

## Soft Care™ Des E

### Hand Disinfectant

#### Description

Soft Care Des E is an alcohol based hand disinfectant for waterless skin disinfection. Soft Care Des E is suitable for use in all areas, including healthcare and food processing environments.

#### Key properties

Soft Care Des E is a hand disinfectant based on ethanol (71.5%). Ethanol is a disinfectant which is very effective against resident and transient flora such as bacteria (e.g. MRSA) and yeast. It is also effective against enveloped viruses such as influenza and certain non-enveloped viruses such as Norovirus and Adenovirus.

Soft Care Des E contains a skin softener helping the skin to remain smooth and intact, particularly in areas where frequent hand disinfection is required.

Soft Care Des E is perfume-free eliminating the risk of tainting foods and making it suitable for application in food processing areas.

#### Benefits

- Contains ethanol, a highly effective disinfectant
- Suitable for surgical disinfection
- Fragrance and colour-free; suitable for use in the food processing industry
- Contains an effective moisturiser preventing skin irritation and dehydration

#### Use instructions

Apply 3ml Soft Care Des E to clean, dry hands. Rub hands thoroughly. Pay special attention to fingertips, nails and between the fingers. Rub for 30 seconds and allow hands to air dry.

**H5**



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### Technical data

Appearance:	Clear, colourless liquid
Relative density (20°):	0.88
pH:	7

The above data is typical of normal production and should not be taken as a specification.

### Safe handling and storage information

Store in original closed containers away from extremes of temperature (temperature > -5°C and < 40°C). Full guidance on the handling and disposal of this product is provided in a separate Safety Data Sheet.

### Microbiological data

Soft Care Des E passes the following tests when applying 5ml, for 15 seconds.

- EN 1500: *Escherichia coli*
- EN 14476: Avian Influenza A H1N1 (swine flu)

Soft Care Des E passes the following tests when applying 3ml, for 30 seconds.

- EN 1500 & DGHM: *Escherichia coli*
- EN 1276: *Staphylococcus aureus*, *Enterococcus hirae*, *Escherichia coli*, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* (clean conditions)
- EN 13727: *Staphylococcus aureus*, *Enterococcus hirae*, *Escherichia coli* K12, *Pseudomonas aeruginosa* (clean conditions)
- EN 14476: Murine Norovirus (clean conditions)
- EN 14348: *Mycobacterium terrae* (clean conditions)
- EN 13624: *Candida albicans* (clean conditions)

Soft Care Des E has **limited spectrum virucidal** activity according to EN 14476:2013/prA1:2014, with a contact time of 120 seconds (effective against Adenovirus and Murine Norovirus).

Soft Care Des E passes EN 12791, **surgical hand disinfection**. Keep hands well moistened with product for 90 seconds.