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Sederma expertise

Be ACTIVEly committed

OUR STRENGTH: Focusing on green technologies to extract our actives

FINE CHEMISTRY



PLANT CELL CULTURE

Filtration, concentration, freeze drying...

BIOFERMENTATION

Downstream process, filtration, concentration... Yeast Fungi

Yeast Fungi Bacteria Micro algae



PLANT EXTRACT

Extraction (Sol/Liq, Liq/Liq) with solvents from vegetal origin



SUPERCRITICAL CO₂ EXTRACTION

To extract lipids of interest from plants (Sol/Liq)



A Specific approach



Croda commitments:

« We are committed to do our business the right way »

1 Mutual Strategy

2 sites : Sederma and Crodarom

3 axis: Be ACTIVEly committed FOR PEOPLE

Be ACTIVEly committed FOR PLANET

Be ACTIVEly committed FOR BUSINESS





Sederma

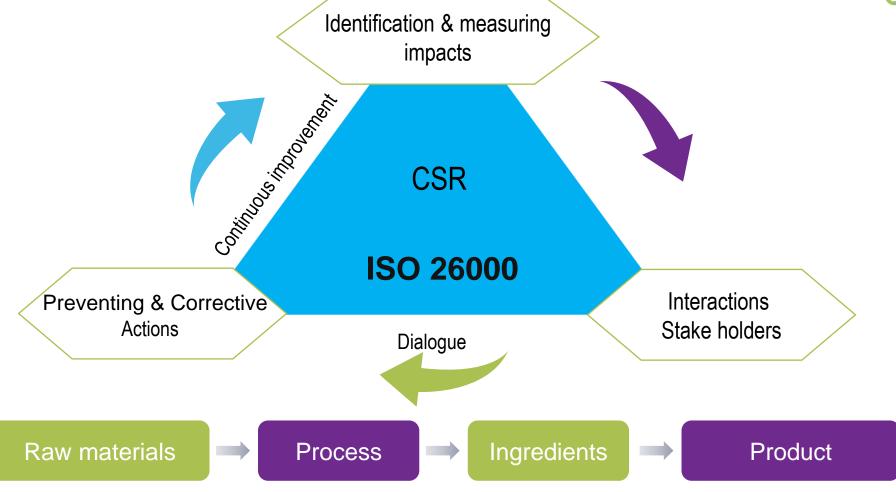


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Methodology







Respect





Together

Minimize social and environmental impacts on our stakeholders without compromising on innovation, quality and security.



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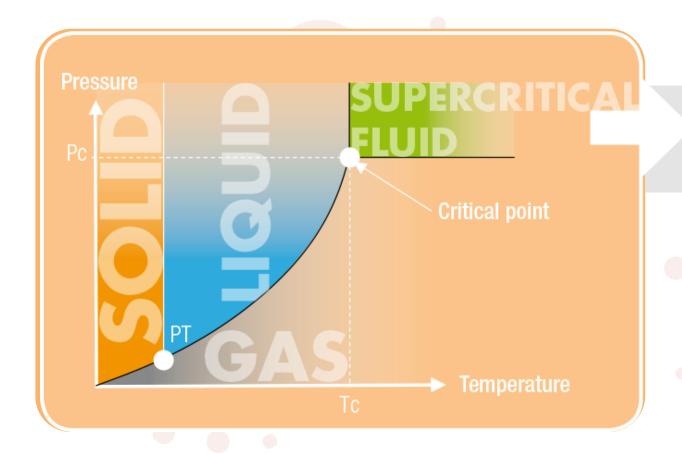
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CO₂sc Principle





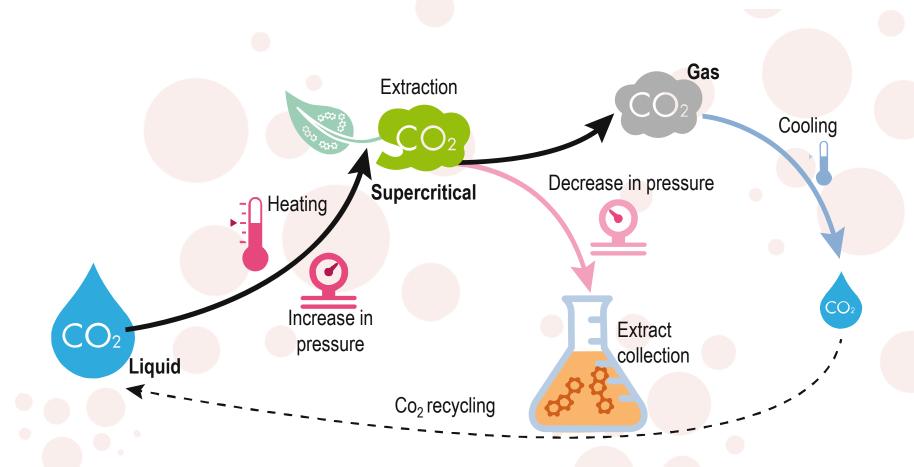
Density = liquid
Viscosity = gas
Diffusivity = intermediate liquid-gas

