

# THE COMPARISON BETWEEN CO-MELTED AND SPRAY DRIED CLOTRIMAZOLE-PVP/VA SOLID DISPERSIONS SYSTEMS

#### Introduction



- Clotrimazole is a broad spectrum of anti-fungal drug but it is classified in Class II in the BSC.
- Poorly soluble characteristic of clotrimazole can pose a hurdle in the flux across the skin.
- By forming amorphous state of solid dispersion, supersaturated state generated by the amorphous counterpart can help to increase the drug absorption through topical route with the high concentration gradient between the membranes of the skin.

#### Objective of Study



- To produce amorphous solid dispersion of Clotrimazole-PVPVA system
- To investigate the physicochemical properties of clotrimazole-PVPVA solid dispersion system.
- To compare the dissolution performances of clotrimazole-PVPVA systems prepared by two different methods, i.e. co-melting method and spray drying method.



## Materials and Methods

#### **Materials**



#### Clotrimazole

- Clotrimazole is an imidazole derivative with a broad spectrum of antimycotic activity
- It is used for the treatment for disease like vaginal yeast infection, pityriasis versicolour and jock itch.
- It is the active ingredient for this paper.



#### Carrier: PVP/VA: SCSY1 SCSY3

- PVP/VA is used as the carrier for clotrimazole for this study VVA is a type of polymer which is white, odourless, water soluble polymers.
- It also being use as binder for tablets and granules, Dry binder for direct compression, during wet granulation, film-coating, sub coating, for controlled-released preparation and

hot melt extrusion process to increase the solubility and bioavability of poor soluble active pharmaceutical ingredient

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why use PVPVA? Sam Chan Siok Yee, 5/24/2017

# Preparation Physical Mixture (PM)



- 30mg of Clotrimazole is mix with 70mg of PVP/VA homogenously using a mortar and pestle for approximately 2 minutes
- Hence, the physical mixtures of Clotrimazole in PVP/VA (100mg) is 30%,

#### it should be under method right?? Sam Chan Siok Yee, 5/24/2017 SCSY4

#### **Preparation Co-melting Method**



- Co-melt of Clotrimazole with with PVP/VA (1000mg) was SCSYS
   prepared by dissolving 700mg of PVP/VA in distilled water.
- Then it is being slowly poured into a petri dish containing melted 300mg Clotrimazole heating on the hot plate at temperature of 200°C while being stirred continuously with a spatula until all water evaporated to obtain a homogeneous mixture of Clotrimazole and PVP/VA.
- Then the products were collected with spatula and cooled over at room temperature to solidify and then being pulverized using a mortar and pestle.
- The powders product contained 70.0/30.0 %w/w of PVP/VA/Clotrimazole.

#### 1000mg is total? Sam Chan Siok Yee, 5/24/2017 SCSY5

## **Preparation Spray Dried (SD)**



- To prepare the spray dried 30% Clotrimazole PVP/VA
- 30 mg of clotrimazole is transferred into 200ml of 50% ethanol in a beaker and stir it for 5 minute using a magnetic stirrer.
- Then PVP/VA with the weight of 70mg is added and stirred until dissolve.
- Then the solution is being transferred to the spray-dry machine to be dried.
- Clotrimazole/ PVP/VA was collected from collecting chamber.

#### Method



1. Determination of  $\lambda$ max.

- 2. Characteristic of solid state of the prepared solid dispersion and physical mixture of 30% Clotrimazole and PVP/VA was done by using:
- Differential Scanning Calorimetry (DSC),
- Microscopy
- and Fourier transform infrared (ATR-FTIR).
- 3. Dissolution Studies

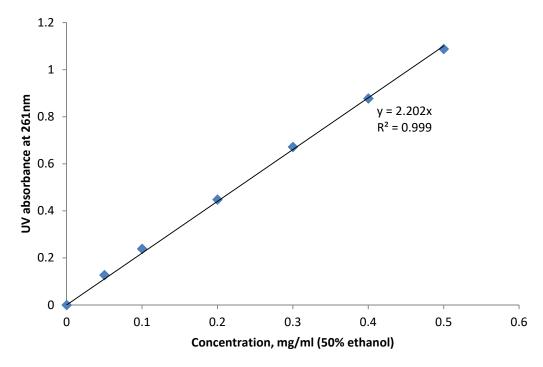


## Result and Discussion

#### **UV-Visible Spectrophotometer**



- Calibration curve of Clotrimazole:
- Figure 3.1 shows the calibration curve graph that being use for this paper at 261nm for the analysis of clotrimazole with linearity of R<sup>2</sup>=0.999.
- Figure 3.1: Standard curve of Clotrimazole in 50% ethanol



