reduction is equivalent to a 99.999% reduction, a 3 log reduction is equivalent to 99.9% reduction.

Bacteria are microscopic free living single celled organisms. A surface contaminated with raw meat for example could have millions of bacteria per square centimetre e.g. a surface with 1,000,000 bacteria treated with a product that kills 99.9% of bacteria would still have 1000 bacteria remaining. If the surface were treated with a product that kills 99.999% of bacteria only 10 bacteria would remain.

Bacterial growth rates vary depending on the surface, type and degree of soiling, temperature and presence of water. For example, E.coli under ideal conditions multiplies every 15 minutes. If conditions are less than ideal (lowering the temperature or drying the surface) the growth rate slows down. e.g. 1,000 bacteria would increase to 2,000 after 15 minutes, after 30 minutes it would be 4,000 and after 1 hour 16,000 and 256,000 after 2 hours, 10 bacteria would only have multiplied to 2560 in the same 2 hour period.

The presence of bacteria does not automatically lead to infection, susceptibility to disease and the infectious dose (number of bacteria required to cause infection) are vitally important. Some bacteria will cause an infection with less than 100 cells ingested or introduced into cuts or wounds. For this reason, it is important to reduce numbers of harmful bacteria to the lowest number possible wherever the risk of infection is high.

THE FOLLOWING FIGURES APPLY IF THE NUMBER AT THE START POINT WAS 1,000,000		
LOG REDUCTION	NUMBER REMAINING	PERCENTAGE REDUCTION
1	100,000	90%
2	10,000	99%
3	1,000	99.9%
4	100	99.99%
5	10	99.999%