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# FINAL TOUCH





# **MICROBIOLOGICAL PROFILE**

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#### INTRODUCTION

FINAL TOUCH is a highly perfumed multi-purpose washroom santiser. It has a neutral pH which makes it suitable for use on a variety of surfaces including stainless steel, chrome, ceramics, porcelain, vitreous enamel, paint-work, floors and walls.

FINAL TOUCH is also available in a ready-to-use (RTU) solution. The results reported in this profile have been carried out on dilutions of the concentrated product.

FINAL TOUCH is ideal for use in hospitals, care homes, surgeries, schools, leisure centres and wherever there is a risk of infection.

FINAL TOUCH has been tested using European Standard methods to meet specific classification/regulatory demands.

The European Standard test methods EN 1276 and EN 1650 were performed in the UKAS accredited Microbiology Laboratory (Testing No. 1108) of Evans Vanodine International Plc.

EN 1276 test method uses four reference bacteria, *Enterococcus hirae, Escherichia coli* (*E.coli*), *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* and *Staphylococcus aureus* as representatives of the main bacterial types.

*Pseudomonas aeruginosa* is considered to be one of the most resistant bacteria to disinfectants and therefore the effective dilutions against this bacterium are normally used to determine recommended in-use dilutions.

Additionally bacteria of importance as causative agents of infection have been tested. Tests against Legionella were performed by an independent testing laboratory.

# PLEASE REFER TO PRODUCT LABEL FOR HOW TO USE AND FOR ALL RECOMMENDED USE DILUTION RATES

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A glossary of microbiological and chemical terms is available on request

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#### Activity against bacteria in suspension using

#### <u>EN 1276</u>

BACTERIA	DISEASE / INFECTION	Bactericidal dilutions under simulated "dirty conditions"*
		CONTACT TIME
		5 minutes
Enterococcus hirae	Urinary tract infections	1:200
Escherichia coli	Food poisoning	1:100
Pseudomonas aeruginosa	Opportunistic pathogen, wound, burn infections	1:10
Staphylococcus aureus	Skin, bone and wound infections	1:100
ADDITIONAL BACTERIA	Bactericidal dilutions against the additional bacteria are all greater than that of the most resistant organism, <i>Pseudomonas aeruginosa</i>	
Escherichia coli 0157	Food poisoning	1:100
Methicillin resistant <i>Staphylococcus aureus</i> (MRSA)	Wound infections	1:100
Salmonella typhimurium	Food poisoning	1:50
Shigella sonnei	Dysentery	1:50
Legionella pneumophila	Legionnaires disease	1:10**

\*As defined in EN 1276

\*\*FINAL TOUCH is suitable for disinfecting shower heads only and should not be used in water systems for the control of Legionella

#### **TEST METHOD REFERENCE**

#### <u>EN 1276</u>

Chemical disinfectants and antiseptics - Quantitative suspension test for the evaluation of bactericidal activity of chemical disinfectants and antiseptics used in food, industrial, domestic, and institutional areas

The appropriate method for disinfectants used in bathrooms/leisure industry. May be carried out under "dirty" (representative of surfaces which are known to or may contain, organic and/or inorganic materials) and "clean" (representative of surfaces which have received a satisfactory cleaning programme and/or are known to contain minimal levels of organic and/or inorganic materials) conditions.

Test parameters:	5 minutes contact time, 20°C, hard water, dirty conditions.
Bactericidal criteria:	≥5 log reduction ≡ 99.999% reduction.

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#### Activity against yeast in suspension using

#### <u>EN 1650</u>

VEACT		Yeasticidal dilutions under simulated "dirty conditions"*
TEAST	DISEASE / INFECTION	CONTACT TIME
		15 minutes
Candida albicans	Thrush	1:20

#### \*As defined in EN 1650

#### **TEST METHOD REFERENCE**

#### <u>EN 1650</u>

Chemical disinfectants and antiseptics - Quantitative suspension test for the evaluation of fungicidal or yeasticidal activity of chemical disinfectants and antiseptics used in food, industrial, domestic, and institutional areas.

Designed to test fungicidal products specifically for use in the Food and Catering Industry. It is carried out under "dirty" (representative of surfaces which are known to or may contain organic and/or inorganic materials) and "clean" (representative of surfaces which have received a satisfactory cleaning programme and/or are known to contain minimal levels of organic and/or inorganic materials) conditions.

Test parameters:15 minutes contact time, 20°C, hard water, dirty conditions.Yeasticidal criteria: $\geq$ 4 log reduction  $\equiv$  99.99% reduction.