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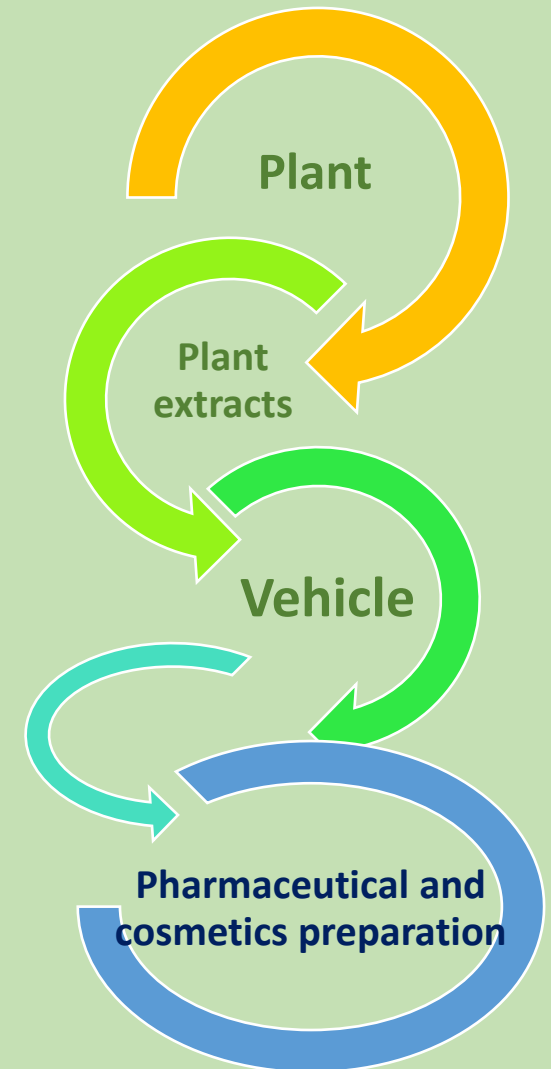
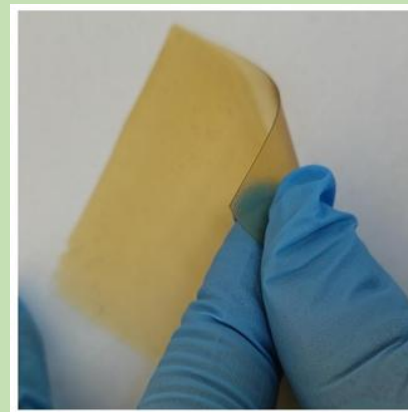
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- Design and preparation of new dermatological and cosmetic formulations containing plant extracts, other natural resources synthetic drugs, or drug derivatives.
- Modification of ready dermatological and cosmetic formulations containing plant extracts or other active substances



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- **Comprehensive research plant extracts**
 - ✓ comparison of extraction methods
 - ✓ searching for interesting and new plants, focusing on local plants growing in Poland
 - ✓ comparison of different plant parts, growing season
 - ✓ antioxidant activity
 - ✓ chemical composition using HPLC
 - ✓ biological activity, including among others analysis of the cytotoxicity of plant extracts, effects on skin cells (keratinocytes), and wound healing, anti-inflammatory effect



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The penetration study

- ✓ Franz diffusion cell
- ✓ Human skin, porcine skin or artificial membrane
- ✓ The accumulation of active ingredients in the skin.



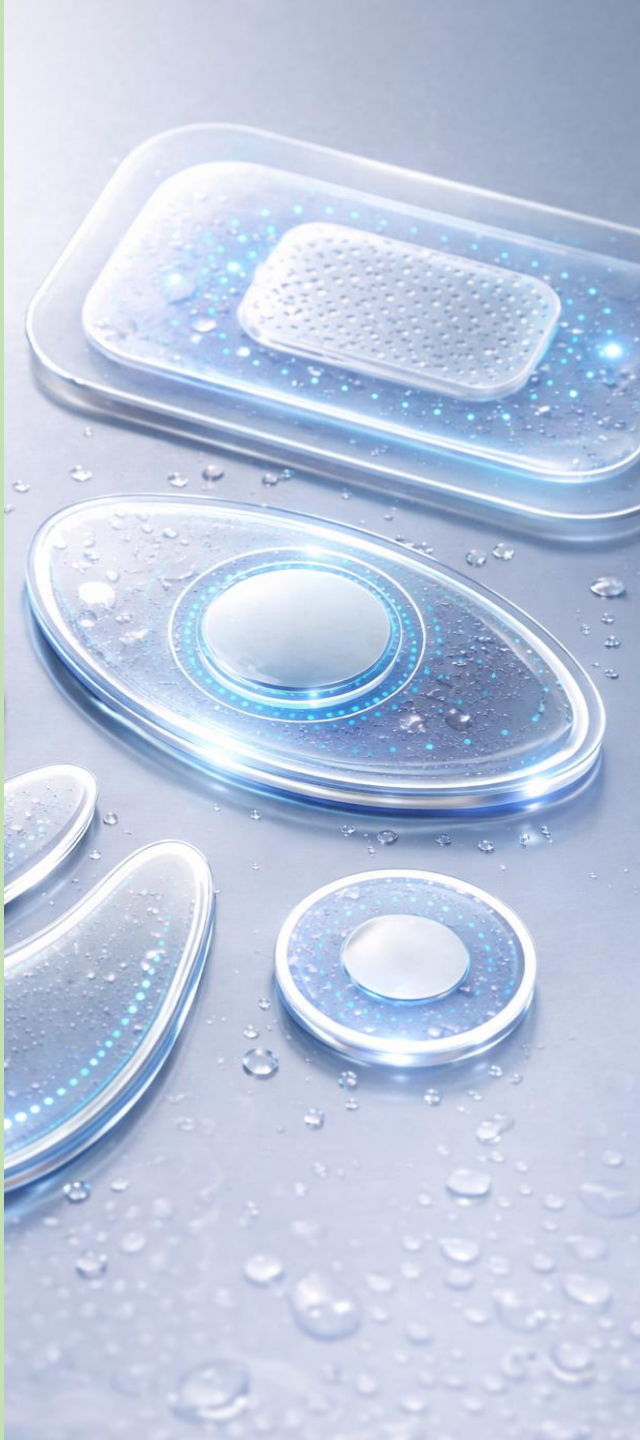
Visegrad - Accelerated Wound Healing

Our possibilities

Analysis of multifunctional dressings

Design of a natural hydrogel containing plant extracts with anti-inflammatory, antibacterial, and wound-healing properties

- delivery of active substances to the skin
- biological properties





Analysis:

➤ Designing a natural hydrogel containing plant extract

➤ Antioxidant Activity Evaluation:

- ❖ antioxidant assays: DPPH, ABTS, FRAP
- ❖ total polyphenol content (TPC)

➤ Permeation Studies:

- ❖ Franz diffusion cells
- ❖ assessment of active compound accumulation in the skin

➤ Cytotoxicity Assessment:

- ❖ human skin fibroblasts

➤ Wound Healing Evaluation:

- ❖ analysis of fibroblast migration and wound assay

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Thank you for attention!



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