

# Tolerability and physiological effects of elevated inspired carbon dioxide (CO2) concentrations in human volunteers

No registrations found.

<b>Ethical review</b>	Positive opinion
<b>Status</b>	Recruiting
<b>Health condition type</b>	-
<b>Study type</b>	Observational non invasive

## Summary

### ID

NL-OMON22471

### Source

Nationaal Trial Register

### Brief title

TOPofCO2

### Health condition

Safety and Tolerability of CO2

## Sponsors and support

**Primary sponsor:** Leiden University Medical Centre

**Source(s) of monetary or material Support:** CATO-2: financial support

## Intervention

## Outcome measures

### Primary outcome

Safety: reaching pre-defined stopping rules pertaining to: significant bloodgas changes (pH, pCO2, pO2), excessive changes in heartrate or bloodpressure, severe side-effects (i.e. headache, nausea, sedation)

Tolerability: time to either subject indicating he wants to discontinue the experiment, or deemed necessary to discontinue the experiment by the investigator/attending physician

## **Secondary outcome**

Cognitive functioning: p-deletion test

Cerebral oxygenation: Invos

Bispectral imaging changes: BIS

## **Study description**

### **Background summary**

An observational study looking into the effects of elevated levels of inspired Carbon dioxide in healthy volunteers. With special focus on physiological, behavioral and cognitive parameters.

### **Study objective**

An observational study looking into the effect of elevated levels of inspired carbon dioxide on physiological, behavioral and cognitive functioning.

### **Study design**

Measurements will take place at 5 or 10 minute interval for: Bloodgas, evaluation of side effects, cognitive tests.

Continuous measurements are collected for:  
Cardiac output; Invoss; BIS; levels of inspired gas

### **Intervention**

Escalating exposure duration 10,30 and 60 minutes for the first three concentrations 6%, 7.5% and 9% inspired CO<sub>2</sub>. Followed by 5 minutes 100% oxygen. For each combination of duration and concentration 6 subjects were included. Escalation of concentration only took place after all durations for this concentration were completed without the occurrence of SAE's.

For the concentrations 10% and 12% the maximum duration of exposure was 10 minutes. Followed by 5 minutes 100% oxygen. 10 subjects for the 10% and 10 subjects for the 12%

CO2 exposure were included

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## Eligibility criteria

### Inclusion criteria

1. Age of 18 to 35 years (inclusive);
2. Body Mass Index (BMI) between 18 and 25 kg/m<sup>2</sup> (inclusive) and body weight between 50 kg and 100 kg (inclusive);
3. Subject is able to read and understand the written consent form, complete study-related procedures, and communicate with the study staff;

### Exclusion criteria

1. Clinically relevant abnormal history of physical and mental health, as determined by medical history taking and physical examinations obtained during the screening visit and/or prior to the administration of the initial dose of the study drug (as judged by the

investigator);

2. A semi recumbent systolic blood pressure of >150 mmHg and/or diastolic blood pressure of > 90 mmHg at screening;

3. History of alcoholism or substance abuse within three years prior to screening;

4. Use of medication during the study period;

5. Subjects smoking > 10 cigarettes/day or equivalents

6. Participation in an investigational drug trial in the 3 months prior to administration of the initial dose of study drug or more than 4 times per year;

7. Any other condition that in the opinion of the investigator would complicate or compromise the study, or the wellbeing of the subject, including pulmonary disease such as a history of asthma.

## Study design

### Design

Study type:	Observational non invasive
Intervention model:	Parallel
Allocation:	Non controlled trial
Masking:	Open (masking not used)
Control:	N/A , unknown

### Recruitment

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Recruitment status:	Recruiting
Start date (anticipated):	20-06-2013
Enrollment:	74
Type:	Anticipated

## Ethics review

Positive opinion

Date: 08-01-2015  
Application type: First submission

## Study registrations

### Followed up by the following (possibly more current) registration

ID: 40519  
Bron: ToetsingOnline  
Titel:

### Other (possibly less up-to-date) registrations in this register

No registrations found.

### In other registers

Register	ID
NTR-new	NL4955
NTR-old	NTR5077
CCMO	NL42820.058.12
OMON	NL-OMON40519

## Study results

### Summary results

NA