

## Cosmetic Testing Facility

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### Price List

| Item and description          | Unit price (Excl VAT) | Unit type  |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------|------------|
| Extract preparation           | R 16 311.00           | per kg     |
| Anti-wrinkle: Elastase        | R 2 183.00            | per test   |
| Skin pigmentation:Tyrosinase  | R 1 937.00            | per test   |
| Antibacterial: (ATCC 16404)   | R 1 937.00            | per test   |
| Anti-bacterial: (ATCC 6633)   | R 1 937.00            | per test   |
| Antioxidant: DPPH             | R 1 937.00            | per test   |
| Antioxidant: NO               | R 1 937.00            | per test   |
| Cytotoxicity: Cell line HaCat | R 2 429 .00           | per test   |
| Cytotoxicity: Cell line Vero  | R 2 429 .00           | per test   |
| Anti-cancer: Cell line HeLa   | R 2 429 .00           | per test   |
| Anti-cancer: Cell line A431   | R 2 429 .00           | per test   |
| HPTLC                         | R 924.00              | per test   |
| Formulation: Lotion           | R 770.00              | per bottle |
| Wound healing                 | R 2430.00             | per test   |
| Muvicyte equipment use        | R 1260.00             | per test   |
| Advisory services             | R 2 305.00            | per hour   |

The Medicinal Plant Science testing facility in the Department of Plant and Soil Sciences is under the supervision of Professor Namrita Lall. The testing facility focuses on testing plants and active compounds for the pharmaceutical and cosmeceutical market. Cell lines available for testing include:

#### Cytotoxicity *in vitro* toxicity testing on cell lines available:

- Normal adult African green monkey kidney cell line (Vero)
- Human keratinocyte cell line (skin cells) (HaCat)

#### Anti-cancer *in vitro* toxicity testing on cell lines available:

- Human cervical cancer cell line (HeLa)
- Human epidermoid carcinoma cell line (squamous cell carcinoma) (A431)
- Human malignant melanoma cell line (pigmented melanoma) (A375 and RPMI-7951)
- Human liver cell line (hepatocellular carcinoma) (HepG2)
- Human breast adenocarcinoma (MCF-7)
- Human lung cancer (A549)

### QUOTE REQUESTS

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