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A REVIEW

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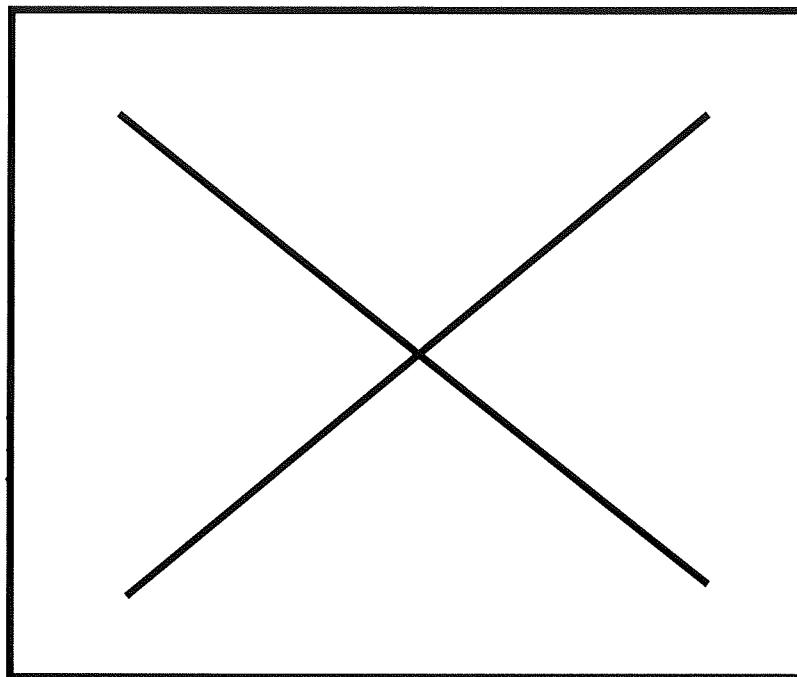
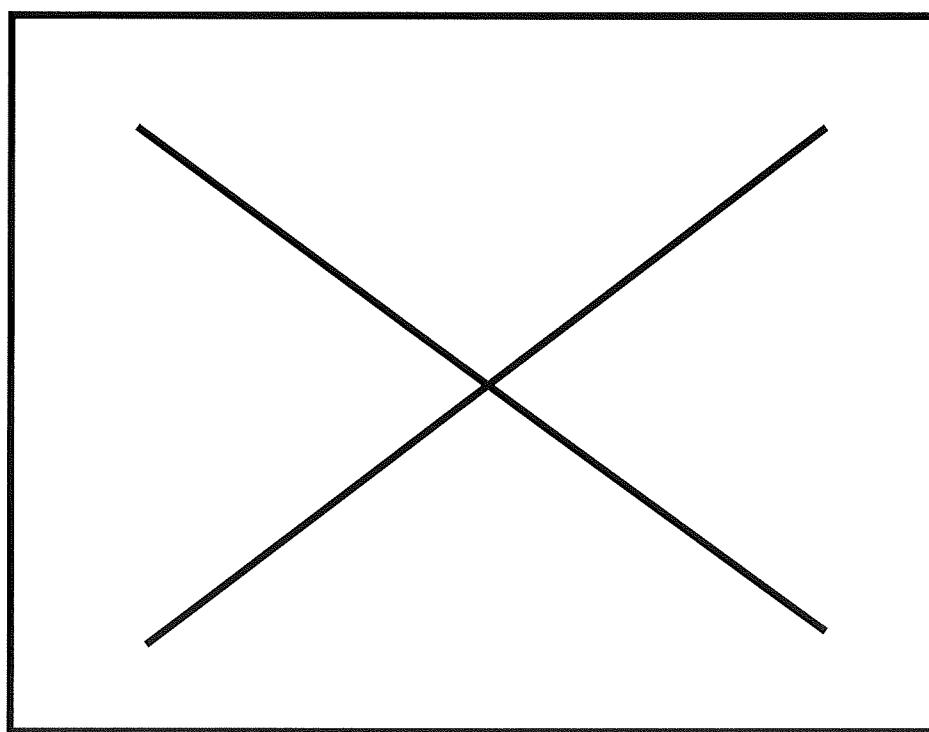
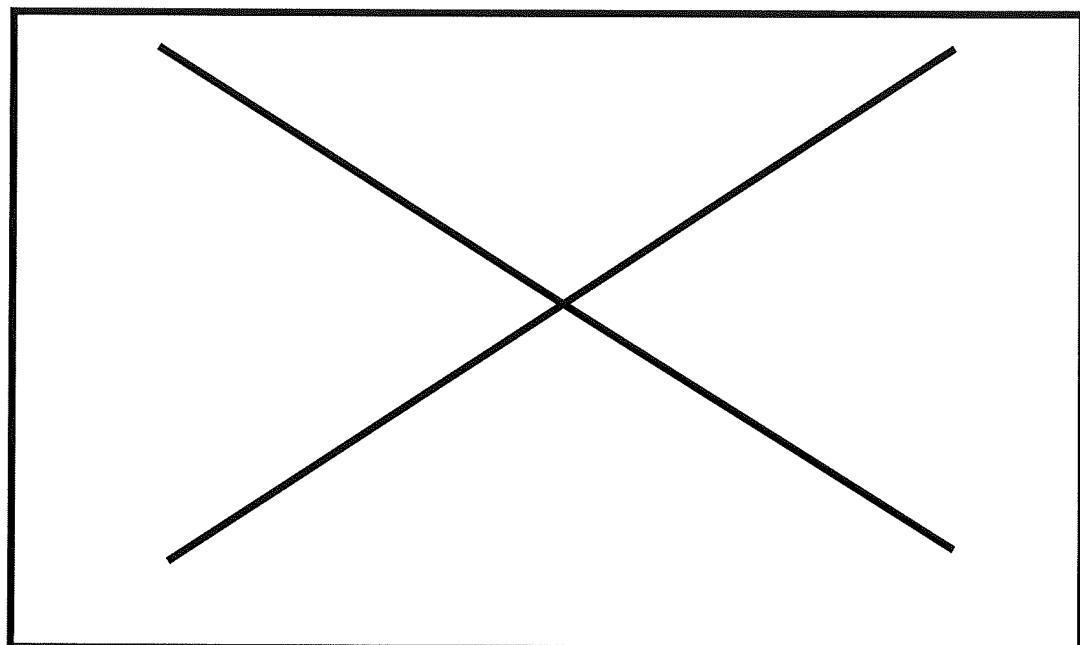


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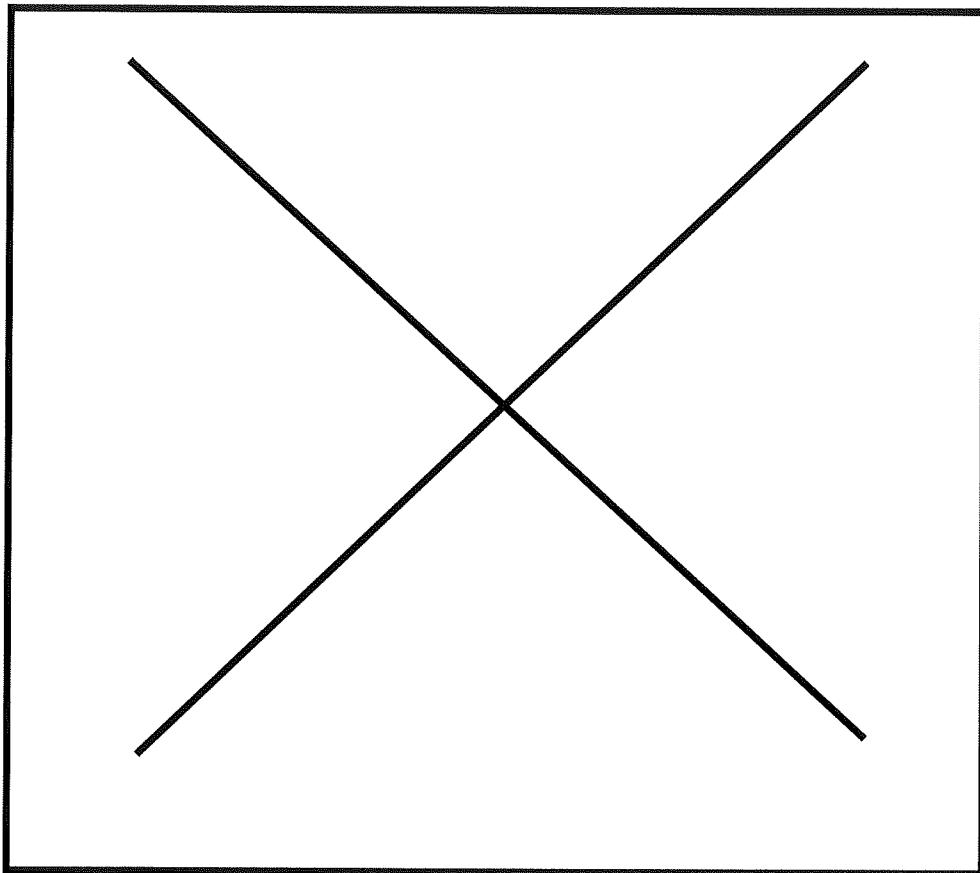
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**CHART 3: Somatic cell counts in England and Wales**



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CHART 4: PERCENTAGE OF TEAT DISINFECTANTS USED GLOBALLY



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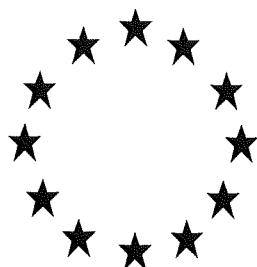
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**Section A6.1.1/01-06    Acute Toxicity (oral)**

Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.1

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**1.2    Data protection**

1.2.1 Data owner

[REDACTED]

1.2.2 Companies with letter of access

[REDACTED]

1.2.3 Criteria for data protection

[REDACTED]

**2    GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE****2.1    Guideline study**

Not applicable.

X1

[REDACTED]

**2.2    GLP**

[REDACTED]

**2.3    Deviations**

Not applicable

**3    MATERIALS AND METHODS****3.2    Test material**

Iodine

[REDACTED]

**3.3    Test method**

[REDACTED]

**3.4    Administration/  
Exposure**

[REDACTED] intravenous or oral

**3.4.1    Administration rate**

[REDACTED]

**Section A6.1.1/01-06    Acute Toxicity (oral)**

Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.1

**4        RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

**4.2      LD<sub>50</sub>**

- LD<sub>50</sub> Rat oral 14 g/kg bw

LD<sub>50</sub> Mouse oral 22 g/kg bw

LD<sub>50</sub> (i.v.) in the dog of 17 g/kg bw

**4.3      LD<sub>0</sub>**

- LD<sub>0</sub> Dog oral 0.8 g/kg bw

**4.4      Others**

**5        APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION**

**5.2      Materials and  
methods**

**5.3      Results and  
discussion**

## Section A6.1.1/01-06    Acute Toxicity (oral)

### Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.1

**5.4 Conclusion** The results of acute oral toxicity studies performed in animals demonstrate only a very low acute toxicity potential following oral administration. Iodine has not to be classified and labelled with respect to acute oral toxicity.