# Thermal properties of raw material and binary system



 Differential Scanning Calorimetry (DSC) is used to analyse the thermal properties of samples of pure clotrimazole and the solid dispersion samples. Figure 3.1, shows one of the three DSC thermograms for pure SCSY6

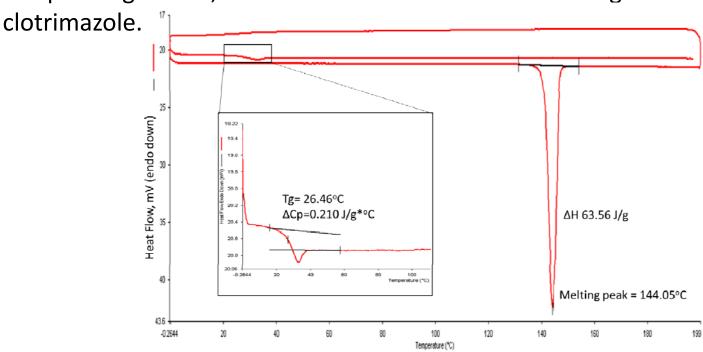


Figure 3.2: DSC thermogram of pure Clotrimazole which showed a melting peak at 144.05°C and Tg at 26.46°C

try to explain that it is with heat-cool heat cycle.....and mention why you do heat cool heat? Sam Chan Siok Yee, 5/24/2017SCSY6

## DSC thermogram of Co-melt sample



Clotrimazole-PVP/VA (70.0/30.0%) co-melting

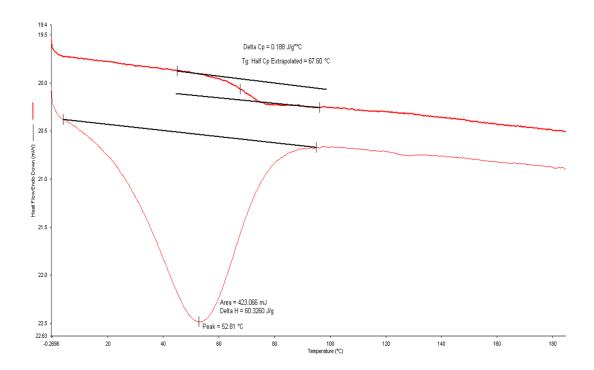


 Figure 3.3: DSC thermogram of Solid Dispersion using co-melting method (Sample 3) which showed a water loss peak at 52.81°C and Tg at 67.60°C

#### DSC thermogram of spray dried sample



Spray-dried 30% Clotrimazole-PVP/VA system

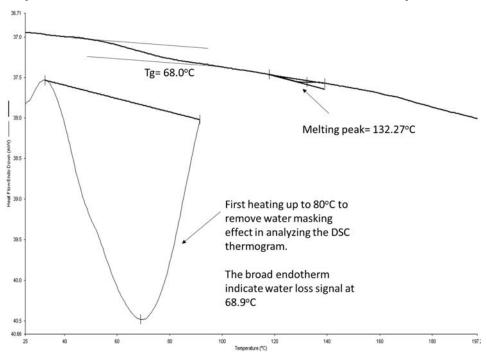


Figure 3.4: DSC thermogram of Solid Dispersion using spray-dried method which showed a water loss peak at 68.92°C and Tg at 68.0°C

# Theoretical Estimation on the Tg of binary system.



• The theoretical Tg is estimated SCSY7 g the Gordon-Taylor equation shown in equation 3.1

$$Tg = \frac{W_1Tg_1 + KW_2Tg_2}{W_1 + KW_2}$$

Table 3. 1: Numeric values used to calculate the theoretical Tg and the estimated theoretical

Component	Numeric values
ΔCp1 (drug)	0.2427
ΔCp2 (polymer)	0.6320
K(ΔCp2/ ΔCp1)	2.6040
Tg1 (drug)	26.36
Tg2 (polymer)	106.4
Calculated Theoretical Tg of Clotrimazole-PVPVA	95.0885

explain that GT euqation assumption...why you compare??? Sam Chan Siok Yee, 5/24/2017 SCSY7

