

Indigo-Clean Publication List (Updated May 2022)

Scientific Journal Publications on the Antimicrobial Effects of 405 nm-light:

Maclean M., S.J. MacGregor, J.G. Anderson & G.A. Woolsey (2008). [High-Intensity Narrow-Spectrum Light Inactivation and Wavelength Sensitivity of *Staphylococcus aureus*](#). FEMS Microbiology Letters, 285(2); 227-232. DOI: 10.1111/j.1574-6968.2008.01233.x

Maclean M., S.J. MacGregor, J.G. Anderson & G.A. Woolsey (2008). [The Role of Oxygen in the Visible-Light Inactivation of *Staphylococcus aureus*](#). Journal of Photochemistry and Photobiology B: Biology, 92(3); 180-184. DOI: 10.1016/j.jphotobiol.2008.06.006 (Please note: download requires purchase)

Maclean M., S.J. MacGregor, J.G. Anderson & G.A. Woolsey (2009). [Inactivation of Bacterial Pathogens Following Exposure to Light from a 405-nm LED Array](#). Applied and Environmental Microbiology, 75(7); 1932-1937. DOI: 10.1128/AEM.01892-08

[“405-nm Light Proves Potent at Decontaminating Bacterial Pathogens”](#), featured Current Topics article, Microbe: The News Magazine of the American Society for Microbiology, Volume 4(5), p216, May 2009.

Endarko E., M. Maclean, I.V. Timoshkin, S.J. MacGregor & J.G. Anderson (2012). [High intensity 405nm light inactivation of *Listeria monocytogenes*](#). Photochemistry and Photobiology, 88: 1280-1286. DOI: 10.1111/j.1751-1097.2012.01173.x

Murdoch L.E., M. Maclean, Endarko, S.J. MacGregor & J.G. Anderson (2012). [Bactericidal effects of 405-nm light exposure demonstrated by inactivation of *Escherichia*, *Salmonella*, *Shigella*, *Listeria* and *Mycobacterium* species in liquid suspensions and on exposed surfaces](#). The Scientific World Journal (TSWJ), Volume 2012, Article ID 137805, 8 pages. DOI: 10.1100/2012/137805

Maclean M., L.E. Murdoch, S.J. MacGregor & J.G. Anderson (2013). [Sporicidal effects of high-intensity 405nm visible light on endospore-forming bacteria](#). Photochemistry and Photobiology, 89(1); 120-126. DOI: 10.1111/j.1751-1097.2012.01202.x (published online 30 Aug 2012).

Murdoch L.E., K. McKenzie, M. Maclean, S.J. MacGregor & J.G. Anderson (2013). [Lethal effects of high intensity violet 405-nm light on *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*, *Candida albicans* and on dormant and germinating spores of *Aspergillus niger*](#). Fungal Biology, 117; 519-527. DOI: 10.1016/j.funbio.2013.05.004 (Please note: download requires purchase.)

McDonald R.S., Gupta S., MacLean M., Ramakrishnan P., Anderson J.G., MacGregor S. J., Meek R.M.D. & Grant M.H. (2013) [405 nm light exposure of osteoblasts and inactivation of bacterial isolates from arthroplasty patients: potential for new disinfection applications](#), European Cells and Materials Vol. 25 2013 (pages 204-214) DOI: 10.22203/eCM.v025a15

McKenzie K., M. Maclean, I.V. Timoshkin, E. Endarko, Scott J. MacGregor & John G. Anderson (2013). [Photoinactivation of Bacteria Attached to Glass and Acrylic Surfaces by 405nm Light: Potential Application for Biofilm Decontamination](#). Photochemistry and Photobiology, 89: 927- 935. DOI: 10.1111/php.12077

McKenzie K., M. Maclean, I.V. Timoshkin, S.J. MacGregor, J.G. Anderson (2014). [Enhanced inactivation of *Escherichia coli* and *Listeria monocytogenes* by exposure to 405 nm light under sub-lethal temperature, salt and acid stress conditions.](#) International Journal of Food Microbiology, 170; 91–98. DOI: 10.1016/j.ijfoodmicro.2013.10.016 (Please note: download requires registration)

Tomb R.M., Maclean M., Herron, P.R., Hoskisson, P.A., MacGregor S.J., Anderson, J.G. (2014). [Inactivation of *Streptomyces* phage \$\phi\$ C31 by 405 nm light Requirement for exogenous photosensitizers](#), Bacteriophage 4, e32129; January–December 2014.