5.4.1 Reliability [REDACTED]

5.4.2 Deficiencies [REDACTED]

### Evaluation by Competent Authorities

#### EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE

Date [REDACTED]

Materials and Methods [REDACTED]

Results and discussion [REDACTED]

Conclusion [REDACTED]

Reliability [REDACTED]

Acceptability [REDACTED]

Remarks [REDACTED]

**Section A6.1.2/01      Acute Toxicity (dermal)**

Annex Point IIA, VI6.1.2

Official  
use only**1      REFERENCE**

- 1.1    Reference      ESIS: European chemical Substances Information System;  
Doc. No. 991-003 (published); Section A6.1.2/01

**1.2    Data protection**

1.2.1    Data owner

1.2.2    Companies with  
letter of access1.2.3    Criteria for data  
protection**2      GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE**

2.1    Guideline study      Not applicable

2.2    GLP      Not applicable

2.3    Deviations      Not applicable

**3      MATERIALS AND METHODS**

3.2    Test material      Iodine

3.3    Test method      Not applicable

3.4    Classification  
under EU  
Directive  
67/548/EEC      Iodine is classified under EU Directive 67/548/EEC as being harmful  
via dermal exposure, expressed by the respective risk phrase R21  
“Harmful in contact with skin”. Please refer also to Section A9/01  
(Classification and Labelling).

Thus, the LD<sub>50</sub> dermal (rat or rabbit) has to be  
 $400 < \text{LD}_{50} \leq 2000 \text{ mg/kg}$ .

**4      RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

4.2    LD<sub>50</sub>      LD<sub>50</sub> dermal (rat or rabbit) has to be  $400 < \text{LD}_{50} \leq 2000 \text{ mg/kg}$ .

**5      APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION**

5.2    Materials and  
methods

**Section A6.1.2/01      Acute Toxicity (dermal)**

**Annex Point IIA, VI6.1.2**

- 5.3 Results and discussion** Iodine is classified as being harmful via dermal exposure.  
Thus, the LD<sub>50</sub> dermal (rat or rabbit) has to be  
400 < LD<sub>50</sub>□< 2000 mg/kg.

[REDACTED]

- 5.4 Conclusion** Iodine is classified as being harmful via dermal exposure.

**5.4.1 Reliability**

[REDACTED]

**5.4.2 Deficiencies**

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**Evaluation by Competent Authorities**

**EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE**

**Date**

[REDACTED]

**Materials and Methods**

[REDACTED]

**Results and discussion**

[REDACTED]

**Conclusion**

[REDACTED]

**Reliability**

[REDACTED]

**Acceptability**

[REDACTED]

**Remarks**

[REDACTED]

**Section A6.1.3/01-08    Acute Toxicity (inhalation)**

Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.3

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		[2]     Lewis, R.J. (1992): Sax's Dangerous Properties of Industrial Materials. 8th ed. Volumes 1-3. New York, NY: Van Nostrand Reinhold, p. 1988 Doc. No. 592-054 (published); Section A6.1.3/02	
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<b>1.2</b>	<b>Data protection</b>		
1.2.1	Data owner		
1.2.2	Companies with letter of access		
1.2.3	Criteria for data protection		
		2      GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE	
<b>2.1</b>	<b>Guideline study</b>	Not applicable.	
<b>2.2</b>	<b>GLP</b>		
<b>2.3</b>	<b>Deviations</b>	Not applicable	
		3      MATERIALS AND METHODS	

**Section A6.1.5/01**

Annex Point II A VI.6.1.5

**Skin sensitisation**

Guinea pig maximisation test (GPMT)

Official  
use only**1 REFERENCE****1.1 Reference**

[REDACTED] (2002); Iodine: Skin Sensitisation in the Guinea Pig –  
Magnussen and Kligman Maximisation Method. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**1.2 Data protection****1.2.1 Data owner**

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**1.2.2 Companies with  
letter of access**

[REDACTED]

**1.2.3 Criteria for data  
protection**

[REDACTED]

**2 GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE****2.1 Guideline study**

[REDACTED]  
Directive 96/54/EC, B.6

**2.2 GLP**

[REDACTED]

**2.3 Deviations**

[REDACTED]

**3 MATERIALS AND METHODS****3.1 Test material**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.1 Lot/Batch number**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.2 Specification**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.2.1 Description**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.2.2 Purity**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.2.3 Stability**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.2.4 Preparation of test  
substance for  
application**

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

**3.1.2.5 Pre-test performed  
on irritant effects**

[REDACTED]

**3.2 Test Animals****3.2.1 Species**

Guinea pigs

**3.2.2 Strain**

Albino Dunkin Hartley

**3.2.3 Source**

[REDACTED]

**3.2.4 Sex**

male

**3.2.5 Age/weight at study  
initiation**

[REDACTED]

## Section A6.1.3/01-08    Acute Toxicity (inhalation)

### Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.3

3.1    Test material    Iodine [REDACTED]

3.2    Test method    Not applicable, [REDACTED]

#### 4        RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

4.1    LC<sub>50</sub>            Iodine is classified under EU Directive 67/548/EEC as being harmful via inhalation, expressed by the respective risk phrase R20 "Harmful by inhalation" [REDACTED]

Thus, it can be concluded that if vapour or gas is inhaled the

LC<sub>50</sub> (rat) is  $2 < \text{LC}_{50} \leq 10 \text{ mg/L/4h}$

and if aerosols and dust is inhaled, the

LC<sub>50</sub> (rat) is  $1 < \text{LC}_{50} \leq 5 \text{ mg/L/4h}$

4.2    LC<sub>0</sub>            [REDACTED]

LC<sub>L0</sub> (inh-rat):  $800 \text{ mg/m}^3/1\text{h}$

The LC<sub>L0</sub> value is equivalent to 76 ppm

LC<sub>L0</sub> (inh-rat):  $137 \text{ ppm/m}^3/1\text{h}$

## Section A6.1.3/01-08    Acute Toxicity (inhalation)

### Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.3

#### 4.3    Other study results and information

- Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health (IDLH): 2 ppm

The IDLH is equivalent to 21 mg/ m<sup>3</sup>.

- Irritating concentration: 2.0 mg/m<sup>3</sup>

The irritating concentration is equivalent to 0.19 ppm.

This value is confirmed by reports that "work was possible with out any irritation at 0.1 ppm and difficult but possible at 0.15 to 0.2 ppm and that work was impossible at 0.3 ppm",

An occupational exposure limit value (STEL; MAK; TWA; CEILING; TLV) of 0.1 ppm or 1 mg/m<sup>3</sup> has been established for Iodine at the working place

## 5    APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION

#### 5.1    Materials and methods

#### 5.2    Results and discussion

**Section A6.1.3/01-08    Acute Toxicity (inhalation)**

**Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.3**

<b>5.3 Conclusion</b>	Iodine is a strong irritant to the upper respiratory system and due to this also evaluated as harmful via inhalation.
5.3.1 Reliability	[ ]
5.3.2 Deficiencies	[ ]

**Evaluation by Competent Authorities**

**EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE**

Date	[REDACTED]
Materials and Methods	[REDACTED]
Results and discussion	[REDACTED]
Conclusion	[REDACTED]
Reliability	[REDACTED]
Acceptability	[REDACTED]
Remarks	[REDACTED]

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<b>1.2</b>	<b>Data protection</b>		
1.2.1	Data owner		
1.2.2	Companies with letter of access		
1.2.3	Criteria for data protection		
	<b>2</b>	<b>GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE</b>	
<b>2.1</b>	<b>Guideline study</b>	Not applicable.	
<b>2.2</b>	<b>GLP</b>	Not applicable.	
<b>2.3</b>	<b>Deviations</b>	Not applicable	
	<b>3</b>	<b>MATERIALS AND METHODS</b>	
<b>3.2</b>	<b>Test material</b>	Iodine	
<b>3.3</b>	<b>Test method</b>	Not applicable.	

## Section A6.1.4.1/01-04 Acute Eye Irritation

Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.4

### 4 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

#### 4.2 Results

[REDACTED]

#### 4.3 Discussion

[REDACTED]

### 5 APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION

#### 5.2 Materials and methods

[REDACTED]

#### 5.3 Results and discussion

[REDACTED]

#### 5.4 Conclusion

Iodine itself, particularly as vapour, and in solutions is reported as strong eye irritant. Iodine is currently not classified as an eye irritant according to Directive 67/548/EEC.

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5.4.1 Reliability [REDACTED]

5.4.2 Deficiencies [REDACTED]

### Evaluation by Competent Authorities-

#### EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE

Date [REDACTED]

Materials and Methods [REDACTED]

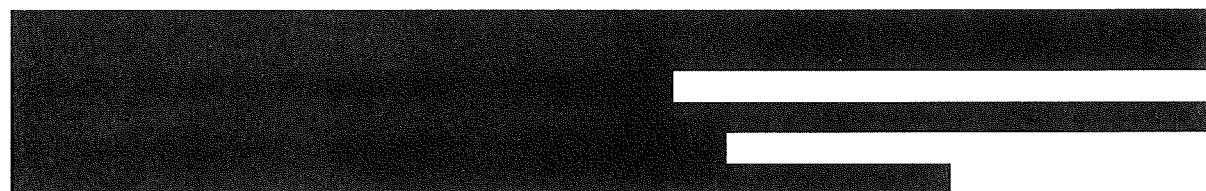
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Conclusion [REDACTED]

Reliability [REDACTED]

Acceptability [REDACTED]

Remarks [REDACTED]

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[www.hvbg.de/bgja/gestis-database](http://www.hvbg.de/bgja/gestis-database)  
Doc. No. 592-050 (published); Section A.6.1.4.2/03
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**1.2 Data protection****1.2.1 Data owner****1.2.2 Companies with letter of access****1.2.3 Criteria for data protection****2 GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE****2.1 Guideline study**

Not applicable

**2.2 GLP**

Not applicable

**2.3 Deviations**

Not applicable

**3 MATERIALS AND METHODS****3.1 Test material**

Iodine

**3.2 Test method**

Not applicable

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### 4 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

#### 4.1 Results

[REDACTED]

#### 4.2 Discussion

[REDACTED]

### 5 APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION

#### 5.1 Materials and methods

[REDACTED]