Critical temperature (Tc) = 31°C Critical pressure (Pc) = 7.4 MPa



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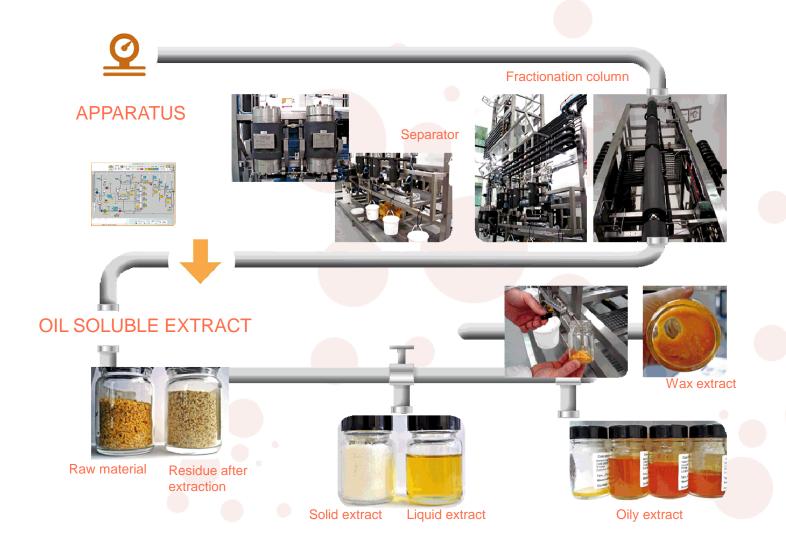






Equipment





THIS TECHNOLOGY IS DEDICATED TO THE EXTRACTION OF OIL SOLUBLE MOLECULES

Lipids

Triglycerides,

fatty acids...

Terpenes

Phytosterols

Vitamins

Carotenoids

Phenolic compounds



Benefits

- High purity
- Non toxic
- Odourless
- Chemically inert
- Non flammable
- No residual solvent
- Low extraction temperature
- Biocide properties







EVALUATION of IMPACTS

- Process characteristics
- Solvents
- Capacity
- Duration
- Temperature (final)
- Energy consumption

Solid / liquid extraction

Supercritical CO₂

5L to 500L or more

Few hours

40°C-80°C under pressure

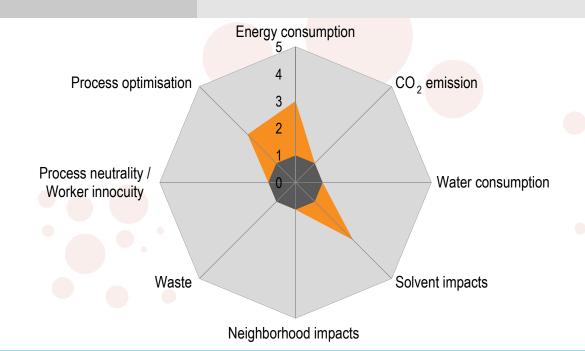
Medium



Zingiber zerumbet



Apium graveolens



Improvements

- Dedicated electricity meter
- 100 % CO₂ recycling
- CO₂ from natural origin
- 100 % recycled wastes
- Strong security worker management
- Process optimisation



Products from Supercritical CO₂ extraction





Ameyezing™













Apium graveolens



Apium graveolens seeds

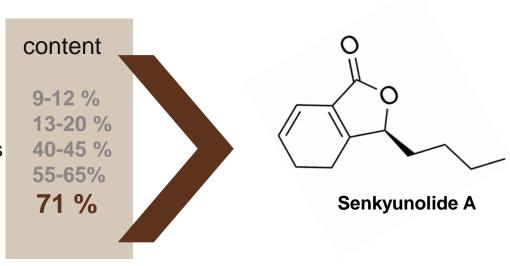
Celery has been used for a long time in various part of the world. Found in bread on a Neolithic site in Zurich mentioned in the Egyptian texts or on frescoes in Pompeii.

