

# Swine disinfectant comparison chart

Disinfectant chemical	Technical notes	Brand	Manufacturer	% of active ingredients
<b>Quaternary ammonia compounds</b> (1/2 oz per gallon use rate)	Low germicidal range Limited residual activity Reduced efficacy in organic matter Low cost Not sporicidal against clostridium Low toxicity Reduced efficacy in soaps, salts	Bio-Quat™ 20	Neogen	<b>1st Gen:</b> 20% (C14-50%, C12-40%, C16-10%) Alkyl dimethyl benzyl ammonium chloride
		Pi Quat™ 20		<b>3rd Gen:</b> 20% dimethyl benzyl ammonium chlorides
		Orange Quat Destroyer		<b>5th Gen:</b> 21.7% Twin and Dual Chain blend
<b>Phenols</b> *Triple phenols*	Reasonable germicidal range Not sporicidal Effective in minimum organic matter Some residual activity Strong odor, eye and skin irritation <b>Best use:</b> boot dip, foot pans, aerosol spray	Bio-Phene™	Neogen	19.8% Phenol (7.9% o-phenylphenol, 10% o-benzyl-p-chlorophenol, 1.9% p-tert-amyphenol)
		Tektrol®	Bio-Tek	26% Phenol (12% o-phenylphenol, 10% o-benzyl-p-chlorophenol, 4% p-tert-amyphenol)
		Steriphene®	Spartan	Ethyl alcohol 64.000% Ortho-Benzyl-para-chlorophenol 0.071% Ortho-Phenylphenol 0.051%
<b>Glutaraldehyde quat blends</b>	Wide germicidal activity Sporicidal and fungicidal Can be virucidal	Synergize®	Neogen	26% alkyldimethylbenzyl ammonium chloride, 7% glutaraldehyde
		Glutex™ GQ-1	Dow Chemical	14% glutaraldehyde, 2.5% alkyldimethylbenzyl ammonium chloride
<b>Glutaraldehyde</b>	Moderate efficacy in organic matter Slight residual, moderate toxicity <b>Best Use:</b> all barn applications	Glutex™ GS-2	Dow Chemical	20% glutaraldehyde plus surfactants
<b>Liquid halogens</b> (Iodines, chlorines)	Moderate efficacy in organic matter Slight residual, moderate toxicity <b>Best Use:</b> all barn applications	Chlorcide	EnviroTech	7.5% Sodium Chlorite
		AquaPrime® NeoKlor	Neogen	7.5% Sodium Chlorite
		Anthium™ Dioxide	ID	8.35% Sodium Chlorite
		Corresan	Neogen	12.5% Sodium Hypochlorite
		Iodis/Iodine Disinfectant	Neogen	18% iodine complex (1.75% titratable iodine)
<b>Non-halogen oxidizers</b>	Moderate to very wide germicidal range Moderate corrosiveness, mild toxicity Can be sporicidal, fungicidal, virucidal Mostly ineffective in heavy organic loads Use dilutions tend to be unstable Low environmental impact <b>Use(s):</b> disinfect water lines, mister/fogger	Perasan™ A	EnviroTech	26.5% peroxide + 5.6% peracetic acid
		Peraside™	Neogen	26.5% peroxide + 5.6% peracetic acid
		Virkon™	Lanxess	21.4% peroxymonosulfate
		Viroxide Super®	Neogen	22.41% Potassium peroxymonosulfate
		Hydrogen Peroxide	Various	32% hydrogen peroxide
Siloxycide®	Neogen	50% silver stabilized hydrogen peroxide		
<b>Unique combinations</b>				
<b>Iodine, Propionic, Phosphoric</b>	Synergistic acid and iodine <b>Best Use:</b> on-farm, disinfect and acidify water	Dyne-O-Mite®	Neogen	0.42% iodine, propionic acid, phosphoric acid
<b>Quat blend + peroxide</b>	Two part chemistry for biofilm removal <b>Use:</b> water line cleaner	FortiSolve™	Sterilex	6% quaternary ammonium, 6% hydrogen peroxide
<b>Formaldehyde/ Formalin compounds</b>	Wide germicidal activity, sporicidal Fungicidal, known human carcinogen <b>Use(s):</b> farm, dirty, contract cleanout	Formaldehyde	Various	37% formaldehyde
		Sal CURB™	Kemin	37% formaldehyde + propionic acid (feed disinfectant targeting <i>Salmonella sp.</i> )
		DC&R®	Neogen	19.2% tris nitro, 2.28% formaldehyde, 3.08% quaternary ammonium chloride
<b>Acids</b>	Drinking water disinfectant	KEM SAN®	Kemin	70.5% propionic acid + other acids
<b>Peroxide + acid + soap</b>	Proprietary surface disinfectant, low pH	Intervention®	Virox	4.5% Hydrogen peroxide plus acid(s) and surfactant(s)