#### 5.2 Results and discussion

[REDACTED]

## Section A6.1.4.2/01-04 Acute Skin Irritation

### Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.4

5.3	Conclusion	Iodine, in particular in alcoholic solutions, is reported as a skin irritant but it is currently not classified with regard to skin irritation according to Directive 67/548/EEC.
5.3.1	Reliability	[REDACTED]
5.3.2	Deficiencies	[REDACTED]

### Evaluation by Competent Authorities

#### EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE

Date	[REDACTED]
Materials and Methods	[REDACTED]
Results and discussion	[REDACTED]
Conclusion	[REDACTED]
Reliability	[REDACTED]
Acceptability	[REDACTED]
Remarks	[REDACTED]

**Section A6.1.4.2/05      Acute Skin Irritation**

Annex Point II A VI.6.1.4

Official  
use only**1      REFERENCE**

- 1.1      Reference** [5] Lee, S. K. et al (2005): Allergic contact dermatitis from Iodine preparations: a conundrum; Department of Dermatology, University of California, School of Medicine, USA; Contact Dermatitis 2005: 2005, Vol. 52, n°4, pp. 184-187, Study No.: not indicated;  
Doc. No. 592-046 (publication), Section A6.1.4.2/05

**1.2      Data protection**

- 1.2.1      Data owner  
1.2.2      Companies with letter of access  
1.2.3      Criteria for data protection

**2      GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE****2.1      Guideline study****2.2      GLP****2.3      Deviations****3      MATERIALS AND METHODS****3.1      Test material**

- 3.1.1      Lot/Batch number

- 3.1.2      Specification

- 3.1.2.1      Description

- 3.1.2.2      Purity

- 3.1.2.3      Stability

**3.2      Test subjects**

- 3.2.1      Species

- 3.2.2      Strain

- 3.2.3      Source

- 3.2.4      Sex

- 3.2.5      Age/weight at study initiation

- 3.2.6      Number of humans per group

- 3.2.7      Control subjects

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**3.3 Administration/Exposure** Dermal

3.3.1 Application

3.3.1.1 Preparation of test substance

[REDACTED]

3.3.1.2 Test site and preparation of test site

[REDACTED]

3.3.2 Occlusion

[REDACTED]

3.3.3 Vehicle

[REDACTED]

3.3.4 Concentration in vehicle

[REDACTED]

3.3.5 Total volume applied

[REDACTED]

3.3.6 Removal of test substance

[REDACTED]

3.3.7 Duration of exposure

[REDACTED]

3.3.8 Post-exposure period

[REDACTED]

3.3.9 Controls

[REDACTED]

**3.4 Examinations**

3.4.1 Clinical signs

[REDACTED]

3.4.2 Dermal examination

[REDACTED]

3.4.2.1 Scoring system

[REDACTED]

3.4.2.2 Examination time points

[REDACTED]

3.4.3 Other examinations

[REDACTED]

**3.5 Further remarks**

[REDACTED]

**4      RESULTS AND DISCUSSION****4.1 Average score**

4.1.1 Erythema

[REDACTED]

4.1.2 Oedema

[REDACTED]

**4.2 Reversibility**

[REDACTED]

**4.3 Other**

[REDACTED]

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**4.4      Overall result**

[REDACTED]

**5      APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION**

**5.1      Materials and methods**

[REDACTED]

**5.2      Results and discussion**

[REDACTED]

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**5.3 Conclusion** Iodine (0.5%-1%) [REDACTED] is a skin irritant if tested under stringent test conditions (occlusive skin contact for 24 hours). [REDACTED] iodine (10%) is almost non-irritant.

Although Iodine and primarily Iodine [REDACTED] are reported as irritant to skin, Iodine is currently not classified with regard to skin irritation according to Directive 67/548/EEC (risk phrase R38: Irritating to skin).

When [REDACTED] Iodine is applied to skin, the formation of free iodic acid [REDACTED] classified as corrosive) is likely, due to the water content of the skin (surface). Free iodic acid could be considered to be responsible for the irritation properties of Iodine. This and the findings that 5%-10% Iodine [REDACTED] [REDACTED] caused erythema do not justify a irritation toxicity study (dermal) with [REDACTED] Iodine because of animal welfare reasons.

5.3.1 Reliability [REDACTED]

5.3.2 Deficiencies [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

**Evaluation by Competent Authorities****EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE**

Date [REDACTED]

Materials and Methods [REDACTED]

Results and discussion [REDACTED]

Conclusion [REDACTED]

Reliability [REDACTED]

Acceptability [REDACTED]

Remarks [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

**Table A6.1.4.2./05-1 Results of skin irritation study**

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**Section A6.1.5/01**

Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.5

**Skin sensitisation**

Guinea pig maximisation test (GPMT)

Official  
use only**1 REFERENCE****1.1 Reference**

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**1.2 Data protection**

[REDACTED]

**1.2.1 Data owner**

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**1.2.2 Companies with  
letter of access**

[REDACTED]

**1.2.3 Criteria for data  
protection**

[REDACTED]

**2 GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE****2.1 Guideline study**

[REDACTED]

Directive 96/54/EC, B.6

**2.2 GLP**

[REDACTED]

**2.3 Deviations**

[REDACTED]

**3 MATERIALS AND METHODS****3.1 Test material**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.1 Lot/Batch number**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.2 Specification**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.2.1 Description**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.2.2 Purity**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.2.3 Stability**

[REDACTED]

**3.1.2.4 Preparation of test  
substance for  
application**

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**3.1.2.5 Pre-test performed  
on irritant effects**

[REDACTED]

**3.2 Test Animals****3.2.1 Species**

Guinea pigs

**3.2.2 Strain**

Albino Dunkin Hartley

**3.2.3 Source**

[REDACTED]

**3.2.4 Sex**

male

**3.2.5 Age/weight at study  
initiation**

[REDACTED]

**Section A6.1.5/01****Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.5****Skin sensitisation**

Guinea pig maximisation test (GPMT)

3.2.6	Number of animals per group	[REDACTED]
3.2.7	Control animals	[REDACTED]
3.3	<b>Administration/Exposure</b>	State study type: Adjuvant
3.3.1	Induction schedule	[REDACTED]
3.3.2	Way of Induction	Intradermal and topical Occlusive dressing
3.3.3	Concentrations used for induction	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
3.3.4	Concentration Freund's Complete Adjuvant (FCA)	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
3.3.5	Challenge schedule	[REDACTED]
3.3.6	Concentrations used for challenge	[REDACTED]
3.3.7	Rechallenge	[REDACTED]
3.3.8	Scoring schedule	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
3.3.9	Removal of the test substance	[REDACTED]
3.3.10	Positive control substance	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
3.3.11	Negative control	[REDACTED] [REDACTED]
3.4	<b>Examinations</b>	
3.4.1	Pilot study	[REDACTED]

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**Skin sensitisation**

Guinea pig maximisation test (GPMT)

**3.5 Further remarks**

**4 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

**4.1 Results of pilot studies**

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**4.2 Results of test**

**4.2.1 24h after challenge**

[REDACTED]

**4.2.2 48h after challenge**

[REDACTED]

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**Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.5**

**Skin sensitisation**

Guinea pig maximisation test (GPMT)

4.2.3 Other findings

[REDACTED]

4.3 Overall result

[REDACTED]

**5 APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION**

5.1 Materials and methods

[REDACTED]

5.2 Results and discussion

[REDACTED]

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**Annex Point IIA VI.6.1.5**

**Skin sensitisation**

Guinea pig maximisation test (GPMT)

- 5.3 Conclusion** The test material did not meet the criteria for classification as a sensitiser according to EU labelling regulations Commission Directive 93/21/EEC. No symbol and risk phrase are required, the test substance is classified as non-sensitiser.
- 5.3.1 Reliability
- 5.3.2 Deficiencies

**Evaluation by Competent Authorities**

**EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE**

- Date
- Materials and Methods
- Results and discussion
- Conclusion
- Reliability
- Acceptability
- Remarks

## Section A6.1.5/01

### Skin sensitisation

#### **Annex Point II A VI 6.1.5**

## Guinea pig maximisation test (GPMT)

**Table A6.1.5/01-1**

## **Detailed information including induction/challenge/scoring schedule for skin sensitisation test**

Table A6.1.5/01-2 Result of skin sensitisation test

**Section A6.2/01-09  
Annex Point IIA VI.6.2****Metabolism studies in mammals. Basic toxicokinetics  
including dermal absorption**

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1.2    Data protection		
1.2.1    Data owner		

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**Metabolism studies in mammals. Basic toxicokinetics  
including dermal absorption**

1.2.2 Companies with  
letter of access [REDACTED]

1.2.3 Criteria for data  
protection [REDACTED]

**2 GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE**

2.1 Guideline study Not applicable. [REDACTED]

2.2 GLP [REDACTED]

2.3 Deviations Not applicable [REDACTED]

**3 MATERIALS AND METHODS**

3.1 Test material  
and methods [REDACTED]

**4 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

4.1 General results

Iodine is an essential dietary element for mammals being required for the synthesis of the thyroid hormones which control metabolisms, e.g. of fat, carbohydrate and protein, and increase the metabolic rate of almost all cells in the body. Iodine through its role in thyroid hormones is of vital importance for human health and plays an important role in normal growth and development.

There is a lot of data derived from experience in humans with dietary supplements and pharmaceuticals, but only a limited number of animal studies are available. Therefore, not a single study but a comprehensive description of ADME is provided.

