

## Rely+On<sup>™</sup> Virkon<sup>™</sup>

Broad Spectrum Virucidal Disinfectant

## LANXESS Rely+On<sup>™</sup> Virkon<sup>™</sup> & Virkon<sup>™</sup> S & Coronavirus

Both LANXESS Rely+On<sup>™</sup> Virkon<sup>™</sup> & Virkon<sup>™</sup> S are scientifically formulated disinfectants containing the same active ingredient but, they have different efficacy datasets (against disease-causing pathogens) specifically targeted for use in two distinct disease prevention and control market segments.

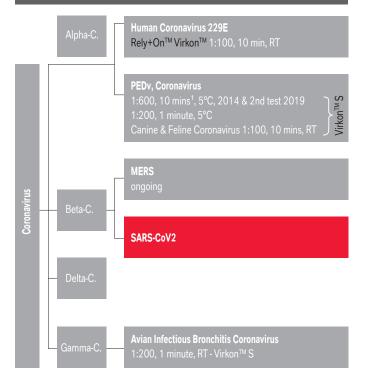
Rely+On<sup>™</sup> Virkon<sup>™</sup> has been developed specifically for use in the Human Health market sector and, as such, has been tested and proven effective against disease-causing pathogens of specific concern to human health. It is used for the disinfection and decontamination of hard surfaces, floors, walls, doors and door handles, furniture, cabinets, centrifuges and pipette discard jars etc. in:

- Medical Facilities (Hospitals and Doctors Surgeries)
- Pathology and Biosafety Containment Laboratories
- Treatment Salons
- Residential Homes
- Public Areas

With regard to the current global Coronavirus situation, independent tests have proven that Rely+On<sup>™</sup> Virkon<sup>™</sup> inactivates a closely related surrogate of the currently spreading coronavirus strain. From these tests it can be concluded that Rely+On<sup>™</sup> Virkon<sup>™</sup> would also be effective against SARS-CoV-2 which is causing the current COVID-19 epidemic at an in-use dilution rate of 1:100.



## **Current Data for Coronavirus**



Virkon<sup>™</sup> S, however, was developed specifically for the animal health, livestock and poultry production market segments where 'real-farm' conditions such as the environmental challenges of high organic loading, varying temperatures and weather conditions can have a direct effect on a disinfectants performance. Virkon<sup>™</sup> S does have proven efficacy against 'animal origin' Coronaviruses.

While additional virus testing is currently unavailable, we would expect it to be highly likely that Rely+On<sup>TM</sup> Virkon<sup>TM</sup> would inactivate the Coronavirus at the lower dilution rate of, 1:500 (1 gram per ½ litre or 2 grams per 1 litre of water), for use when materials compatibility may be of concern. Do not apply Rely+On<sup>TM</sup> Virkon<sup>TM</sup> disinfectant solutions to any medical devices, and ensure any sensitive equipment (including electrical items) are covered during the disinfection procedure.

Virkon<sup>™</sup> S should not be used within Human Health facilities or on medical equipment or devices.

For further information on the effectiveness and applications for Virkon<sup>™</sup> disinfectant products please consult or contact LANXESS via the following channels:

https://coronavirus.lanxess.com/ relyondisinfection@lanxess.com www.relyondisinfection.com www.virkon.com www.lanxess.com

Use biocides safely. Always read the label and product information before use.

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\*follow Virkon<sup>™</sup> disinfectant product label instructions to ensure materials compatibility guidance and regulatory compliance is adhered to.



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