Apium graveolens belongs to the family Apiaceae, all parts can be consumed raw or cooked. Has been used to make various ancestral remedies but has gone out of fashion.

Senkuynolide is a part of a family of molecules whose pharmacological interest is to fight against the harmful effects of stress and age in nerve cells or hepatocytes.



- 1. Hydrodistillation
- 2. Hexane
- 3. Ethanol/Water/Echo sound then solvents
- 4. Enzymatic
- 5. $CO_2Sc:$ up to



DNA µarray on keratinocytes culture

Genes Up- and down regulation (mRNAs)

grin-2 Cholesterol

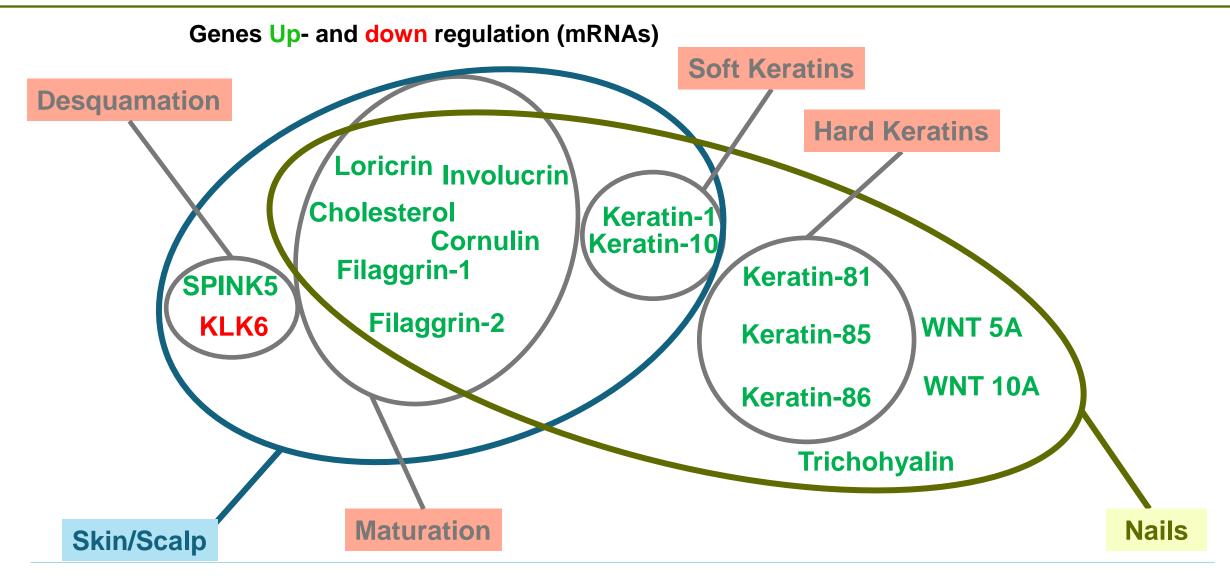
Cornulin SPINK5 Keratin-1 WNT 5A Trichohyalin

Keratin-10 Keratin-81 Keratin-85 Keratin-86 WNT 10A

KLK6



DNA µarray on keratinocytes culture





Scalp purity & comfort





Scalp care

Restoration of the scalp epidermal integrity

- Recovery of the *stratum corneum* integrity
 - Cornified cell envelope:

Involucrin: x135*, Loricrin: x29.8*, Filaggrin: +91%*, SPRR2B: +139%*

Intercellular cement:

Neutral lipids: x10.5*, Ceramide 2: +107%*, Cholesterol: upregulation

- Regulation of the epidermal maturation
 - Terminal epidermal differentiation: upregulation of cornulin protein expression

Desquamation: regulation of KLK and SPINK5 protein expressions

Control of the scalp microflora and induced irritation

- Reduction of *Malassezia*-induced irritation
 - Receptors of *Malassezia*: Toll-like receptor 9 (TLR-9):
 - -16%* vs placebo
 - Mediators of irritation (after Malassezia-induced stress):

IL-8: -65%* and PGE2: -83%*

- Limitation of the scalp microflora proliferation
 - Restriction of the lipid intake: Lipid production: -40%*
 - Antimicrobial peptide synthesis: β-defensin 2: +118%*