4.1.1 Absorption [REDACTED]

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**Metabolism studies in mammals. Basic toxicokinetics  
including dermal absorption**

4.1.2 Distribution

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### **Annex Point II A VI.6.2**

## **Metabolism studies in mammals. Basic toxicokinetics including dermal absorption**

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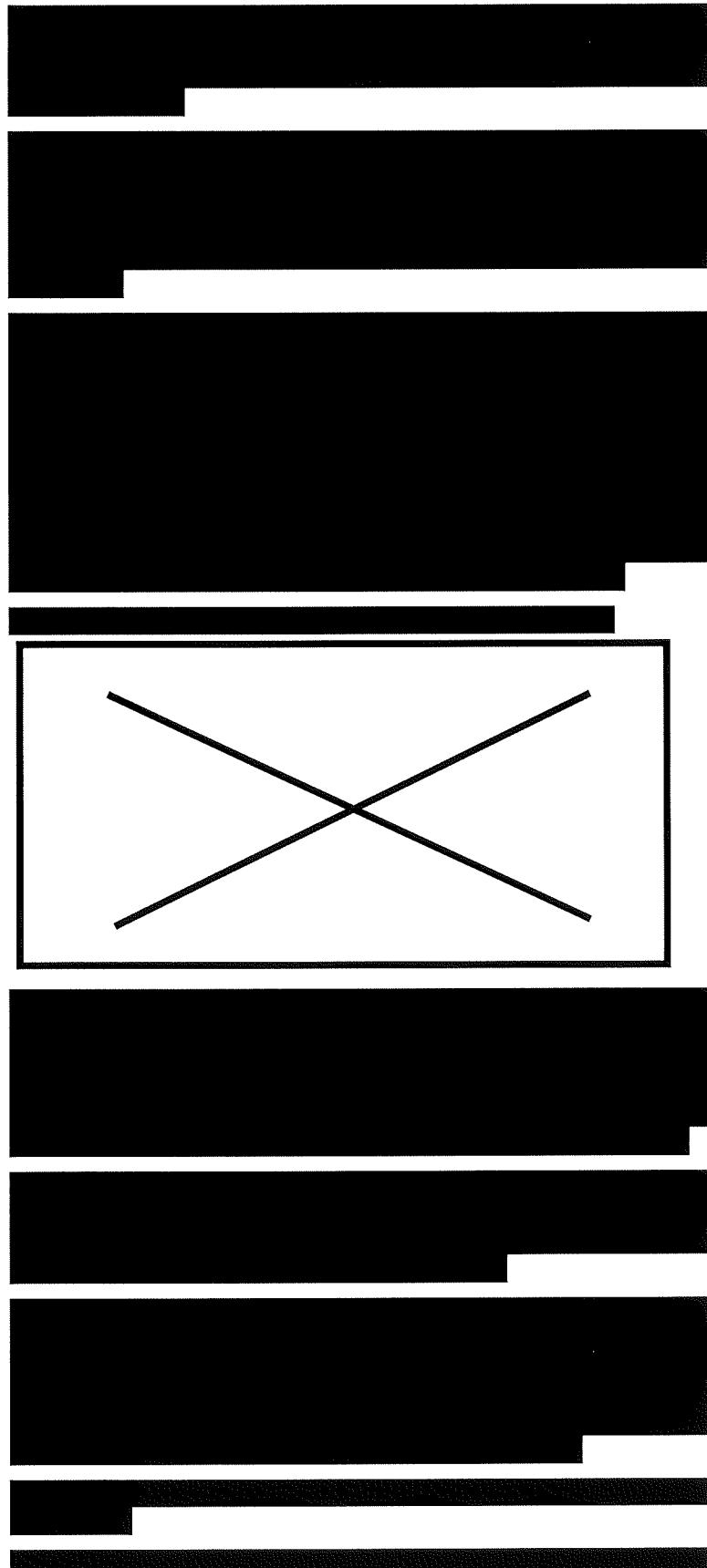
### **Annex Point IIA VI.6.2**

## **Metabolism studies in mammals. Basic toxicokinetics including dermal absorption**

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including dermal absorption**

4.1.3 Metabolism



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### **Annex Point IIA VI.6.2**

## **Metabolism studies in mammals. Basic toxicokinetics including dermal absorption**

#### 4.1.4 Excretion

#### 4.1.5 Interferences

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Annex Point IIA VI.6.2

**Metabolism studies in mammals. Basic toxicokinetics  
including dermal absorption**

**4.2      Percutaneous  
absorption**

**5           APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION**

**5.1      Materials and  
methods**

**5.2      Results and  
discussion**

**Section A6.2/01-09**

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**Metabolism studies in mammals. Basic toxicokinetics  
including dermal absorption****5.3 Conclusion**

The complex of ADME of Iodine in mammals, in particular in humans is well-known because Iodine is an essential dietary element and very important to health, normal growth and development. The available data in humans allow a scientifically valid evaluation of ADME of Iodine.

Animal data are of limited value because of species differences in basal metabolic rate and in Iodine metabolism. Thus, the performance of a further animal study is scientifically not reasonable.

**5.3.1 Reliability**

■

**5.3.2 Deficiencies**

■

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■

**Materials and Methods**

■

**Results and discussion**

■

**Conclusion**

■

**Reliability**

■

**Acceptability**

■

**Section A6.2/01-09**

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**Metabolism studies in mammals. Basic toxicokinetics  
including dermal absorption**

**Remarks**



**Section A6.2**

**Percutaneous absorption and Toxicokinetics of Iodine**

**Annex Point II A6.2**

**JUSTIFICATION FOR NON-SUBMISSION OF DATA**

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Other existing data  Technically not feasible [...] Scientifically unjustified

Limited exposure  Other justification

Detailed justification:

[REDACTED]

**Evaluation by Competent Authorities**

**EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE**

Date

[REDACTED]

Evaluation of applicant's  
justification

[REDACTED]

Conclusion

[REDACTED]

Remarks

[REDACTED]

**Section A6.3.1/01-04      Repeated dose toxicity**

Annex Point IIIA, VI.6.3      Low dose oral Iodide supplementation in humans

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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- 1.2      Data protection  
1.2.1      Data owner  
1.2.2      Companies with letter of access  
1.2.3      Criteria for data protection

**2      GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE**

- 2.1      Guideline study      Not applicable, [REDACTED]  
2.2      GLP      Not applicable, [REDACTED]  
2.3      Deviations      Not applicable, [REDACTED]

**Section A6.3.1/01-04****Repeated dose toxicity**

Annex Point IIIA, VI.6.3

Low dose oral Iodide supplementation in humans

**3 MATERIALS AND METHODS**3.1 **Test material** Sodium iodide (CAS No. 7681-82-5)**3.2 Test Persons**

3.2.1 Species Human

3.2.2 Sex Male

3.2.3 Age/weight at study initiation

3.2.4 Number of test persons per group

3.2.5 Control test persons and baseline values

3.3 **Administration/Exposure** Oral (after an initial i.v. bolus of 500 µg TRH)

3.3.1 Duration of treatment

3.3.2 Frequency of exposure

3.3.3 Postexposure period

**3.3.4 Oral**

3.3.4.1 Type

3.3.4.2 Concentration

3.3.4.3 Vehicle

3.3.4.4 Concentration in vehicle

3.3.4.5 Total volume applied

3.3.4.6 Controls

**3.4 Examinations**

3.4.1 Observations

### Section A6.3.1/01-04

## Repeated dose toxicity

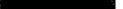
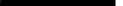
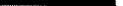
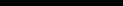
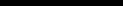
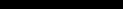
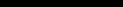
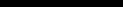
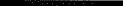
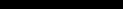
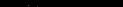
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Procedure	Duration (approximate scale)
3.4.1.1 Clinical signs	Very short
3.4.1.2 Mortality	Short
3.4.2 Body weight	Very short
3.4.3 Food consumption	Extremely long
3.4.4 Water consumption	Medium
3.4.5 Ophthalmoscopic examination	Very short
3.4.6 Haematology	Very short
3.4.7 Clinical Chemistry	Long
3.4.8 Urinalysis	Medium
3.4.9 Statistics	Very long
3.5 Sacrifice and pathology	Medium
3.6 Further remarks	Very short

## 4 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

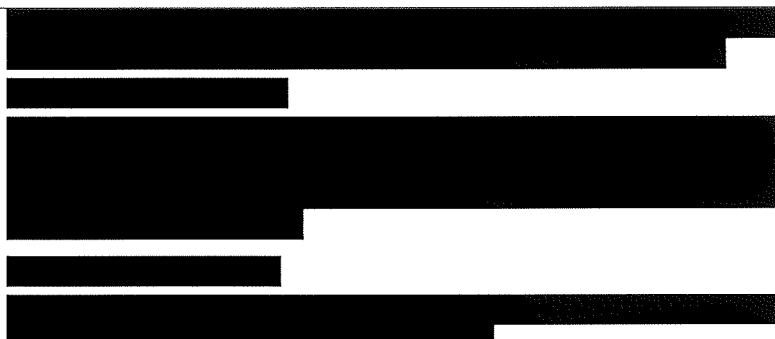
#### 4.1 Observations

- |       |                    |   |
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| 4.1.1 | Clinical signs     | <br><br> |
| 4.2   | Body weight gain   | <br><br> |
| 4.3   | Blood analysis     | <br><br> |
| 4.3.1 | Clinical chemistry | <br><br> |

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4.3.2      Urinalysis



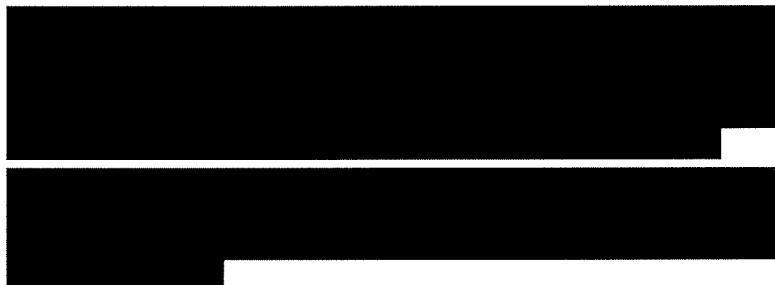
4.4      Other

**5      APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION**

5.1      Materials and methods



5.2      Results and discussion



5.3      Conclusion

Thus, low Iodide supplementation of 1500-4500 µg/day, additional to a basic Iodide consumption of about 700-800 µg Iodide/day (as estimated for the USA) has a significant inhibitory effect on the thyroid secretion in healthy men.

