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**BIOCOMPATIBILITY SUMMARY**

Product Name: 3M™ Medical Tape 1577

Effective: January 2021

The adhesives used in 3M™ Medical Tape 1577, as part of a different construction, has been subjected to the following safety evaluations by an outside laboratory under GLP:

**Cytotoxicity Study Using the ISO Agarose Overlay Method (Syn. Rubber Adhesive Tested)**

The test article was evaluated to determine the potential for cytotoxicity based on the requirements of ISO 10993-5, Biological evaluation of medical devices – Part 5: Tests for *in vitro* cytotoxicity. Triplicate wells were dosed with a 1 cm x 1 cm portion of the test article. Triplicate wells were dosed with a 1 cm length portion of high density polyethylene as a negative control. Triplicate wells were dosed with a 1 cm x 1 cm portion of latex as a positive control. Each was placed on an agarose surface directly overlaying a subconfluent monolayer of L-929 mouse fibroblast cells. After incubating at 37°C in the presence of 5% CO<sub>2</sub> for 24 hours, the cultures were examined macroscopically and microscopically for any abnormal cell morphology and cell lysis. **Results:** The test article showed no evidence of causing any cell lysis or toxicity. The test article met the requirements of the test since the grade was 0 (no reactivity).

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**Cytotoxicity Study Using the ISO Elution Method (Syn. Rubber Adhesive Tested)**

The test article was evaluated for potential cytotoxic effects following the guidelines of ISO 10993-5, Biological evaluation of medical devices – Part 5: Tests for *in vitro* cytotoxicity. A single preparation of the test article was extracted in single strength Minimum Essential Medium (1X MEM) at 37°C for 24 hours. The negative control, reagent control, and positive control were similarly prepared. Triplicate monolayers of L-929 mouse fibroblast cells were dosed with each extract and incubated at 37°C in the presence of 5% CO<sub>2</sub> for 48 hours. Following incubation, the monolayers were examined microscopically for abnormal cell morphology and cellular degeneration. **Results:** The test article extract showed no evidence of causing cell lysis or toxicity. The test article extract met the requirements of the test since the grade was 0 (no reactivity).

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**ISO Skin Irritation Study in Rabbits (Syn. Rubber Adhesive Tested)**

The test article was evaluated for primary skin irritation in accordance with the guidelines of ISO 10993-10, Biological evaluation of medical devices – Part 10: Tests for irritation and skin sensitization. Two 25 mm x 25 mm sections of the test article and control article were topically applied to the skin of each of three rabbits and left in place for a minimum of 23 and a maximum of 24 hours. The sites were graded for erythema and edema at 1, 24, 48 and 72 hours after removal of the single sample application.

**Results:** There was very slight erythema and no edema observed on the skin of the animals treated with the test article. The Primary Irritation Index for the test article was calculated to be 0.0/8.0. The irritation response of the test article was categorized as negligible.

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**ISO Guinea Pig Maximization Sensitization Test (Syn. Rubber Adhesive Tested)**

The test article was evaluated for the potential to cause delayed dermal contact sensitization in a guinea pig maximization test (GPMT). This study was conducted based on the requirements of ISO 10993-10, Biological evaluation of medical devices – Part 10: Tests for irritation and skin sensitization. The test article was extracted in 0.9% sodium chloride USP and sesame oil, NF. Each extract was intradermally injected and occlusively patched to ten test guinea pigs (per extract). The extraction vehicle was similarly injected and occlusively patched to five control guinea pigs (per vehicle). Following a recovery period, the test and control animals received a challenge patch of the appropriate test article extract and the vehicle control. In addition, the test article was applied to the same animals. All sites were scored for dermal reactions at 24 and 48 hours after patch removal. **Results:** The test article extracts and the test article showed no evidence of causing delayed dermal contact sensitization in the guinea pig. The test article was not considered a dermal sensitizer in the guinea pig maximization test.

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**Cytotoxicity Study Using the ISO Agarose Overlay Method (Acrylic Adhesive Tested)**

The test article was evaluated to determine the potential for cytotoxicity based on the requirements of International Organization for Standardization (ISO 10993-5): Biological Evaluation of Medical Devices – Part 5: Tests for *In Vitro* Cytotoxicity. Triplicate wells were dosed with a 1 cm x 1 cm portion of the test article. Triplicate wells were dosed with a 1 cm length of high density polyethylene as a negative control. Triplicate wells were dosed with a 1 cm x 1 cm portion of latex as a positive control. Each was placed on an agarose surface directly overlaying a sub-confluent monolayer of L-929 mouse fibroblast cells. After incubating at 37°C in the presence of 5% CO<sub>2</sub> for 24 hours, the cultures were examined macroscopically and microscopically for any abnormal cell morphology and cell lysis. **Results:** The test article showed no evidence of causing any cell lysis or toxicity. The test article met the requirements of the test since the grade was less than a grade 2 (mild reactivity).

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**Cytotoxicity Study Using the ISO Elution Method (Acrylic Adhesive Tested)**

This *in vitro* study was conducted to evaluate the test article for potential cytotoxic effects following the guidelines of International Organization for Standardization 10993-5, Biological Evaluation of Medical Devices, Part 5: Tests for *In Vitro* Cytotoxicity. A single preparation of the test article was extracted in single strength Minimum Essential Medium (1X MEM) at 37°C for 24 hours. The negative control, reagent control, and positive control were similarly prepared. Triplicate monolayers of L-929 mouse fibroblast cells were dosed with each extract and incubated at 37°C in the presence of 5% CO<sub>2</sub> for 48 hours. Following incubation, the monolayers were examined microscopically for abnormal cell morphology and cellular degeneration. **Results:** The test article extract showed no evidence of causing cell lysis or toxicity. The test article extract met the requirements of the test since the grade was less than a grade 2 (mild reactivity).

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**ISO Skin Irritation Study in Rabbits (Acrylic Adhesive Tested)**

The test article was evaluated for primary skin irritation in accordance with the guidelines of ISO 10993, Biological Evaluation of Medical Devices – Part 10: Tests for Irritation and Delayed-Type Hypersensitivity. Two approximate 25 mm x 25 mm sections of the test article and control article were topically applied to the skin of each of three rabbits and left in place for 24 hours. The sites were graded for erythema and edema at 1, 24, 48, and 72 hours after removal of the single sample application. **Results:** There was very slight to well-defined erythema and no edema observed on the skin of the animals. The Primary Irritation Index for the test article was calculated to be 0.4/8.0. The irritation response of the test article was categorized as negligible.

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**ISO Closed Patch Sensitization Study in Guinea Pigs (Acrylic Adhesive Tested)**

The test article was evaluated for the potential to elicit delayed dermal contact sensitization in the guinea pig based on the requirements of ISO 10993-10, Biological Evaluation of Medical Devices, Part 10: Tests for Irritation and Delayed-Type Hypersensitivity. The test article was occlusively patched to the intact skin of ten animals for 6 to 8 hours, three times a week, over a 3-week period. The control article was similarly patched to five animals. Following a 2-week recovery period, the ten test and five control animals were occlusively patched with the test article and the control article. All sites were observed for evidence of dermal reactions at 24 and 48 hours after patch removals. **Results:** The test article showed no evidence of causing delayed dermal contact sensitization in the guinea pig.

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