MedCu Antiviral Copper Mask Technology

Prevents Coronavirus Infection









Opportunity Highlights

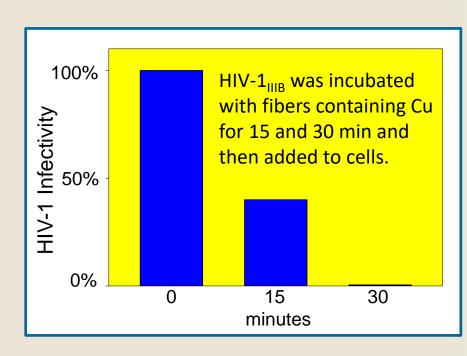
- MedCu developed the only commercial copper oxide self-sterilizing, viral-deactivating face mask technology
- Demonstrated deactivation of >99.99% of Avian Flu and Influenza virions on mask surface within 30 minutes
- Copper was shown to inactivate the Corona virus, as just confirmed by NIH investigators (April 2020)¹
- Antiviral layers on the inside and outside of the mask drastically reduce the risk of viral cross-contamination
- Anti-viral layer can easily be integrated today in <u>your</u> mask manufacturing processes
- The only copper technology with FDA Clearance and CE Mark Certification for wound dressings (2019)
- Strong IP portfolio 30 patents worldwide
- Over 40 publications in peer-reviewed journals
- Strong leadership team

¹van Doremalen N. et al. "Aerosol and surface stability of HCoV-19 (SARS-CoV-2) compared to SARS-CoV-1" The New England Journal of Medicine. DOI: 10.1056/NEJMc2004973 (2020)



Copper is a Potent Biocide

- Copper kills the coronavirus¹
- Copper alloys inactivate within minutes human coronavirus 229E²
- Copper oxide has potent antiviral, antibacterial, and antifungal broad spectrum biocidal properties³
- Filters, fabrics, and masks embedded with copper oxide microparticles have been shown to kill a wide array of enveloped and non-enveloped viruses within minutes^{4,5}



⁵ Borkow et al (2010) Putting Copper Oxide into Action: A Novel Anti-Influenza Biocidal Mask. PLos One, 5(6):e11295.



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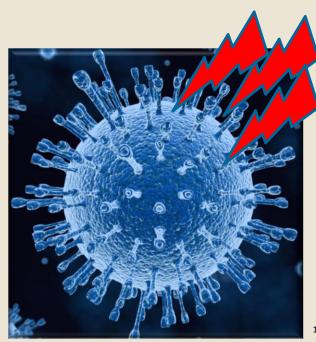
² Warnes S et al (2015) "Human Coronavirus 229E Remains Infectious on Common Touch Surface Materials", mBio, Vol. 6 Issue 6 e01697-15.

³ Borkow G (2012) Using copper to fight microorganisms. Current Chemical Biology 6:93-103.

⁴ Borkow et al (2007) Neutralizing viruses by copper oxide based filters. Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy, 51(7): 2605-2607

Copper Antiviral Mechanism

- Permeabilization of the membrane surrounding the virions
- Denaturation of genetic materials (DNA and RNA)
- Alteration of key viral proteins and inhibition of their biological activity



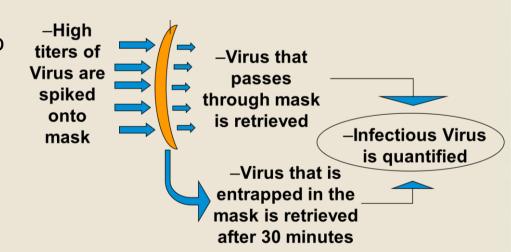
Copper ions released from the mask cause massive damage to viral cell wall components, viral genes, and key proteins¹

¹Borkow & Gabbay (2005) Copper as a biocidal tool. *Current Medicinal Chemistry* 12:2163-75;



MedCu Mask Kills Avian & Human Influenza A*

- Tests conducted by independent FDA- approved Lab and protocols
- Good Laboratory Practice (GLP) test procedures
- Simulation of breathing conditions (Nelson labs)



		Direct Contact Inactivation				Viral	
		Abso	olute	Above Control Mask		Filtration	
	Mask	Log reduction	% reduction	Log reduction	% reduction	Log reduction	% reduction
Avian	MedCu	5.2±0.84	>99.999	3.86	99.986	4.35±0.95	99.995
Influenza Virus	Control	1.34±0.84	95.3	-	-	4.12±0.64	99.992
Human Influenza A	MedCu	>4.78±0.8	>99.998	2.88	99.87	2.91±1.19	99.88
	Control	1.9±1.03	98.8	-		3.55±1.14	99.97

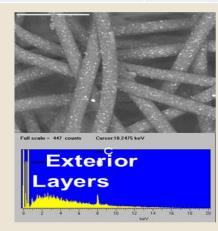
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Strong Performance in All Tests*

Test	Result	Conclusion		
Elution of copper in Simulated Breathing	Pass			
Elution of copper into saliva	Pass			
Bacterial Filtration Efficacy	Pass	Met Type IIR Mask requirements and safety (CE registration)		
Differential Pressure Test	Pass			
Flammability Test	Pass Pass Pass			
Latex particle challenge				
Cytotoxicity				
Skin Irritation Test	Pass			

Scanning Electronic Microscopy and Energy Dispersive X-Ray Spectroscopy analysis



Demonstrated homogenous distribution of copper oxide microparticles

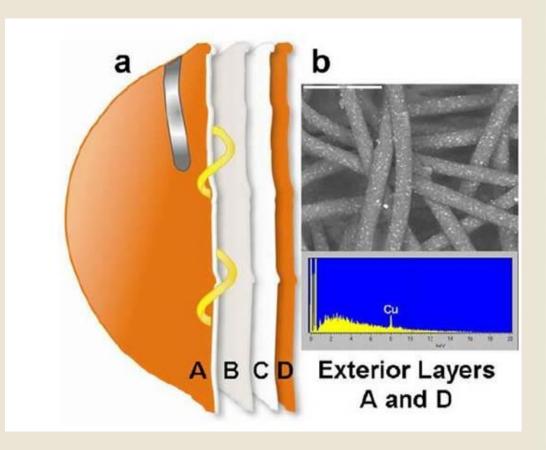
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Typical Antiviral Mask Design

The mask consists of 4 layers:

- A and D: External layers of spun bond polypropylene, impregnated with copper oxide microparticles that kill viruses trapped on the masks
- B: An internal meltblown filtration layer
- **C**: A hard polyester layer that supports the mask's 3-dimentional shape
- Other configurations are possible





RA/QA

- The only copper technology with FDA Clearance and CE Mark Certification for wound dressings (2019)
- ISO 13485 medical device certification
- Rigorous safety/efficacy testing
- Strict quality control





Simple Integration with Third-party Masks

- Technology can easily and cost-effectively add potent antiviral capabilities to <u>your</u> surgical and N95 masks
- Easy, seamless integration into existing manufacturing process
- Material production process is scalable to support high quantifies







Why Partner with MedCu?

- Offers the only commercial copper antiviral technology that can help <u>your</u> surgical and N95 masks prevent coronavirus infection and cross-contamination
- Anti-viral layer can easily and cost-effectively be integrated in your mask manufacturing processes
- MedCu technology is backed by 15 years of research published in >40 peer-reviewed journals
- MedCu Copper technology has FDA Clearance and CE Mark Certification for wound dressings (2019)
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Leadership Team



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THANK YOU!