5.3.1      LOEL

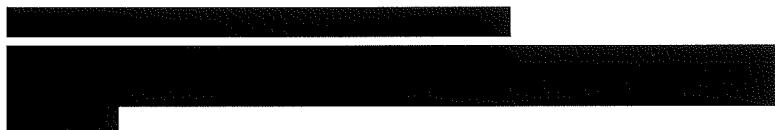
If a basic Iodide consumption of about 800 µg Iodide/day (as estimated for the USA) is considered:

2300 µg/day



If a basic Iodide consumption of about 300 µg Iodide/day, derived from the Iodide excretion is considered:

1800 µg/day



5.3.2      Upper Intake Level  
(USA)

1200 µg/day



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5.3.3      Upper Intake Level  
(Europe)

600 µg/day

5.3.4      Other

5.3.5      Reliability

5.3.6      Deficiencies

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**EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE**

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Reliability

Acceptability

Remarks

**Section A6.3.1/01-04 Repeated dose toxicity**

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Low dose oral Iodide supplementation in humans

**Table A6.3.1/01-04-1: Results of urinalysis and clinical chemistry: Urinary Iodide excretion and serum Iodide concentrations before and after administration**

[REDACTED]							
[REDACTED]							
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**Table A6.3.1/01-04-2: Results of clinical chemistry: Serum thyroid hormone concentrations before and after administration**

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**Table A6.3.1/01-04-3: Results of clinical chemistry: Effect of Iodide on basal and TRH-stimulated serum TSH concentration**

[REDACTED]							
[REDACTED]							
[REDACTED]							
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**Section A6.3.1/05****Repeated dose toxicity**

Annex Point IIA, VI.6.3

Low dose oral Iodide supplementation in humans

**1.1 Reference****1 REFERENCE**Official  
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**1.2 Data protection****1.2.1 Data owner****1.2.2 Companies with letter of access****1.2.3 Criteria for data protection**

**Section A6.3.1/05****Repeated dose toxicity**

Annex Point IIA, VI.6.3

Low dose oral Iodide supplementation in humans

**2 GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE****2.1 Guideline study**

Not applicable, [REDACTED]

**2.2 GLP**

Not applicable, [REDACTED]

**2.3 Deviations**

Not applicable, [REDACTED]

**3 MATERIALS AND METHODS****3.1 Test material**

Sodium iodide (CAS No. 7681-82-5)

**3.2 Test Persons**

3.2.1 Species Human

3.2.2 Sex Male and female

3.2.3 Age/weight at study initiation  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]3.2.4 Number of test persons per group  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]3.2.5 Control test persons and baseline values  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]**3.3 Administration/Exposure**

Oral (after an initial i.v. bolus of 500 µg TRH)

3.3.1 Duration of treatment  
[REDACTED]3.3.2 Frequency of exposure  
[REDACTED]3.3.3 Postexposure period  
[REDACTED]**3.3.4 Oral**3.3.4.1 Type  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
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[REDACTED]3.3.4.3 Vehicle  
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**Section A6.3.1/05****Annex Point IIA, VI.6.3****Repeated dose toxicity**

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3.3.4.4 Concentration in vehicle

[REDACTED]

3.3.4.5 Total volume applied

[REDACTED]

3.3.4.6 Controls

[REDACTED]

**3.4 Examinations**

3.4.1 Observations

[REDACTED]

3.4.1.1 Clinical signs

[REDACTED]

3.4.1.2 Mortality

[REDACTED]

3.4.2 Body weight

[REDACTED]

3.4.3 Food consumption

[REDACTED]

3.4.4 Water consumption

[REDACTED]

3.4.5 Ophthalmoscopic examination

[REDACTED]

3.4.6 Haematology

[REDACTED]

3.4.7 Clinical Chemistry

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

3.4.8 Urinalysis

[REDACTED]

3.4.9 Statistics

[REDACTED]

**3.5 Sacrifice and pathology****3.6 Further remarks**

[REDACTED]

**4 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION****4.1 Observations**

4.1.1 Clinical signs

[REDACTED]

4.2 Body weight gain

[REDACTED]

4.3 Blood analysis

### Section A6.3.1/05

## Repeated dose toxicity

**Annex Point IIA, VI.6.3** Low dose oral Iodide supplementation in humans

- #### 4.3.1 Clinical chemistry

- #### 4.3.2 Urinalysis

- #### 4.4 Other

## **5 APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION**

- ## 5.1 Materials and methods

- ## 5.2 Results and

**Section A6.3.1/05****Annex Point IIA, VI.6.3****Repeated dose toxicity**

Low dose oral Iodide supplementation in humans

**discussion****5.3 Conclusion**

An increase in dietary Iodine of 1,500 µg daily can induce subtle changes in the pituitary-thyroid function, probably by inhibiting thyroid hormone release. Smaller Iodine supplements of 250 and 500 µg daily did not affect the thyroid function.

**5.3.1 LOEL**

1700 µg/day

**5.3.2 Upper Intake Level  
(USA)**

1100 µg/day

**5.3.3 Upper Intake Level  
(Europe)**

The LOEL of 1700 µg/day

LO(A)EL of 1800 µg/day

and a NOEL of 600 µg/day -

The LOEL of 1800 µg/day is supported by the present study

**5.3.4 Other****5.3.5 Reliability****5.3.6 Deficiencies****Evaluation by Competent Authorities****EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE**

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Annex Point IIA, VI.6.3

**Repeated dose toxicity**

Low dose oral Iodide supplementation in humans

Date	[REDACTED]
Materials and Methods	[REDACTED]
Results and discussion	[REDACTED]
Conclusion	[REDACTED]
Reliability	[REDACTED]
Acceptability	[REDACTED]
Remarks	[REDACTED]

### **Section A6.3.1/05**

## Repeated dose toxicity

## **Annex Point IIA6.3.1** Low dose oral Iodide supplementation in humans

**Table A6.3.1/05-1: Results of urinalysis and clinical chemistry: Urinary Iodine excretion and serum Iodide concentrations before and after administration in men and women**

**Table A6.3.1/05-2: Results of clinical chemistry: Serum thyroid hormone concentrations before and after administration**

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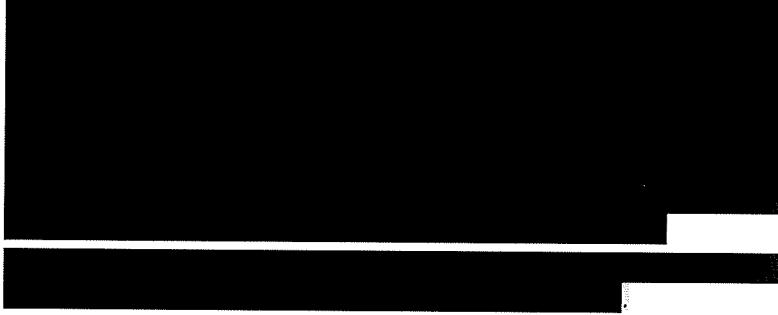
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## Repeated dose toxicity

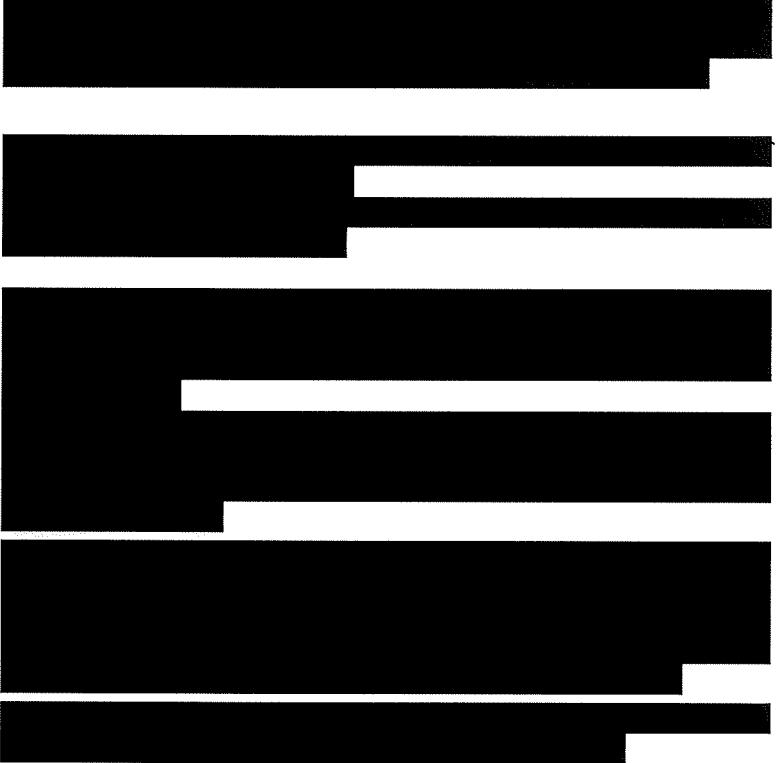
### **Annex Point IIA, VI.6.3**

## Oral toxicity test in rat

**Section A6.3.2**  
**Annex Point II A, VI.6.3****Repeated/subacute toxicity**  
**Dermal**

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Other existing data [X]	Technically not feasible [ ]	Scientifically unjustified [ ]	
Limited exposure [ ]	Other justification [X]		
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<b>EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE</b>			
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**Section A6.3.3                    Repeated dose toxicity**  
**Annex Point IIA VI.6.3.            Inhalation**

<b>JUSTIFICATION FOR NON-SUBMISSION OF DATA</b>			Official use only
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**Section A6.4.1/01****Annex Point  
IIA VI.6.4****Subchronic oral toxicity test**(including repeated oral toxicity test only for T<sub>3</sub> and T<sub>4</sub>)**Rat****Official  
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## 1.2.1 Data owner

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1.2.2 Companies with  
letter of access

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1.2.3 Criteria for data  
protection

## [REDACTED]

**2 GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE****2.1 Guideline study**

## [REDACTED]

OECD guideline 408 is of 1998, [REDACTED]

**2.2 GLP**

## [REDACTED]

**2.3 Deviations**

Not applicable [REDACTED]

Deviations if compared with OECD 408:

- purity of the test material is not specified
- 12 animals/group instead of at 20 animals/group
- no information on clinical observations and ophthalmological examinations
- no information on food and water consumption and initial body weight

**3 MATERIALS AND METHODS****3.1 Test material**

- (1) Iodine
- (2) Iodide (from Sodium iodide)

## 3.1.1 Lot/Batch number

## [REDACTED]

## 3.1.2 Specification

## [REDACTED]

## 3.1.3 Description

## [REDACTED]

## 3.1.4 Purity

## [REDACTED]

## 3.1.5 Stability

## [REDACTED]

**3.2 Test Animals**

## 3.2.1 Species

Rat

## 3.2.2 Strain

Sprague-Dawley

## 3.2.3 Source

## [REDACTED]

## 3.2.4 Sex

Male, female

3.2.5 Age/weight at study  
initiation

## [REDACTED]

**Section A6.4.1/01****Annex Point  
IIA VI.6.4****Subchronic oral toxicity test**(including repeated oral toxicity test only for T<sub>3</sub> and T<sub>4</sub>)**Rat**

3.2.6	Number of animals per group	[REDACTED]
3.2.7	Control animals	[REDACTED]
<b>3.3</b>	<b>Administration/ Exposure</b>	Oral (via drinking water)
3.3.1	Duration of treatment	[REDACTED]
3.3.2	Frequency of exposure	[REDACTED]
3.3.3	Postexposure period	[REDACTED]
3.3.4	Type	[REDACTED]
3.3.5	Concentration	[REDACTED] X2
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3.3.7	Concentration in vehicle	[REDACTED]
3.3.8	Total volume applied	[REDACTED]
3.3.9	Controls	[REDACTED]
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3.4.1	Observations	[REDACTED]
3.4.1.1	Clinical signs	[REDACTED]
3.4.1.2	Mortality	[REDACTED]
3.4.2	Body weight	[REDACTED]
3.4.3	Food consumption	[REDACTED]
3.4.4	Water consumption	[REDACTED]
3.4.5	Ophthalmoscopic examination	[REDACTED]
3.4.6	Haematology	[REDACTED]