## Microscopy



#### Clotrimazole pure

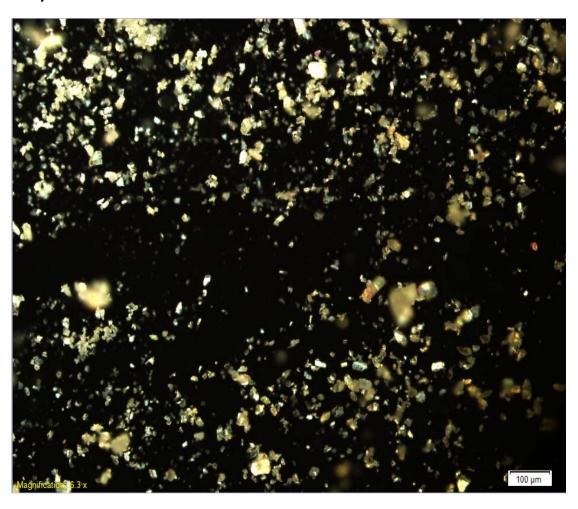


Figure 3.5: Microscope image of particle from pure Clotrimazole at 6.3x magnification

#### Microscopy



#### Co-melt 30% Clotrimazole-PVPVA

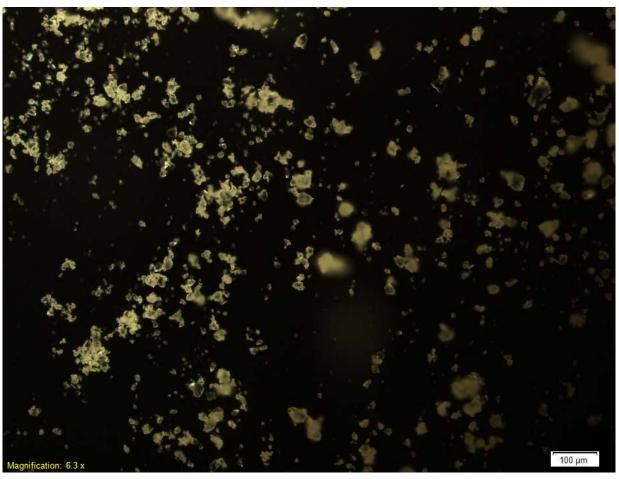


Figure 3.6: Shows the image of particle from co-melt sample of Clotrimazole-PVP/VA (70.0/30.0% w/w) at 6.3x magnification under a microscope.

#### Microscopy



Spray-dried 30% Clotrimazole-PVPVA

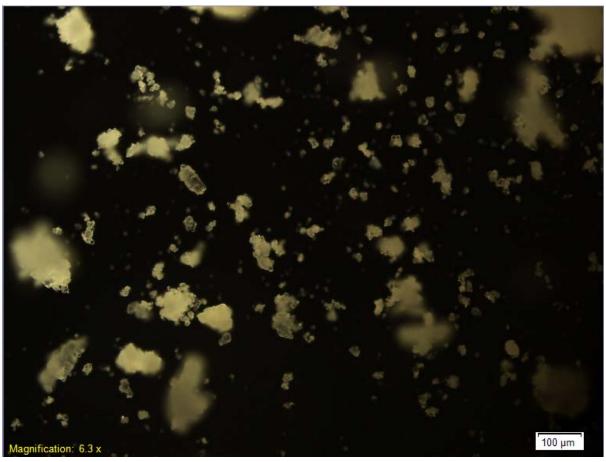


 Figure 3.7: Shows the image of particle from spray-dried sample of Clotrimazole-PVP/VA (70.0/30.0% w/w) at 6.3x magnification under a microscope.

# Fourier Transform Infrared (FTIR) Spectroscopy



- ATR-FTIR is used to investigate the possible interactions between Clotrimazole and PVP/VA solid dispersion of co-melt method and spray-dried method.
- characteristic of pure clotrimazole can be seen at bands at 3166 cm<sup>-1</sup>, 1584 cm<sup>-1</sup>, 1487 cm<sup>-1</sup> and 741 cm<sup>-1</sup>.