Ramakrishnan P., Maclean M., MacGregor S.J., Anderson J.G., & Grant M. H., (2016). [Cytotoxic responses to 405 nm light exposure in mammalian and bacterial cells: Involvement of reactive oxygen species](#), Toxicology in Vitro, 33 (2016); 54-62.

Moorhead S., Maclean M., Coia J.E., MacGregor S.J., & Anderson J.G. (2016). [Synergistic efficacy of 405nm light and chlorinated disinfectants for the enhanced decontamination of *Clostridium difficile* spores](#), Anaerobe, 37 (2016); 72-77.

McKenzie K., MacLean M., Grant M. H., Ramakrishnan P., MacGregor S. J., & Anderson J.G (2016). [The effects of 405 nm light on bacterial membrane integrity determined by salt and bile tolerance assays, leakage of UV-absorbing material and SYTOX green labelling](#), Microbiology, 162(9): 1680–1688.

Halstead F.D., Ahmed Z., Bishop J.R.B. & Oppenheim B. A. (2019) [The potential of visible blue light \(405nm\) as a novel decontamination strategy for carbapenemase-producing enterobacteriaceae \(CPE\)](#), Antimicrobial Resistance & Infection Control volume 8 (2019), Article number: 14

Rathnasinghe, R., Jangra, S., Miorin, L. et al. [The virucidal effects of 405 nm visible light on SARS-CoV-2 and influenza A virus](#). Sci Rep **11**, 19470 (2021).

Lau, B.; Becher, D.; Hessling, M. [High Intensity Violet Light \(405 nm\) Inactivates Coronaviruses in Phosphate Buffered Saline \(PBS\) and on Surfaces](#). Photonics 2021, 8, 414.

Scientific/Medical Journal Publications Validating Indigo-Clean or 405 nm-light:

Maclean M., S.J. MacGregor, J.G. Anderson, G.A. Woolsey, J.E. Coia, K. Hamilton, I. Taggart, S.B. Watson, B. Thakker & G. Gettinby (2010). [Environmental Decontamination of a Hospital Isolation Room using High-Intensity Narrow-Spectrum Light.](#) Journal of Hospital Infection, 76(3); 247-251. DOI: 10.1016/j.jhin.2010.07.010 (Please note: purchase required for download)

Bache S.E., M. Maclean, S.J. MacGregor, J.G. Anderson, G. Gettinby, J.E. Coia & I. Taggart (2012). [Clinical studies of the High-Intensity Narrow-Spectrum light Environmental Decontamination System \(HINS-light EDS\), for continuous disinfection in the burn unit inpatient and outpatient settings.](#) Burns, 38: 69-76. DOI:10.1016/j.burns.2011.03.008

Maclean M., M. Booth, S.J. MacGregor, J.G. Anderson, G.A. Woolsey, J.E. Coia, K. Hamilton & G. Gettinby (2013). [Continuous decontamination of an intensive care isolation room during patient occupancy using 405nm light technology.](#) Journal of Infection Prevention, 14(5); 176-181. DOI: 10.1177/1757177413483646 (Please note: download requires registration.)

Ramakrishnan P., Maclean M., MacGregor S.J., Anderson J.G., & Grant M. H., (2014). [Differential sensitivity of osteoblasts and bacterial pathogens to 405-nm light highlighting potential for decontamination applications in orthopedic surgery.](#) Journal of Biomedical Optics, 19 (10); 10500-1-10500-7.

MacLean M., McKenzie K., Anderson J.G., Gettinby G. & MacGregor S.J. (2014) [405 nm light technology for the inactivation of pathogens and its potential role for environmental disinfection and infection control](#) Journal of Hospital Infection Review Volume 88, ISSUE 1, P1-11, September 01, 2014 Published: July 03, 2014 DOI

Maclean M., McKenzie K., Moorhead S., Tomb R.M., Coia J.E., MacGregor S.J., & Anderson J.G. (2015). [Decontamination of the Hospital Environment: New Technologies for Infection Control, Current Treatment Options in Infectious Diseases, New Technologies and Advances in Infection Prevention.](#) DOI 10.1007/s40506-015-0037-5

Gupta S., Maclean M., Anderson J.G., MacGregor S.J., Meek R.M.D., & Grant M.H. (2015) [Inactivation of micro-organisms isolated from infected lower limb arthroplasties using high-intensity narrow-spectrum \(HINS\) light.](#) Bone Joint Journal, 97 (2015); 283-288.