* p<0.01





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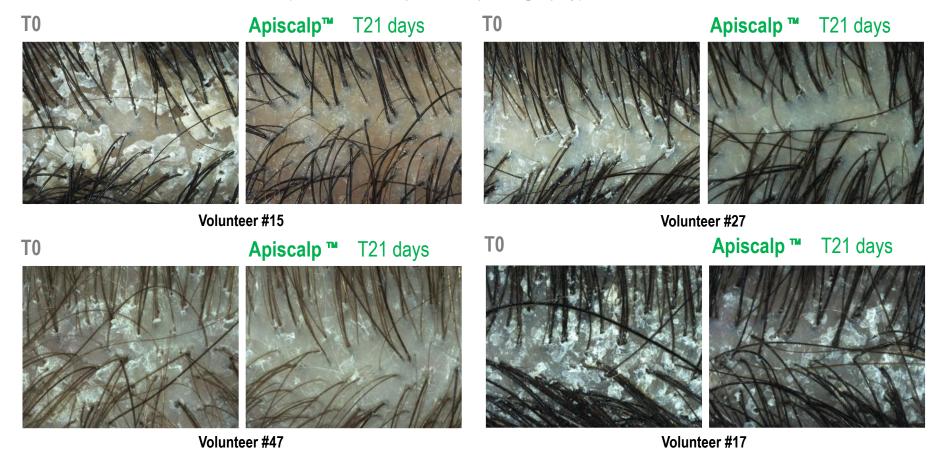




Scalp care

Purity & Comfort for a happy scalp

VISUAL OBSERVATION (based on scalp macro-photography)



Hair treatment with a shampoo and a leave-on, 2% and 3% **Apiscalp**[™], applied at least 3 times/week *v*s placebo panel (60 volunteers with scalp conditions such as dandruff and itching).





Nail pampering perfector



Nail care

Solid as a rock, Resilient as a stone, Polished as a gem

Based on the activity of a sCO₂ *Apium graveolens* seed extract, **Neonyca**[™] helps improve **NAIL THICKNESS AND COHESION** while smoothing the nail surface. Moreover, dehydration is significantly reduced. Nails become **BEAUTIFUL AND HEALTHY**.

IMPROVEMENT IN THE NAIL QUALITY

Thickness (Echography & Dermatoscopic camera)

- T1 month.....+7.2 % up to +56 %, p<0.05/T0
- T4 months.....+10.9 % up to -71 %, p<0.01/T0

Rehydration (Trans onychial water loss)

- T1 month......-3.6 % up to -43 %, nsd
- T4 months......9.7 % up to -39 %, p<0.05/T0

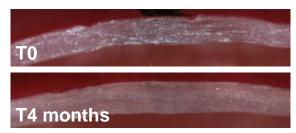
Ridges (Expert assessment)

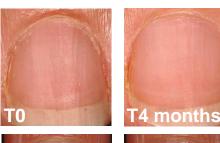
Decrease in visible ridges.....34 %

Cohesion (Tribometer)

• Force needed to cut the nail......+8.2 % up to +89 %, p<0.07/T0

In vivo studies were performed on a total of 31 volunteers who applied a 2 % **Neonyca**[™] colourless nail polish for 4 months 3 times per week.













Skin and lip repair





Nourishing

Golden repair for Sublime lips

NG Shea Unsaponifiable[™] soothes the inflamed lips and rebuilds the lip integrity by strengthening the epidermis, RESTORING THE BARRIER FUNCTION and IMPROVING THE MOISTURE LEVEL.

CORRECT SURFACE AND COLOUR IRREGULARITIES after 2 days

■ Softness+17%, <i>p</i> <0.05/T0 up to	+56%
FOITS method, n=22	

- Epidermis hydration.....+28%, *p*<0.01/T0 up to +103% *MoistureMeter***, *n*=25
- Cutaneous barrier water loss.....-21%, p<0.05/T0 up to -56% VapoMeter[™], n=24

45 volunteers (22 to 70 years old), with inflamed and chapped lips applied at least twice a day for 2 weeks a lip balm containing 1,5% **NG Shea Unsaponifiable**[™]. Study carried out during the winter period.

ТО



How do your lips feel? Self-assessment

- More hydrated.....100% of volunteers
- Less chapped......96% of volunteers
- More supple......92% of volunteers

Softer.....76% of volunteers

Smoother.....92% of volunteers

After a 2 day application of a 1.5% NG SHEA unsaponifiable[™] balm, a panel of 25 volunteers answered a set of questions.



