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> Gatuline® Expression

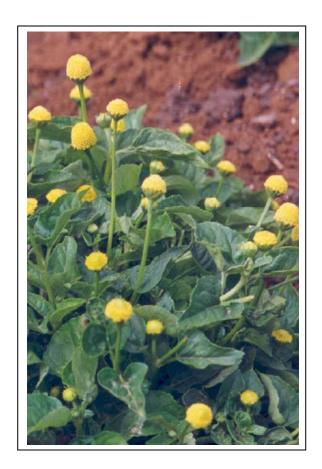
How to feel young at every age

Botox[®]?

=> Injuntions to decrease pression wrinkles

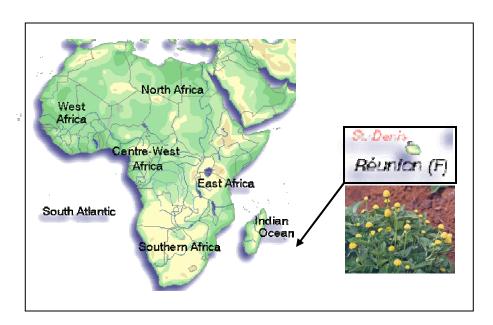
How to feel young at every age without radical methods?...





Acmella oleracea,

a safe alternative to invasive injections

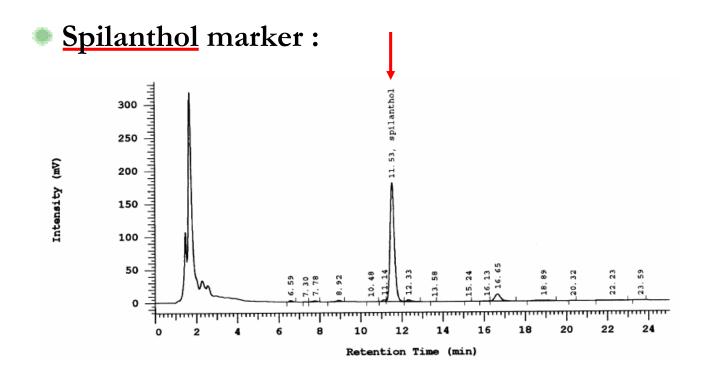


- Mafane (Para Cress) originated from an island in the Indian
 Ocean - La Réunion
 - Hydro-ethanolic product
- Clear yellow to amber liquid
- Powerful relaxing agent
- No preservative
- No allergen, heavy metal, GMO, pesticide.



- Acmella oleracea extract,
- Rich in isobutylamides
- Activity and reproducibility marker
- Spilanthol or (E,Z,E)-N-2-isobutyl-2,6,8-decatrienamide:

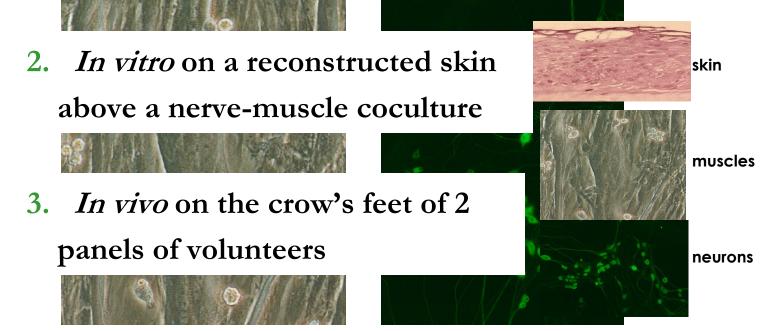
$$C_{14}H_{23}NO:$$



Specifications: Spilanthol > 50 mg/l

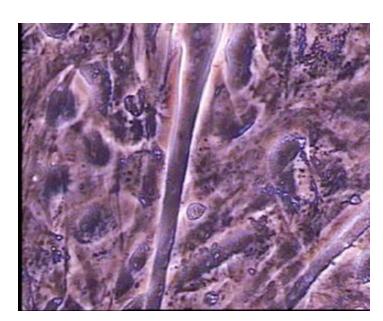
□ Substantiation

- 1. *In vitro* on nerve-muscle cocultures:
 - * striated muscle cells innervated by motor neurons
 - * spontaneous contraction frequency counting