Rutala, W.A., Kanamori H., Gergen M.F. & Sickbert-Bennett E.E. (2018) [Antimicrobial activity of a continuous visible light disinfection system.](#) Infection Control & Hospital Epidemiology, Volume 39, Issue 10, October 2018, pp. 1250-1253

Murrell, L.J., Hamilton, Johnson H.B. & Spencer M (2019) [“Influence of a visible-light continuous environmental disinfection system on microbial contamination and surgical site infections in an orthopedic operating room”](#), American Journal of Infection Control, Volume 47, Issue 7, July 2019, Pages 804-810

MacLean M., Gelderman M.P., Kulkarni S., Tomb R.M., Stewart C.F., Anderson J.G., MacGregor S.J. & Atreya C.D. (2020) [Non-ionizing 405 nm Light as a Potential Bactericidal Technology for Platelet Safety: Evaluation of in vitro Bacterial Inactivation and in vivo Platelet Recovery in Severe Combined Immunodeficient Mice](#). *Frontiers in Medicine*, 15 January 2020

Taylor S, Yang D (2021) [Evaluate of Virucidal Effectiveness of Indigo Clean Fixture Against SARS-CoV-2](#). University of Tennessee Health Science Center – Regional Biocontainment Laboratory, 22 June 2021

Medical Conference Presentations validating the 405 nm EDS:

Booth M., M. Maclean, S.J. MacGregor, J.G. Anderson, G.A. Woolsey, J.E. Coia, K. Hamilton & G. Gettinby. [Use of a novel light technology for environmental disinfection within an Intensive Care Unit](#). *Euroanaesthesia 2010*, conference of the European Society of Anaesthesiology, Helsinki, Finland, 12-15 June 2010.

Coyle A., M. Maclean, J.G. Anderson, G. Gettinby, S.J. MacGregor & I Taggart. [High-Intensity Narrow-Spectrum light decontamination of a staff changing room in a burns ward](#). Oral presentation at the *European Burn Association Congress* in The Hague, Sept 2011.

Bache S.E., M. Maclean, J.G. Anderson, G. Gettinby, J.E. Coia, S.J. MacGregor & I Taggart. [Laboratory inactivation of healthcare-associated isolates by a visible HINS-light source and its clinical application in the burns unit](#). Oral presentation at the *European Burn Association Congress* in The Hague, Sept 2011.
(Please note: download requires purchase.)

Gupta S, M Maclean, JG Anderson, SJ MacGregor, RMD Meek, MH Grant. [Inactivation of microorganisms isolated from infected arthroplasty using High Intensity Narrow Spectrum light](#). Glasgow Meeting of Orthopaedic Research (GLAMOR) 2013, Beardmore Hotel, Clydebank, 23rd March, 20

Sandhu S., Murillo M., Wyatt D., Bhanot N., Min Z., and Thomas J., [Environmental Decontamination of Medical ICU Suites Using High-Intensity Narrow-Spectrum Light, ID Week 2016](#).

Rutala W., Kanamori H., Gergen M., Sickbert-Bennett E., Sexton D., Anderson D., Weber D.J., [Antimicrobial Activity of a Continuous Visible Light Disinfection System, ID Week 2016](#).

Dougall L.R., Anderson, J.G., Timoshkin I.V., MacGregor S.J. & Maclean M. (2018) [Efficacy of antimicrobial 405 nm blue-light for inactivation of airborne bacteria](#) Proceedings Volume 10479, Light-Based Diagnosis and Treatment of Infectious Diseases; 104791G (2018) Event: SPIE BIOS, 2018, San Francisco, California, United States

Awards:

The HINS-light project was awarded the [Times Higher Education Award for 'Research Project of the Year' 2011](#). Thursday 24th November, Grosvenor House Hotel, Park Lane, London. (Reference pg 13 of linked document.)

[LEDs Sapphire Award 2016 Winner, Specialty SSL Design: Indigo-Clean](#)

Healthcare Design Product Innovation Awards, Silver Winner: Indigo-Clean

[Buildings 2016 Money Saving Products Winner: Indigo-Clean](#)

[Architectural SSL 2018 Product Innovation Award](#)

[FacilitiesNet.com Vision Awards "Reopening" Products, 2021](#)