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**IIA VI.6.4**

**Subchronic oral toxicity test**

(including repeated oral toxicity test only for T<sub>3</sub> and T<sub>4</sub>)

**Rat**

3.4.7 Clinical Chemistry



3.4.8 Urinalysis



**3.5 Sacrifice and pathology**

3.5.1 Organ Weights



3.5.2 Gross and Histopathology



3.5.3 Other examinations



3.5.4 Statistics



3.6 Further remarks



**4 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

**4.1 Observations**

4.1.1 Clinical signs



4.1.2 Mortality



4.2 Body weight gain



4.3 Food consumption and compound intake



4.4 Water Consumption



4.5 Ophthalmoscopic examination



4.6 Blood analysis

4.6.1 Haematology



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**Rat**

4.6.2 Clinical chemistry

[REDACTED]

4.6.3 Urinalysis

[REDACTED]

**4.7 Sacrifice and pathology**

4.7.1 Organ weights

[REDACTED]

4.7.2 Gross and histopathology

[REDACTED]

**4.8 Other**

[REDACTED]

**5 APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION**

**5.1 Materials and**

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IIA VI.6.4

**Subchronic oral toxicity test**

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**Rat**

methods

**5.2 Results and discussion**

**Section A6.4.1/01**

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IIA VI.6.4

**Subchronic oral toxicity test**

(including repeated oral toxicity test only for T<sub>3</sub> and T<sub>4</sub>)

**Rat**

**5.3 Conclusion**

**5.3.1 LO(A)EL**

*target: plasma thyroid hormone levels*

Iodine:

1.4 mg/kg bw/day (target: plasma thyroid hormone levels)

The LO(A)EL for repeated intake is 14 mg/kg bw/day (target: plasma thyroid hormone levels)

Iodide:

0.14 mg/kg bw/day (target: plasma thyroid hormone levels)

The LO(A)EL for subchronic

[REDACTED] in female rats at 1 mg/L after 100 days of treatment.

The LO(A)EL for repeated intake is also 0.14 mg/kg bw/day (target: plasma thyroid hormone levels)

LO(A)EL  
*target: thyroid enlargement*

Iodine:

> 14 mg/kg bw/day (target: thyroid enlargement)

Iodide:

1.4 mg/kg bw/day (target: thyroid enlargement)

5.3.2 NO(A)EL  
*target: plasma thyroid hormone levels*

Iodine:

0.42 mg/kg bw/day (target: plasma thyroid hormone levels)

The NO(A)EL for repeated intake is 1.4 mg/kg bw/day (target: plasma thyroid hormone levels),

Iodide:

<0.14 mg/kg bw/day (target: plasma thyroid hormone levels)

The NO(A)EL for repeated intake is also <0.14 mg/kg bw/day (target: plasma thyroid hormone levels),

NO(A)EL  
*target: thyroid enlargement*

Iodine:

14 mg/kg bw/day (target: thyroid enlargement)

Iodide:

0.42 mg/kg bw/day (target: thyroid enlargement)

**Section A6.4.1/01**

Annex Point  
IIA VI.6.4

**Subchronic oral toxicity test**

(including repeated oral toxicity test only for T<sub>3</sub> and T<sub>4</sub>)

Rat

5.3.3 Other

[REDACTED]

5.3.4 Reliability

[REDACTED]

5.3.5 Deficiencies

[REDACTED]

**Evaluation by Competent Authorities**

**EVALUATION BY RAPPORTEUR MEMBER STATE**

Date

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Materials and Methods

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Results and discussion

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Conclusion

[REDACTED]

Reliability

[REDACTED]

Acceptability

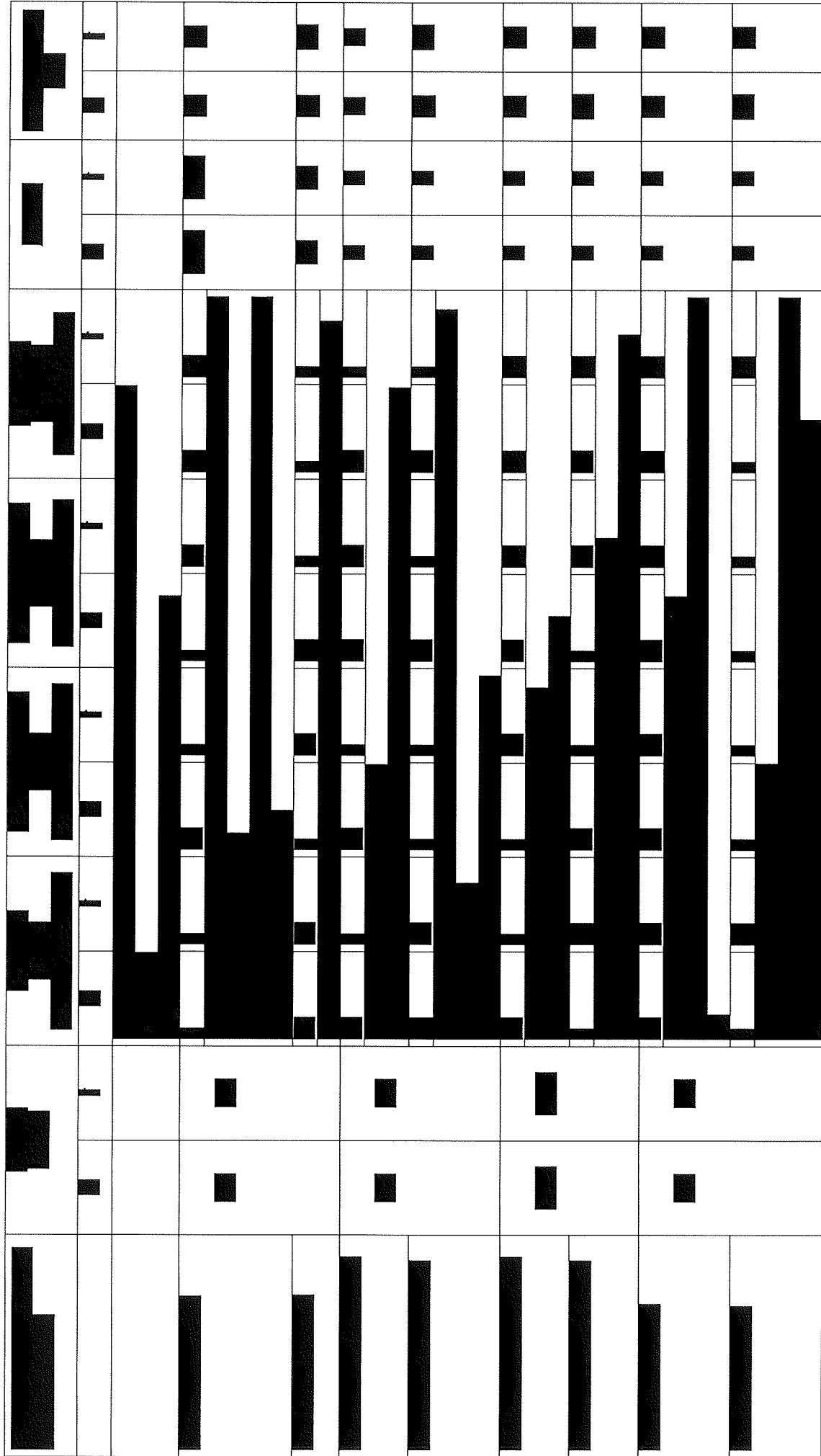
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Remarks

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Table A6.4.1/01-1: Results of haematology and clinical chemistry in rat subjected to varying concentration of Iodine ( $I_2$ ) or Iodide ( $I^-$ ) on their drinking water of 100 days

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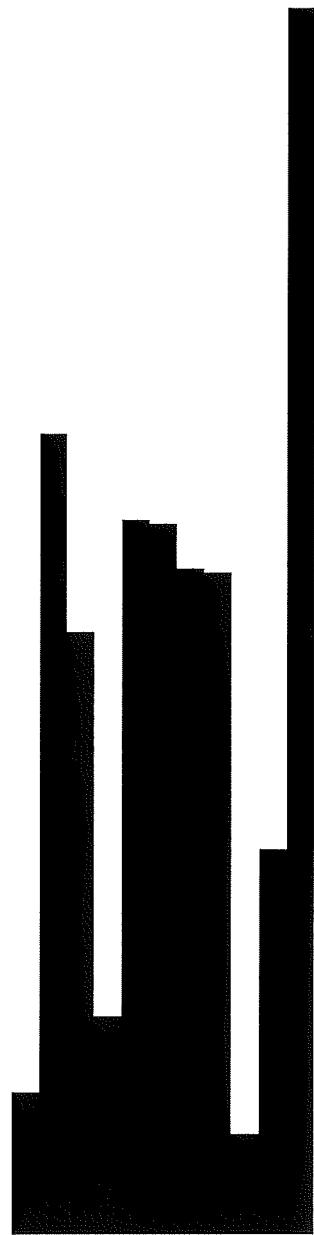


Table A6.4.1/01-2: Organ weights in rat subjected to varying concentration of Iodine ( $I_2$ ) or Iodide ( $I^-$ ) on their drinking water of 100 days