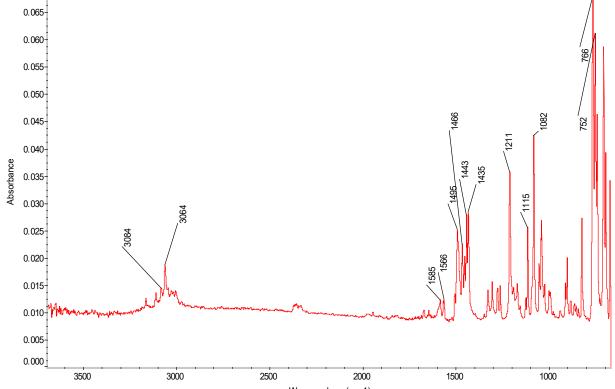


Figure 3.8: Infrared spectrum of Clotrimazole

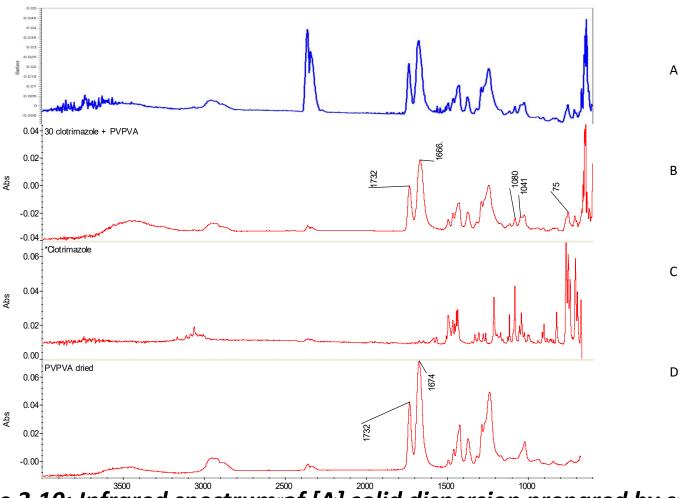


Table 3.2: Peak observed in infrared spectrum of Clotrimazole

Origin	Group frequency, Wavenumber (cm <sup>-</sup> 1)	Assignment
С-Н	3084-3064	C-H stretching vibration of aromatic compounds
N-H	3700-3500	Amide N-H Stretch
C-Cl	766-752	Aliphatic chloro compounds,
		C-Cl Stretching
C=C	1585-1435	C=C stretching
С-Н	1211-1082	In-plane C–H bending
C-H	970–960	Out-of-plane C-H bending
C-N	1360-1250	Aromatic C-N stretching
N-H	1615	Secondary amide N-H bending band
C=N	2330	C=N Stretch of imidazole ring

## SCSY8 FTIR spectra for solid dispersion of





Clotrimazole with PVP/VA

Figure 3.10: Infrared spectrum of [A] solid dispersion prepared by spray-dried method [B] solid dispersion prepared by co-melting method (30%clotrimazole + PVP/VA), [C] Clotrimazole, [D] PVP/VA from 600-4000 cm

are you sure you can explain this slide???please add the explanation Sam Chan Siok Yee, 5/24/2017 SCSY8



- At band 1041 and 1080 (C-O bonding of alchoholes & phenols) had been supress for Clotrimazole-PVP/VA of comelt and spray-dried sample that the pure clotrimazole.
- The 1732 (C=O saturated aldehyde) shows the (The difference between co-melt and spray-dried is lower than present in PVPVA.
- The band at 1674 shows the α, β-unsaturation of aldehydes and ketones present at both comelt and spray dried. This band has been down shifting in both the spray dried and comelting sample which indicate the possible interaction occurred at C=O of PVPVA

the  $\alpha,\,\beta\text{-unsaturation}$  , you need to be able to show where is the location in the structure Sam Chan Siok Yee, 5/24/2017 SCSY9

# FTIR spectra for solid dispersion of Clotrimazole with PVP/VA.



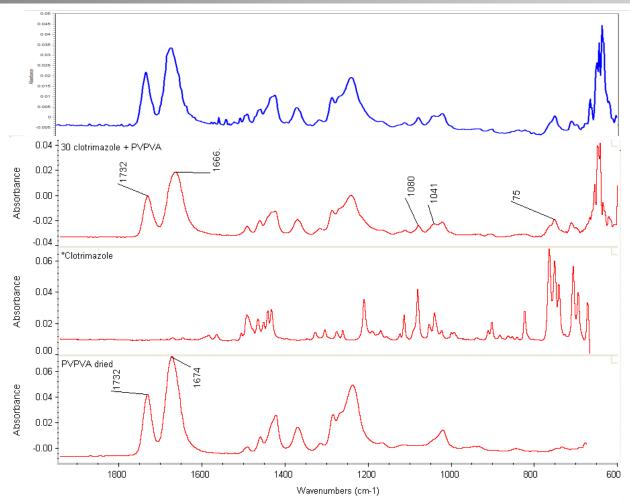


Figure 3.11: Infrared spectrum within range 600-1800cm<sup>-1</sup> of [A] solid dispersion prepared by spray-dried method (30%clotrimazole + PVP/VA), [B] solid dispersion prepared by co-melting method (30%clotrimazole + PVP/VA), [C] Clotrimazole, [D] PVP/VA



• That the finger print of the solid dispersion of co-melt and spray-dried sample of Clotrimazole-PVP/VA (70.0/30.0% w/w) from 600 cm<sup>-1</sup> to 1900 cm<sup>-1</sup> is really similar.