□ Substantiation

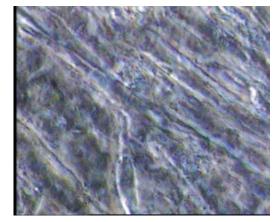
Nerve-muscle coculture model



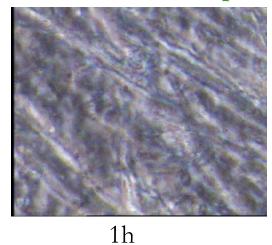
□ Substantiation results

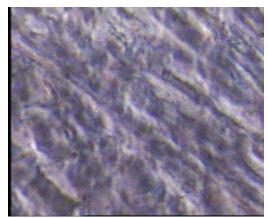
1. On nerve-muscle cocultures

+ 0.6 % Gatuline® Expression



Before incubation



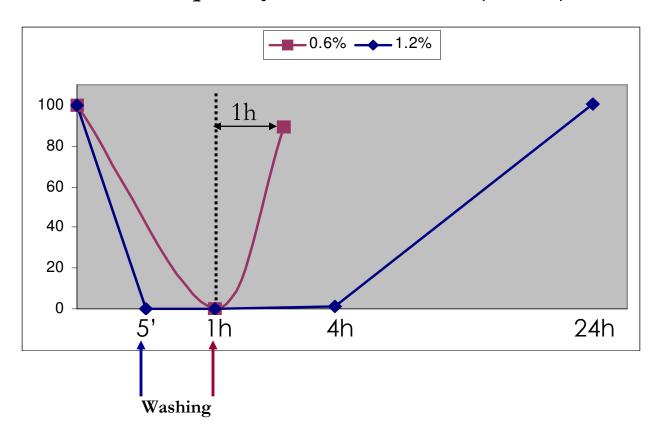


1h after washing

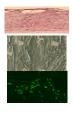
- Positive control: Carisoprodol 1mM

□ Substantiation results

Frequency of contractions (%/T0)

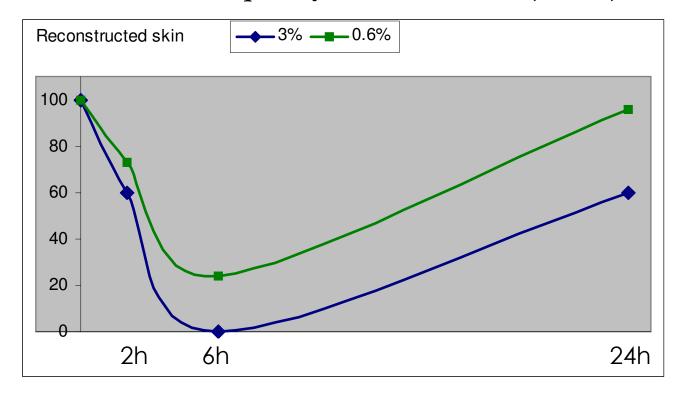


□ Substantiation results



2. On a reconstructed skin above a nerve-muscle coculture

Frequency of contractions (%/T0)

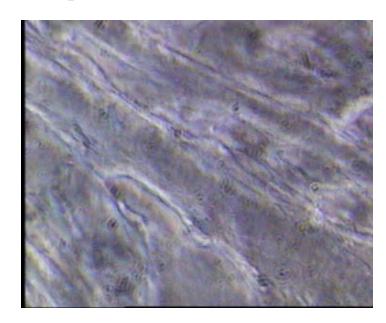


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Spontaneous contractions

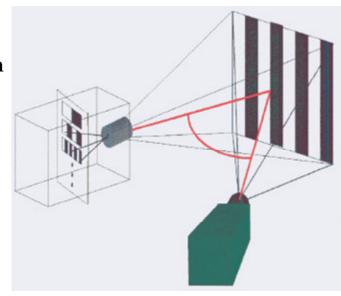
+ 0.6 % Gatuline® Expression



Recovery

- □ *In vivo* substantiation results
 - 3. Fringes projection analysis on the crow's feet of 2 panels of volunteers
 - Application half-face twice a day for 28 days
 - * Gatuline® Expression at 2% and 5% tested *versus* placebo
 - * Measurement of mean roughness at various times of the study