Zingiber Zerumbet

Plant description



Zingiber Zerumbet Smith commonly known as wild ginger, shampoo ginger, bitter ginger or pinecone ginger is an ornamental herbaceous plant native from Asia and belonging to the **Zingiberaceae** wide family.

Leafy and up to 2 m high, it grows wild and can be found in many tropical and subtropical countries.

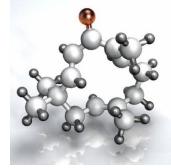
The viscous juice rich in surfactants and obtained from the ornamental inflorescences (pinecones) is famously used in Hawaii, as a shampoo.







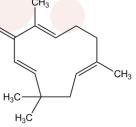




Zerumbone

Rich in **terpenoids** (mainly sesquiterpenoids) and **polyphenols**, *Zingiber Zerumbet* has long been used in traditional medicine to cure pain, inflammation, indigestion, poisonous injuries, etc...

Zerumbone is a sesquiterpenoid molecule obtained by supercritical CO₂ extraction of wild ginger (Zingiber zerumbet) dried mature rhizomes and solubilised in vegetal butylene glycol.





A responsibly sourced plant for sustainable beauty

Sourcing in the Southern-East region of Madagascar from an Ecocert For Life labelled responsible enterprise.

Zingiber zerumbet



PLANET

Eco-responsible

- Manual harvesting
- Preservation of the ecosystems (only the adult rhizomes are harvested with official authorisations)

BUSINESS

- Collected in specific bags to ensure quality and to avoid contamination
- Responsible sourcing







PEOPLE

Socially committed

- Non-food ginger
- Support + 2000 families to benefit from additional income
- Fight against malnutrition through school canteens
- Rehabilitation of a maternity hospital
- Construction of a health centre





AMEYEZING™

INCI Name

Butylene Glycol – Zerumbone

Naturalness according to ISO 16128

Natural content: 0.3 % Natural origin content: 100 %

Biodegradability

Active ingredient readily biodegradable in 28 days: 100 %

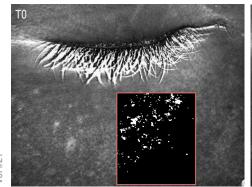
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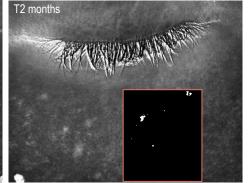
Fights against dark circles

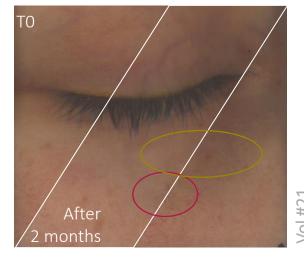
THE AMAZING BIOCONCEALER FOR NATURALLY BRIGHTER EYES

AMEYEZING™ is an eco-socio-designed cosmetic active ingredient, obtained from the supercritical CO₂ extraction of Zingiber zerumbet rhizomes. AMEYEZING™ helps improve both HYPERPIGMENTED and VASCULAR dark circles for a NATURAL VIBRANT LOOK.

ENLIGHTENS HYPERPIGMENTED DARK CIR	RCLES (after 2 months of application)
Melanin pigmentation	10 %/T0 down to -35 %, <i>p</i> <0.01
Colour saturation	3 %/T0 down to -7.9 %, <i>p</i> <0.01
SELF-ASSESSMENT (after 15 min of application)	
"Dark circles are reduced"	
"I look less tired"	
"The eye contour is improved"	
"Eye bags are reduced"	







Sederma (15 female volunteers, mean age 42 [24-65], with hyperpigmented dark circles), 2-month application.

Sederma (25 female volunteers, mean age 55 [43-66], with eye bags), 2-month application with results after 1 month.

Eurofins Dermscan (37 male and 74 female volunteers, mean age 42 [19-60], with dark circles and puffiness under the eyes), application for 2 weeks with results after 15 mins of application.