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# FTIR spectra for solid dispersion of Clotrimazole with PVP/VA.



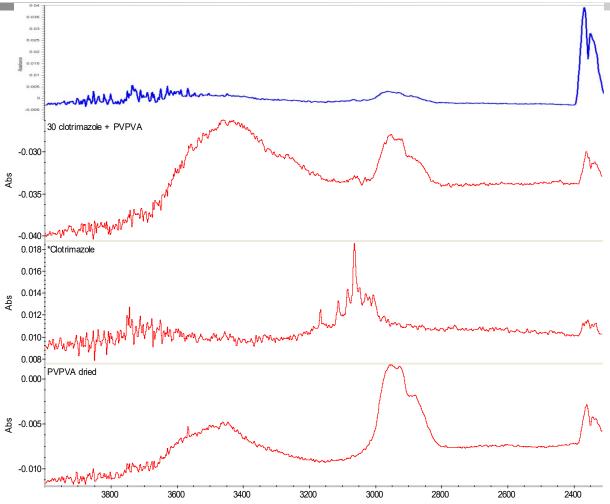


Figure 3.12: Infrared spectrum with in range 2400-3800cm-1 of [A] solid dispersion prepared by spray-dried method (30%clotrimazole + PVP/VA), [B] solid dispersion prepared by co-melting method (30%clotrimazole + PVP/VA), [C] Clotrimazole, [D] PVP/VA



• The studies showed the Clotrimazole with PVA/VA. Hence there are no changes of the Clotrimazole drug activity.

just now you were saying there is possible interaction? why suddenly no interraction?? Sam Chan Siok Yee, 5/24/2017SCSY11

#### Dissolution



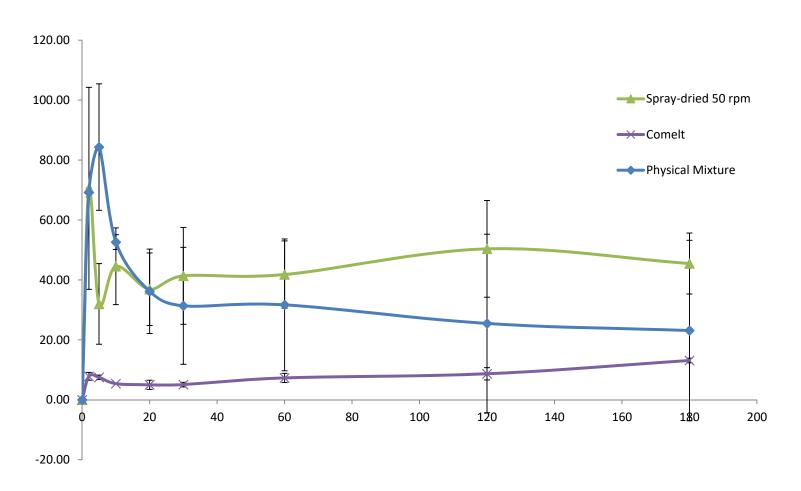


 Figure 3.13: Comparison of drug release profiles of physical mixture and solid dispersion systems

#### Dissolution



- minute 0-19 minutes, dissolution rate of physical mixture is the highest, followed by spray dry at and co-melt sample which reveal a very slow release of clotrimazole.
- At minute 20, spray-dried sample and physical mixture have the same SCSY12 of drug dissolution which was 36% while the dissolution rate of co-melt sample was the lowest with release percentage of 5%.
- At later release stages, i.e. from minute 21 to 180 shows the spray dry sample have the highest drug release followed by the physical mixture and finally co-melt sample.

for the result observed you need to say why they behave like this? Sam Chan Siok Yee, 5/24/2017 SCSY12

#### Dissolution



#### Table 3.3: The dissolution efficiency of the samples

SYSTEM	DISSOLUTION
	EFFICIENCY
Spray-dried (50 rpm)	4.50
co-melting	0.82
physical mixture	3.08

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## Conclusion



- This study has successfully produced amorphous solid dispersion of clotrimazole in PVPVA system using both the melting and spray drying method.
- In contrast to usual expectation, the fully amorphous characteristic of clotrimazole-PVPVA solid dispersion systems did not reveal a better dissolution performance in comparison to its physical mixture.
- It was also disappointed to realize that there is no dissolution performance enhancement of spray dried clotrimazole-PVPVA as compared physical mixture.
- Melting method may produce dispersion system that is dense and non-porous for hot-melt.

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