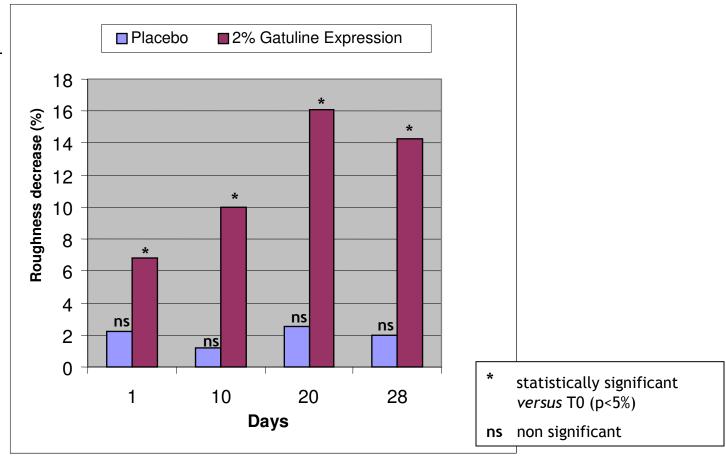
Fringes projection system



□ *In vivo* substantiation results

Mean roughness on 15 volunteers

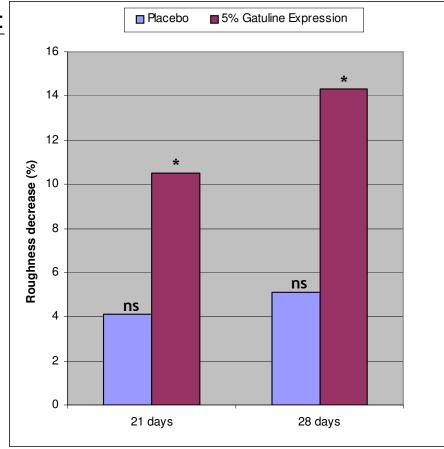




□ *In vivo* substantiation results

Mean roughness on 25 volunteers



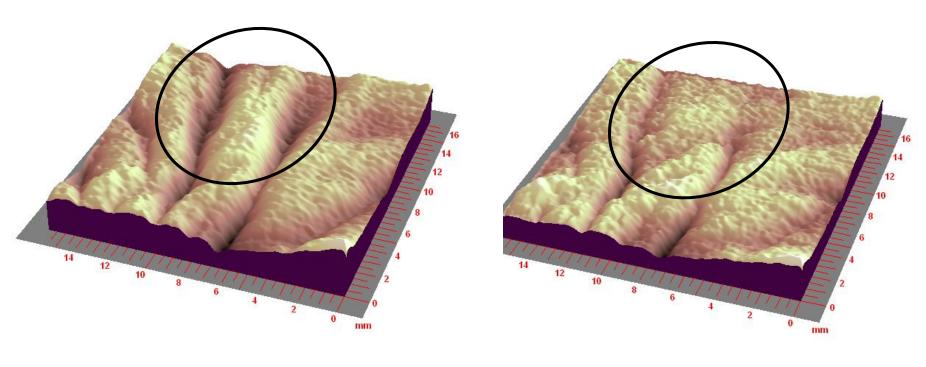


* statistically significant versus T0 (p<5%)

ns non significant

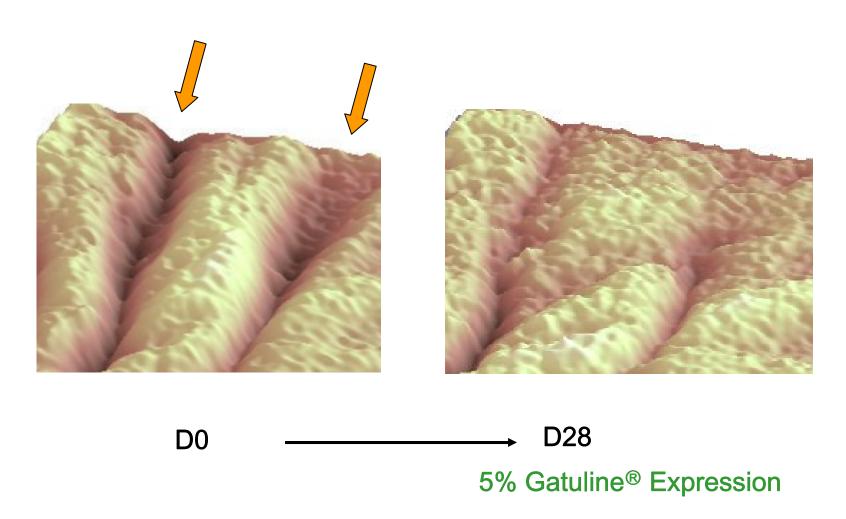
□ *In vivo* substantiation results





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□ *In vivo* substantiation results



- □ Substantiation summary
- → Immediate and powerful activity
 - * contraction inhibition with 0.6% of the extract
 - reversible function
- → Bioavailability of the active remaining effective after transcutaneous penetration
- → Dose response: immediate and long lasting effects enhanced with the extract's concentration
- → In vivo confirmation of the immediate effect on wrinkles smoothing

Compatibilities

- Soluble in water, glycerin, Transcutol®, propylene glycol, ethanol and sorbitol
 - Compatible with anti-oxidants and preservatives
 - Compatible with gelling agents
- Can be used at pH from 3 to 10
- → Easy to formulate

Conditions of use

- Added at room temperature at the end of the manufacturing process
- Suggested concentrations of use: 2 to 5%

Applications

• skin care products : emulsions, microemulsions, serums, gels.

□ Patent

A patent has been filed

□ Regulatory

- Alcohol (and) Water (and) Acmella oleracea
 Extract
- CAS and EINECS numbers
- Japanese and Australian approval

□ Toxicological profile

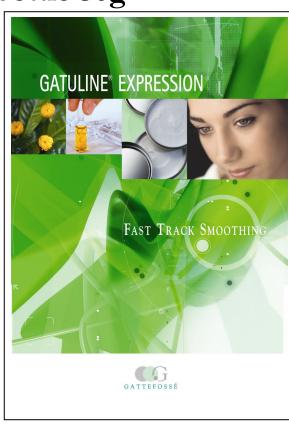
- No skin irritation, sensitization, mutagenicity, phototoxicity, photosensitization
 - Good tolerance for the eyes

Packing

- Industrial packings: 2 plastic tin 4 and 0.8kg
- Samples : plastic bottle 50g

□ Promotion

- Brochure+ samples of
- end-products
- In-CosmeticsBerlin mid-April



- Acmella oleracea extract
- Powerful tropical active
- Muscle-relaxing mechanism of action
- Marker of activity and reproducibility (spilanthol)
- Ideal for anti-age and anti-wrinkle skin care lines, particularly dedicated to expression lines smoothing.