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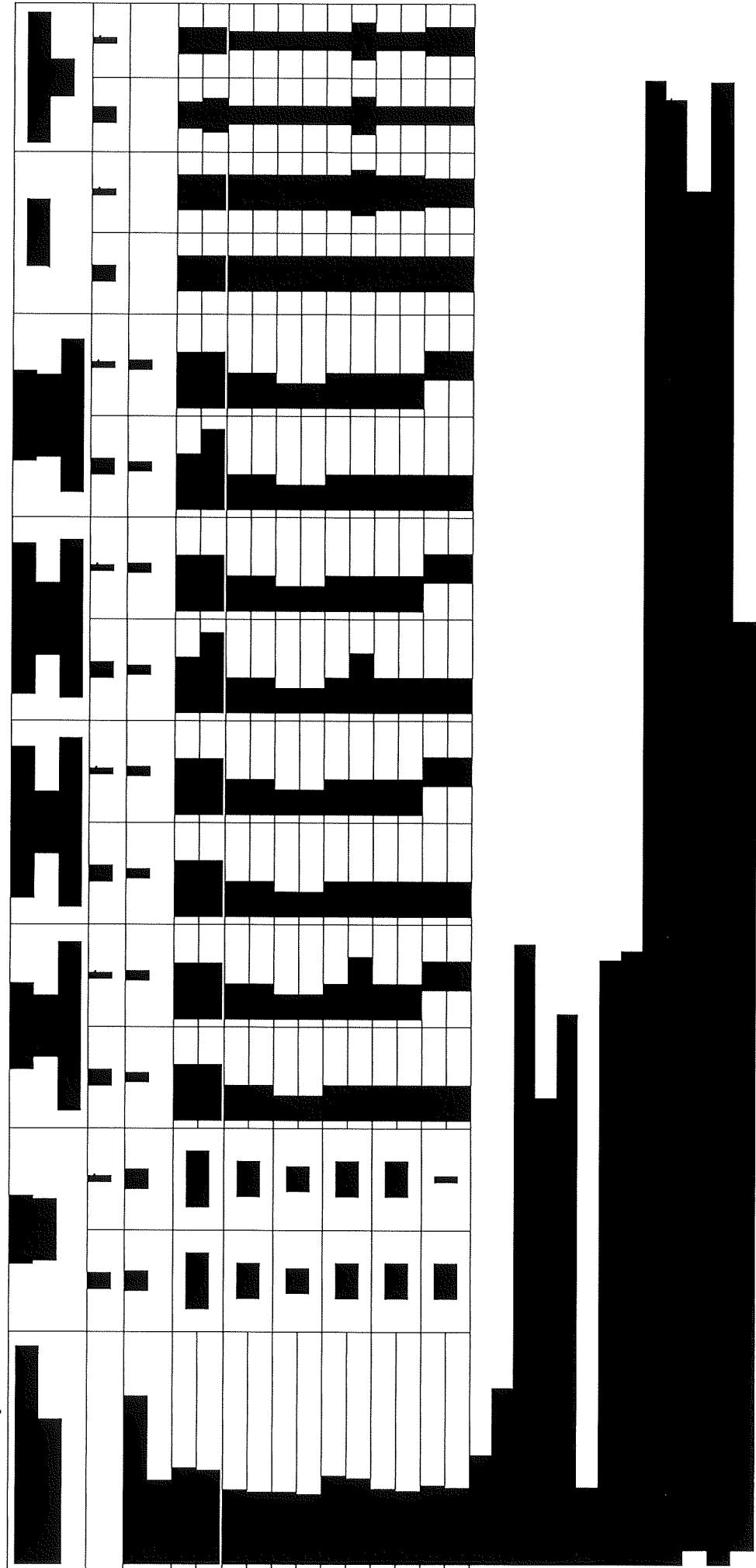
Plant Family	Black Bar (Species)	White Bar (Species)
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Fabaceae	~75	~15
Malvaceae	~65	~10
Rosaceae	~55	~10
Poaceae	~45	~10

Iodine Registration Group (IRG)  
RMS: Sweden

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Table A6.4.1/01-3: Organ weights as a percentage of body weight in rat subjected to varying concentration of Iodine ( $I_2$ ) or Iodide ( $I^-$ ) on their drinking water of 100 days

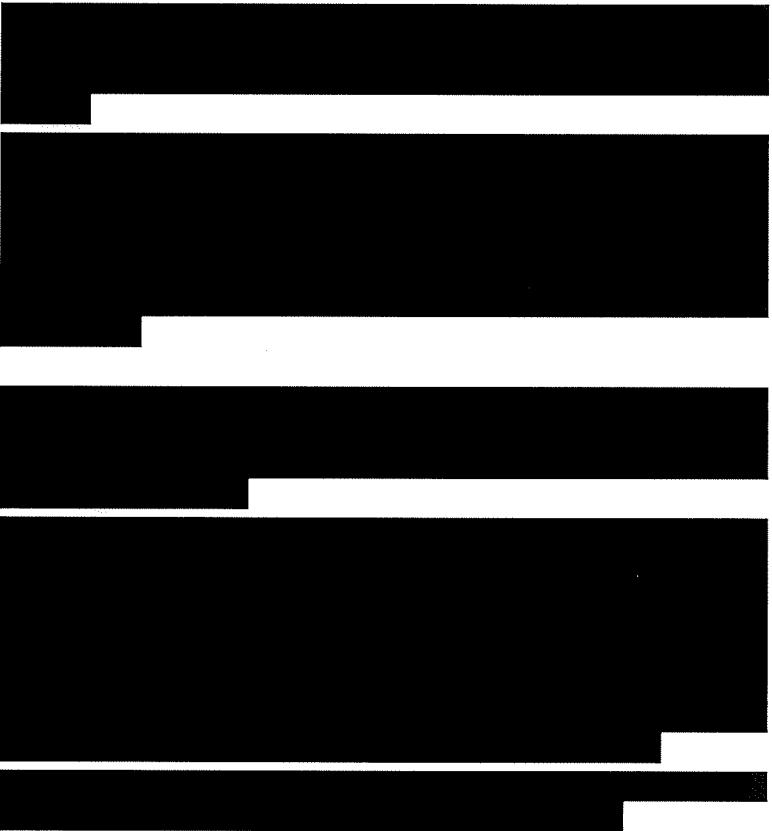


<b>Section A6.4.1/02</b>		<b>Subchronic oral toxicity, 2<sup>nd</sup> Species (dog)</b>	
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Evaluation of applicant's justification			
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Remarks			

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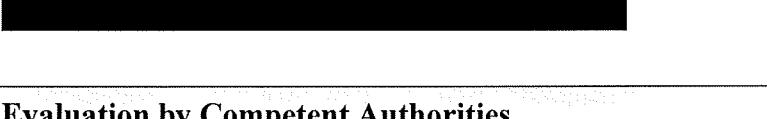
Subchronic dermal toxicity test

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**Section A6.4.3****Subchronic inhalation toxicity test**

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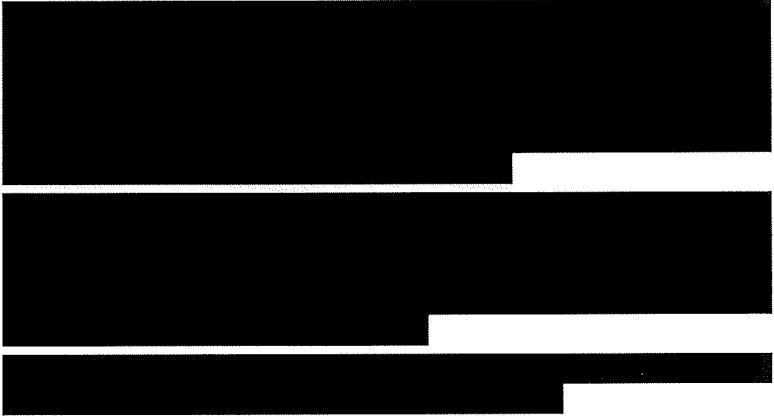
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**Chronic**

Oral

**Annex Point IIA VI.6.5**

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**Annex Point IIA, VI.6.1      Ames test**

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**1      REFERENCE**

**1.1      Reference** Thompson, P. W. (2002): Iodine: Reverse Mutation Assay "Ames Test" using *Salmonella typhimurium*; SafePharm Laboratories Ltd., Project No. 1580/003 (unpublished);  
[REDACTED]

**1.2      Data protection**

1.2.1      Data owner [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]

1.2.2      Companies with letter of access [REDACTED]

1.2.3      Criteria for data protection [REDACTED]

**2      GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE**

**2.1      Guideline study**

[REDACTED]  
Directive 2000/32/EC, Method B13/14; OECD Guideline 471

**2.2      GLP**

[REDACTED]

**2.3      Deviations**

**3      MATERIALS AND METHODS**

**3.1      Test material** Iodine

3.1.1      Lot/Batch number [REDACTED]

3.1.2      Specification [REDACTED]

3.1.3      Description [REDACTED]

3.1.4      Purity [REDACTED]

3.1.5      Stability [REDACTED]

**3.2      Study Type** Bacterial reverse mutation test

3.2.1      Organism/cell type Experiment 1 and 2:  
S. typhimurium: TA 1535, TA 1537, A 98, TA 100, TA 102

**Section A6.6.1/01      *In-vitro gene mutation in bacteria***

Annex Point IIA, VI.6.6.1      Ames test

3.2.2 Deficiencies /  
Proficiencies

[REDACTED]

3.2.3 Metabolic  
activation system

[REDACTED]

3.2.4 Positive control

[REDACTED]

3.3 Administration /  
Exposure;  
Application of test  
substance

3.3.1 Concentrations

[REDACTED]

3.3.2 Way of application

Plate incorporation method [REDACTED]

3.3.3 Pre-incubation time

3.3.4 Other modifications

3.4 Examinations

3.4.1 Number of cells  
evaluated

**4            RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

**4.1 Genotoxicity**

4.1.1 without metabolic  
activation

[REDACTED]

4.1.2 with metabolic  
activation

[REDACTED]

**4.2 Cytotoxicity**

[REDACTED]

**Section A6.6.1/01      *In-vitro* gene mutation in bacteria**  
**Annex Point IIA, VI.6.6.1      Ames test**

**5      APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION**

**5.1      Materials and methods**

[REDACTED]

**5.2      Results and discussion**

[REDACTED]

**5.3      Conclusion**

Iodine is not mutagenic in bacterial cells under the condition of the test.

**5.3.1      Reliability**

[REDACTED]

**5.3.2      Deficiencies**

[REDACTED]

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**Date**

[REDACTED]

**Materials and Methods**

[REDACTED]

**Results and discussion**

[REDACTED]

**Conclusion**

[REDACTED]

**Reliability**

[REDACTED]

**Acceptability**

[REDACTED]

**Remarks**

[REDACTED]

## Section A6.6.1/01      *In-vitro* gene mutation in bacteria

### **Annex Point IIA, VI.6.6.1 Ames test**

Section A6.6.1/01 *In-vitro* gene mutation in bacteria

### **Annex Point IIA, VI.6.6.1 Ames test**



**Table A6.6.1-2: Historical Data of Vehicle and Positive Control Values**

**Section A6.6.2/01**

***In-vitro* cytogenicity in mammalian cells**

Annex Point IIA6.6.1 /  
6.6.2 / 6.6.3

Human Lymphocyte cells



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**1 REFERENCE**

**1.1 Reference**

Wright, N.P. (2002): Iodine: Chromosome Aberration Test in Human Lymphocytes In vitro. Safepharm Laboratories Ltd., SPL Project No. 1580/002 (unpublished);  
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**1.2 Data protection**

**1.2.1 Data owner**



**1.2.2 Companies with letter of access**



**1.2.3 Criteria for data protection**



**2 GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE**

**2.1 Guideline study**

[REDACTED]  
Directive 2000/32/EC, Method B10; OECD Guideline 473

**2.2 GLP**



**2.3 Deviations**



**3 MATERIALS AND METHODS**

**3.1 Test material**

Iodine

**3.1.1 Lot/Batch number**



**3.1.2 Specification**



**3.1.3 Description**



**3.1.4 Purity**



**3.1.5 Stability**



**3.2 Study Type**

In Vitro mammalian chromosome aberration test

**3.2.1 Organism/cell type**

[REDACTED];

