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Product Code	Product Form	Date Received	Date Analysed	Test Conducted
Cp/010/22	Capsules	11 th February, 2022	8 th April, 2022	Acute Toxicity Test

RESULTS:

Table Showing Results of Acute Toxicity Test on Capsules (Cp/010/22) in Wistar Rat.

Animal Model	Wistar Rat	
No. of Animals	12	
Sex	Male	
No. of Groups	2(n=6)	
Route of Administration	Oral	
Formulation	Capsules	
Preparation	Content of Cp/010/22	
Dose Administered	5000 mg/kg	
Period of Observation	14 Days	
No. of Deaths Recorded	Nil	
Estimated Median Lethal Dose (LD ₅₀)	Greater than 5000 mg/kg	
Physical Signs of Toxicity	Nil	

REMARKS:

The LD_{50} is estimated to be greater than 5000 mg/kg which is greater or equal to level 5 on the Hodge and Sterner Scale¹ and also 186 times more than the recommended dose (two capsules twice daily, equivalent to 26.86 mg/kg), as indicated by the manufacturer. Thus, Cp/010/22 may not be toxic and is within the accepted margin of safety (Hodge and Sterner Scale) at the recommended dose.

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Reference: 1- Canadian Centre for Occupation Health and Safety (2019)

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