



## NEWS RELEASE

### Fast-growing use of Tristel FUSE among hospital cleaning companies

**1 May 2008; Newmarket, UK:** Launched only last year, Tristel **FUSE for Surfaces** is rapidly replacing chlorine tablets as the disinfection product of choice for many contract cleaning companies serving the NHS. Packaged in convenient, easy to use, 'burstable sachets' containing base and activator solutions, **FUSE for Surfaces** delivers high-level disinfection of floors, walls and general hard surfaces in hospitals. No counting, weighing or calculations are needed to make up a working solution at the right concentration – and no waiting for chlorine tablets to dissolve.

**FUSE for Surfaces** uses Tristel's chlorine dioxide technology to deliver high-level sporicidal disinfection. It is effective against a wide range of organisms including *Clostridium difficile* and is ready to use with just a single dilution. One sachet poured into 5 litres of water produces a sporicidal solution requiring a contact time of only 5 minutes.

According to Paul Cunningham of New Cheshire Contract Services Ltd, specialists in operating theatre cleaning and one of the companies now using FUSE extensively, FUSE is helping to make a real difference in the support they can provide to hospitals. "**FUSE for Surfaces** is so much quicker, easier and more pleasant than chlorine for our cleaning teams to use. The product is so easy to make up and use that there's little risk of concentration errors. Everyone is confident using it."

The inclusion of a powerful surfactant in **FUSE for Surfaces** ensures a thorough cleaning effect. Unlike chlorine releasing agents, there is little odour and no health and safety or disposal issues. [www.tristel.com](http://www.tristel.com)

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**Image, notes and contact details to follow...**

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### **About Tristel**

Tristel uses proprietary chlorine dioxide chemistry to create instrument and surface disinfectants. With its origins as a healthcare business specialising in infection control products, Tristel has recently extended its operations to include legionella control in water supplies and contamination control in the food and pharmaceutical industries.

The company is creating applications for its chemistry that address the four routes of transmission of infection and contamination – surfaces, instruments, water and people.

Tristel plc has its headquarters in Newmarket, UK and a network of distributors around the world. The company was admitted to trading on AIM on 1 June 2005. Its stock exchange symbol is TSTL.

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