Human Lymphocyte cells [REDACTED]

**Section A6.6.2/01**

***In-vitro cytogenicity in mammalian cells***

**Annex Point II A6.6.1 /  
6.6.2 / 6.6.3**

Human Lymphocyte cells

3.2.2	Deficiencies / Proficiencies	[REDACTED]
3.2.3	Metabolic activation system	[REDACTED]  [REDACTED]  [REDACTED]  [REDACTED]
3.2.4	Positive control	[REDACTED]  [REDACTED]  [REDACTED]
3.3	Administration / Exposure; Application of test substance	[REDACTED]
3.3.1	Concentrations	[REDACTED]  [REDACTED]  [REDACTED]  [REDACTED]  [REDACTED]  [REDACTED]  [REDACTED]
3.3.2	Way of application	dissolved in culture medium
3.3.3	Pre-incubation time	[REDACTED]
3.3.4	Other modifications	[REDACTED]
3.4	Examinations	[REDACTED]
3.4.1	Number of cells evaluated	[REDACTED]

**Section A6.6.2/01**

***In-vitro* cytogenicity in mammalian cells**

Annex Point IIA6.6.1 /  
6.6.2 / 6.6.3

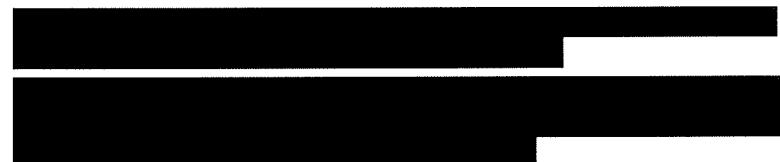
**4 RESULTS AND DISCUSSION**

**4.1 Genotoxicity**

4.1.1 without metabolic activation



4.1.2 with metabolic activation



**4.2 Cytotoxicity**



**Section A6.6.2/01**

***In-vitro* cytogenicity in mammalian cells**

Annex Point II A6.6.1 /  
6.6.2 / 6.6.3

Human Lymphocyte cells

**5.1 Materials and methods**

**5 APPLICANT'S SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION**

[REDACTED]

**Section A6.6.2/01**

***In-vitro* cytogenicity in mammalian cells**

Annex Point IIA6.6.1 /  
6.6.2 / 6.6.3

Human Lymphocyte cells

**5.2 Results and discussion**

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

**5.3 Conclusion**

[REDACTED]

The test material was therefore considered to be clastogenic in human lymphocytes *in vitro* under these specific test conditions. Findings in the presence of metabolic activation are more relevant because they more resemble the *in vivo* situation. For the final assessment of the genotoxicity, the negative findings of *in vivo* studies are more relevant than this single *in vitro* finding.

**5.3.1 Reliability**

[REDACTED]

**5.3.2 Deficiencies**

[REDACTED]

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**Date**

[REDACTED]

**Materials and Methods**

[REDACTED]

**Section A6.6.2/01**

***In-vitro* cytogenicity in mammalian cells**

Annex Point IIA6.6.1 /  
6.6.2 / 6.6.3

Human Lymphocyte cells

**Results and discussion**

[REDACTED]

**Conclusion**

[REDACTED]

**Reliability**

[REDACTED]

**Acceptability**

[REDACTED]

**Remarks**

**Section A6.6.2**

***In-vitro* cytogenicity in mammalian cells**

Annex Point IIA6.6.1 / 6.6.2 Human Lymphocyte cells  
/ 6.6.3

**Table A6.6.2/01-1. *In vitro* Test: Chromosomal Analysis without metabolic activation**



**Section A6.6.2**

***In-vitro* cytogenicity in mammalian cells**

Annex Point IIA6.6.1 / 6.6.2 Human Lymphocyte cells  
/ 6.6.3

**Table A6.6.2/01-2.** *In vitro* Test: Chromosomal Analysis with metabolic activation

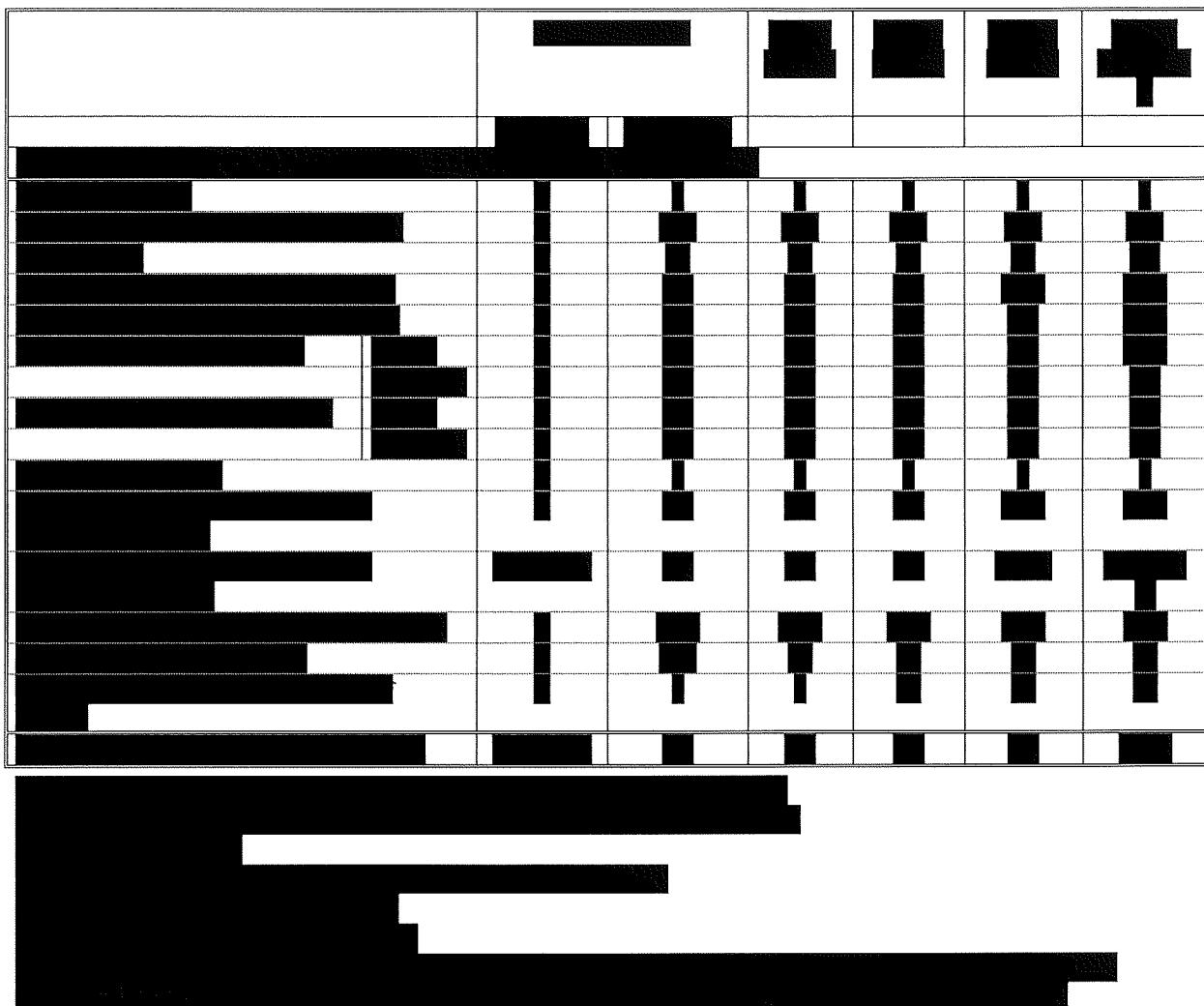


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*In-vitro* cytogenicity in mammalian cells

Annex Point IIA6.6.1 / 6.6.2 Human Lymphocyte cells  
/ 6.6.3

Table A6.6.2/01-3. *In vitro* Test: Chromosomal Analysis without metabolic activation

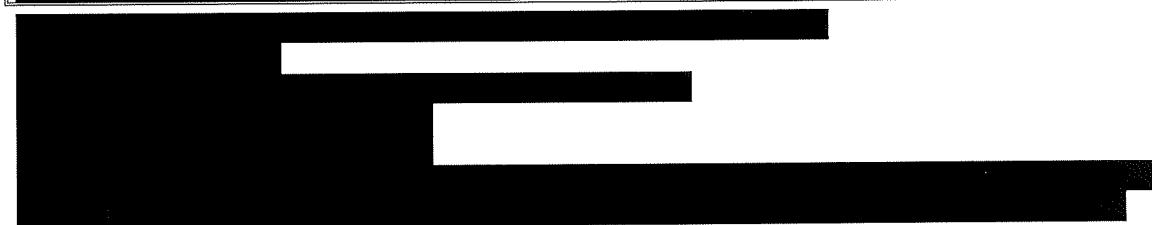


**Section A6.6.2**

***In-vitro* cytogenicity in mammalian cells**

Annex Point IIA6.6.1 / 6.6.2 Human Lymphocyte cells  
/ 6.6.3

**Table A6.6.2/01-4. *In vitro* Test: Chromosomal Analysis with metabolic activation**



**Section A6.6.3/01-04      *In-vitro gene mutation in mammalian cells***

Annex Point IIA VI.6.6.3      Mouse lymphoma assay

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- 1.1      Reference
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  - [2] California Environmental Protection Agency, Department of Pesticide Regulation, Medical Toxicology Branch (2005), Summary of Toxicology Data, Iodine and related Iodine Complexes, p. 127; 213 <http://www.cdpr.ca.gov/docs/toxsums/pdfs/718c.pdf> Doc. No. 581-013 (published); Section A6.6.3/02
  - [3] Expert Group on Vitamins and Minerals (2002): Revised Review of Iodine, p. 42 Doc. No. 681-001 (published); Section A6.6.3/03
  - [4] Expert Group on Vitamins and Minerals (2003): Revised Review of Iodine, p. 206 Doc. No. 592-033 (published); Section A6.6.3/04

**1.2      Data protection**

1.2.1      Data owner

1.2.2      Companies with letter of access

1.2.3      Criteria for data protection

**2      GUIDELINES AND QUALITY ASSURANCE****2.1      Guideline study**

Yes

X1

OECD Guideline 476 was adopted in 1997.

Mouse lymphoma assay, [REDACTED]

Two of the references of OECD Guideline 476 are publications [REDACTED]

**2.2      GLP**

[REDACTED]

**2.3      Deviations**

Not applicable [REDACTED]

**3      MATERIALS AND METHODS****3.1      Test material**

- (1) Iodine
- (2) Potassium iodine
- (3) Polyvinylpyrrolidone iodine