Fights against dark circles

SpectraCam®

Ameyezing™

REDUCES VASCULAR DARK CIRCLES

(after 2 months of application)

Oxygen saturation +13.6 %/T0 up to +69 %, p < 0.06



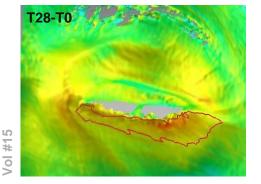


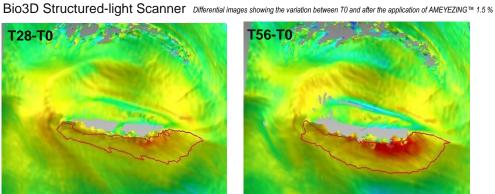
DEPUFFS THE EYE BAGS

Eye bag volume

after 1 month...... -27.6 mm 3 /T0 up to -128 mm 3 , p<0.01

after 2 months..... -40.1 mm 3 /T0 up to -188 mm 3 , p<0.01





Puffiness variation compared to T0 No change

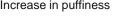
Area with the greatest reduction

Increase in puffiness



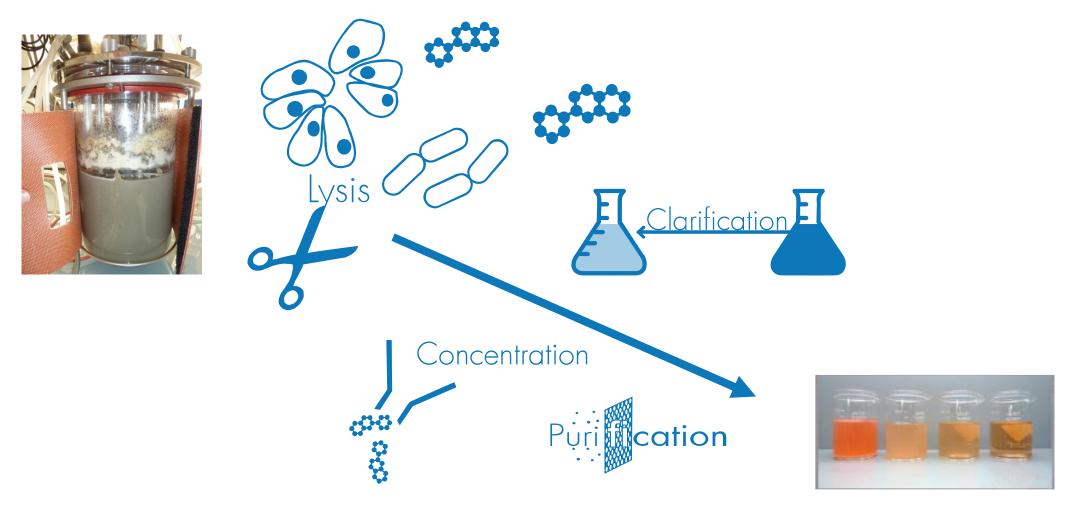
Decrease in puffiness







Purification



Odour removal by CO₂sc



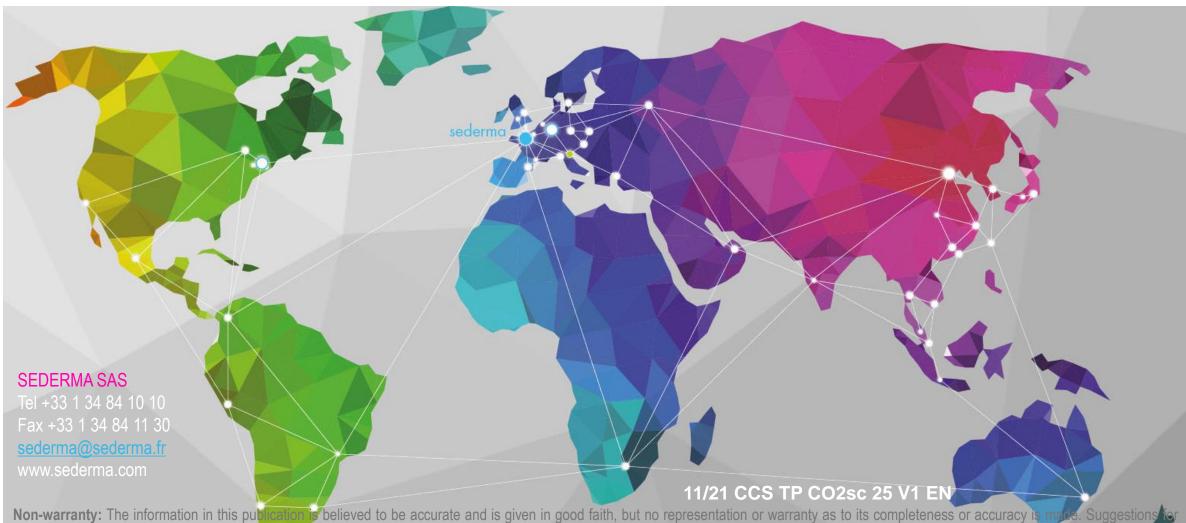
Conclusion





Thank you





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