## CENTRE FOR PLANT MEDICINE RESEARCH. MICROBIOLOGY DEPARTMENT

Product Code	Product Form	Date Received	Date Analysed
De/003/21	Decoction	19 <sup>th</sup> April, 2021	19 <sup>th</sup> January, 2021

## A) Microbial Load Analysis

Test	Result (CFU/ml)	Acceptance Criterion BP (2021)	Compliance
1 TAMC/ 37 <sup>0</sup> C /24hrs/PCA	1.3 x 10 <sup>3</sup>	5.0 x 10 <sup>4</sup>	Passed
2 TYMC/ 25 <sup>0</sup> C /5Days/MEA	4.0 x 10 <sup>2</sup>	$5.0 \times 10^2$	Passed
E Coli	Absent	Absent	Passed
Salmonella spp	Absent	Absent	Passed
Staphylococcus spp	Absent	Absent	Passed

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> TAMC = Total Aerobic Microbial Count <sup>2</sup> TYMC = Total Yeast and Molds Counts

General Comment: The sample meets the microbial load requirements as per BP specifications

## B) Microbial Efficacy Analysis

2) The total Effect (Thaifte					
Pathogen	Product Inhibition Zone (mm)	Ciprofloxacin Inhibition Zone (mm)	Fluconazole Inhibition Zone (mm)		
S. aureus(ATCC 25923)	11	35	N/A		
E. coli (ATCC 25922)	6	35	N/A		
C. albicans(ATCC 10231)	13	0	27		
K. pneumoniae (ATCC 33495)	13	34	N/A		
P. aeruginosa(ATCC 27853)	6	25	N/A		
P. mirabilis(ATCC 49565)	6	30	N/A		
S. saprophyticus (ATCC 15305)	14	34	N/A		
S. typhi(ATCC 19430)	6	35	N/A		
E. feacalis (ATCC 29212)	6	35	N/A		

The efficacy analysis was conducted using agar well diffusion method. (Holder and Boyce, 1994. Burns 20:264-9). The diametre of the cork borer used = 6 mm. (- or N/A) = Not Applicable

General Comment: The product showed antimicrobial activity

**General Conclusion:** The product passed the microbial load analysis and showed anti-microbial activity. Therefore, it is safe and might be used for the intended indication.

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