

Supplementary Table S1 Technical information about the product Protigen used in the present trial: particle size, measured in millimetres, and in vitro release rate at different time point.

Parameter	Value
<b>Particle size, mm</b>	
<i>% of the product between 1.5-2.00 mm</i>	97
<i>% of the product &lt;1.5 mm</i>	3
<b>Release rate, %</b>	
<i>At 1h</i>	22.3
<i>At 2h</i>	33.1
<i>At 3h</i>	42.2
<i>At 4h</i>	49.1
<i>At 5h</i>	50.4
<i>At 6h</i>	60.2
<i>At 7h</i>	70.3
<i>At 24h</i>	99.1