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Anti-Aging and Depigmentation Effect of a Hyaluronic Acid Mechanically Stabilized Complex on Human Skin Explants

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### **COMPOSITION:**

Independent study conducted by GREDECO Laboratory (France), led Dr. Sylvie Boisnic to demonstrate the **depigmenting** and **anti-aging efficacy** of CELLBOOSTER® Glow injected into the dermis of human skin maintained in survival.



STABILIZED REVITALIZING COMPLEX

### **METHODOLOGY**:

In the present study, skin samples from four female donors between 29 and 57 years of age have been used. **The depigmenting effect** was analyzed on native skin after 12 days.

For this purpose, CELLBOOSTER<sup>®</sup> Glow injections were performed at D0 in the superficial dermis and the upper part of the middle dermis.

The 2 following conditions were compared in duplicate for each donor: control skin versus CELLBOOSTER® Glow.

The anti-ageing effect of the products was analyzed in a UV ageing model.

For this purpose, an oxidative stress with UVA and UVB doses was carried out at D0.

After UV session, CELLBOOSTER® Glow injections were performed in the superficial dermis and the upper part of the middle dermis.

For anti-aging effect, 2 series of culture were made at D4 (MMP1 analysis, GAGs assay) and D12 (procollagen and elastin).

The 3 following conditions were compared in duplicate for each donor: control skin *versus* UV versus UV + CELLBOOSTER® Glow.

### **CONCLUSION:**

In an experimental aging model by ultraviolet (UV) on human skin maintained in survival condition, an anti-ageing effect was obtained after injection of CELLBOOSTER<sup>®</sup> Glow with an increase of **47.9% pro-collagen type I**, 25.3% elastin and 22.4% sulfated Glycosaminoglycannes (GAGs).

Depigmenting effect of CELLBOOSTER<sup>®</sup> Glow was also shown with a significant decrease of cell number with important pigmentation.



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Histogram of the percentage of cells with low (score 1), medium (score 2) and high (score 3) melanin content in both experimental groups (Control, CBG). Values are mean  $\pm$  standard deviation (n = 8 values). \* p < 0.05 compared to the control group.





Control skin 1



Control skin 2

Elastin (Hg/mg)



Skin 1 after injection with CELLBOOSTER® Glow



Skin 2 after injection with CELLBOOSTER® Glow





Elastin assay 25.3% 70,00 Elastin 60,00 50,00 -13.2% + 25.3% 40.00 30,00 20.00 10,00 0,00 UV Control UV+Glow

The elastin synthesis is significantly increased by 25.3% after injection of CELLBOOSTER® Glow in comparison with UV condition.



After injection of CELLBOOSTER® Glow, a significant increase of sulfated glycosaminoglycans by 22.4% was obtained in comparison with UV condition.





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## CHAC TECHNOLOGY

**CHAC Technology** modifies and exploits the natural properties of Hyaluronic Acid (HA) making it an **optimal vehicle** for transporting essential nutrients to the skin, ensuring their **effective delivery** and **long-lasting results**.

This proprietary technology makes it possible to integrate biologically active ingredients onto HA macromolecules under conditions of mechano-stimulated reactions - **simultaneous pressure** and **shear deformation**. Specific bioactive components such as vitamins, and amino acids are **simultaneously integrated** and **uniformly distributed** onto the HA macro chains, **forming a large complex** that in essence represents a **unique macromolecular 'depot'** of biologically active material. As a result, multiple molecular complexes are formed.

These **molecular complexes** are based on supramolecular interaction between bioactive components and functional groups of HA, and unlike bioactive components **cannot be recognized by hyaluronidase**.



### STEP 1 FORMING OF A HA MATRIX:

**High pressure** and **shear deformation** ensures unfolding of the molecules of HA.

### STEP 2

### FORMING OF LINKED COMPLEX:

**Integration of active components** into the structure of the HA "matrix" under the influence of pressure and shear deformation with **the formation of links** between HA molecules and active components (amino acids and vitamins).

### **STEP 3**

#### FORMING THREE-DIMENSIONAL STRUCTURAL CHAC-COMPLEX:

The pressure on molecules reduces resulting in "unfolding" of the HA molecules with **integrated active components.** 



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