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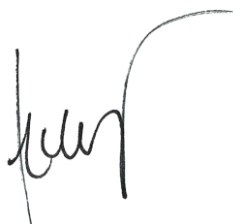
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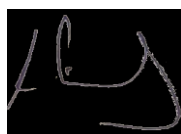
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APRESENTAÇÃO

O projeto intitulado “**Desenvolvimento de um pó hemostático à base de polissacarídeos e aminoácidos para controle de hemorragias**”, submetido e aprovado na disciplina de TCC I do curso de Farmácia, pelo Comitê de Ética desta instituição, sob o Parecer 4.226.402 será apresentado na forma de artigo científico, como permite a disciplina de TCC II do curso de Farmácia. Em anexo, constam as instruções para os autores (Anexo 1) da Revista Carbohydrate Polymers, escolhida para a submissão do artigo.

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16 **Resumo:** Esse estudo desenvolveu um material hemostático na forma de pó associando os
17 polissacarídeos *iota*-carragenana (ιC) e xiloglucana (XIL), o aminoácido L-serina (SER) e o
18 fármaco ácido tranexâmico (ATX). O material foi produzido por liofilização seguida de
19 maceração dinâmica e os materiais obtidos caracterizados por espectroscopia no infravermelho
20 com transformada de Fourier (FT-IR), microscopia eletrônica de varredura (MEV) e análise de
21 intumescimento. A atividade hemolítica e tempo de coagulação do pó hemostático preparado
22 nesse estudo também foi investigada *in vitro*. A compatibilidade química entre os
23 polissacarídeos, aminoácido e ATX foi confirmada nas análises de FT-IR. As imagens obtidas
24 por MEV mostraram que o pó produzido apresenta uma superfície rugosa. A eficácia do pó
25 hemostático foi determinada através da atividade hemolítica e tempo de coagulação *in vitro*,

demonstrando boa compatibilidade sanguínea e reduzindo pela metade o tempo de coagulação de um indivíduo saudável, indicando promissora capacidade no manejo do quadro hemorrágico, podendo contribuir para redução de mortes de pacientes.

Palavras-chave: ácido tranexâmico, *iota*-carragenana, xiloglucana, serina, pó hemostático.

1. Introdução

O quadro hemorrágico não controlado é uma das principais causas de morte potencialmente evitável entre pacientes, chegando a ser responsável por até 40% das mortes decorrentes de trauma, uma vez que um terço desses pacientes acabam não resistindo ao trajeto do local do acidente até o hospital (Altıntop et al., 2020; Curry et al., 2011). Hemorragias podem ser igualmente agravadas pelo uso de certos tipos de medicamentos e alguns tipos de condições congênitas (Hickman et al., 2018).

O manejo da hemorragia em ambiente hospitalar envolve principalmente o uso de suturas e eletro-cauterização (Barba et al., 2018). Em contrapartida, o controle hemorrágico em pacientes que não estão em ambiente hospitalar faz-se comumente pela compressão do local lesionado. No entanto, a eficiência da compressão na contenção hemorrágica é bastante limitada em lesões em locais de junção como virilha, pélvis, axilas, entre outros (Barba et al., 2018; Shen et al., 2020).

Com isso, como alternativa as modalidades de controle hemorrágicos tradicionais, diversos materiais hemostáticos para uso tópico têm sido propostos (Carvalho & Marchi, 2013). Um material hemostático ideal deve preencher algumas características que incluem, porém não se limitam à, promover rápida coagulação, possuir mínima reatividade tecidual, ter baixo custo e ser biocompatível (Kaur et al., 2013). Esponjas como o Hemospon[®], microesferas como o

Arista™ AH e Celox™ e hidrogéis como Gel-Stop™ são alguns dos diversos tipos de materiais hemostáticos comercializados atualmente com indicação de uso tópico (Pereira et al., 2018; Su et al., 2019).

O mecanismo de ação de materiais hemostáticos tópicos envolve basicamente a concentração de fatores de coagulação por meio da absorção de fluidos, a selagem do sangue por mucoadesão e a atuação como pró-coagulante com participação direta na cascata da coagulação (Carvalho & Marchi, 2013). Deste modo, é comum que os materiais hemostáticos recentemente desenvolvidos combinem dois ou mais mecanismos de hemostasia visando melhorar sua performance (Shen et al., 2020).

Cientes disso, esse estudo desenvolveu um material hemostático na forma de pó associando materiais com mecanismos distintos de hemostasia. Logo, os polissacarídeos *iota*-carragenana e xiloglucana, o aminoácido L-serina e o ingrediente ativo farmacêutico ácido tranexâmico foram selecionados para esse estudo. Embora isoladamente alguns desses materiais já tenham sido investigados como agentes hemostáticos, no melhor do conhecimento dos autores não há estudos que reportem o uso combinado da *ι*C, XIL, SER e ATX na preparação de um material hemostático na forma de pó.

Ao que concerne a escolha dos polissacarídeos, estudos apontam que a grande capacidade de absorver água, ou seja, de intumescer, facilita a absorção da porção líquida do sangue acelerando dessa forma a ativação dos mecanismos endógenos de coagulação (Carvalho & Marchi, 2013; Xi et al., 2018). Sabendo que a inibição da fibrinólise é crucial no controle hemorrágico duradouro, a escolha de agentes antifibrinolíticos como o ATX faz-se essencial para impedir a dissolução da matriz de fibrina evitando que a lesão volte a sangrar (Altıntop et al., 2020). O uso tópico do ATX tem se mostrado eficiente na redução de sangramentos pós-operatórios e na diminuição da necessidade de transfusão de sangue sem causar complicações aos pacientes, tais avanços acabaram tornando-o reconhecido como fármaco essencial pela

Organização Mundial da Saúde (Chang et al., 2014; Hosseini et al., 2014; Zhang et al., 2019). Finalmente, a SER foi selecionada visando acelerar o processo de proliferação celular necessário para que ocorra a cicatrização da lesão (De Koning et al., 2003).

2. Metodologia

2.1 Materiais

O ácido tranexâmico (ATX) utilizado nesse estudo foi adquirido na Blau Farmacêutica (São Paulo, Brasil). A serina (SER) e o cloreto de cálcio foram adquiridos na LabSynth (São Paulo, Brasil). A *iota*-carragenana (ι C) foi cedida pela Extractos Naturales Gelymar S.A. (Santiago, Chile) e a xiloglucana (XIL) foi doada pelo Centre de recherches sur les macromolécules végétales (CERMAV, França).

2.2 Métodos

2.2.1 Preparação do pó liofilizado

Para a preparação do pó liofilizado, 0,5% de ι C (m/v), 0,5% de XIL (m/v) e 0,5% de SER (m/v) foram pesados e dissolvidos em água purificada e em seguida adicionado 1% (m/v) (amostra codificada como ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-1%) ou 2% (m/v) (amostra codificada ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-2%) de ATX. As soluções foram aquecidas até $\sim 70^{\circ}\text{C}$ em agitação constante por cerca de 30 min. Após a completa homogeneização, as soluções foram acondicionadas em placas de Petri e congeladas a -20°C durante 24 horas para posterior liofilização (liofilizador Terroni, Brasil). As amostras obtidas foram moídas via maceração dinâmica, em seguida submetidas ao processo de tamisação e armazenadas em dessecador (Fig. 1).

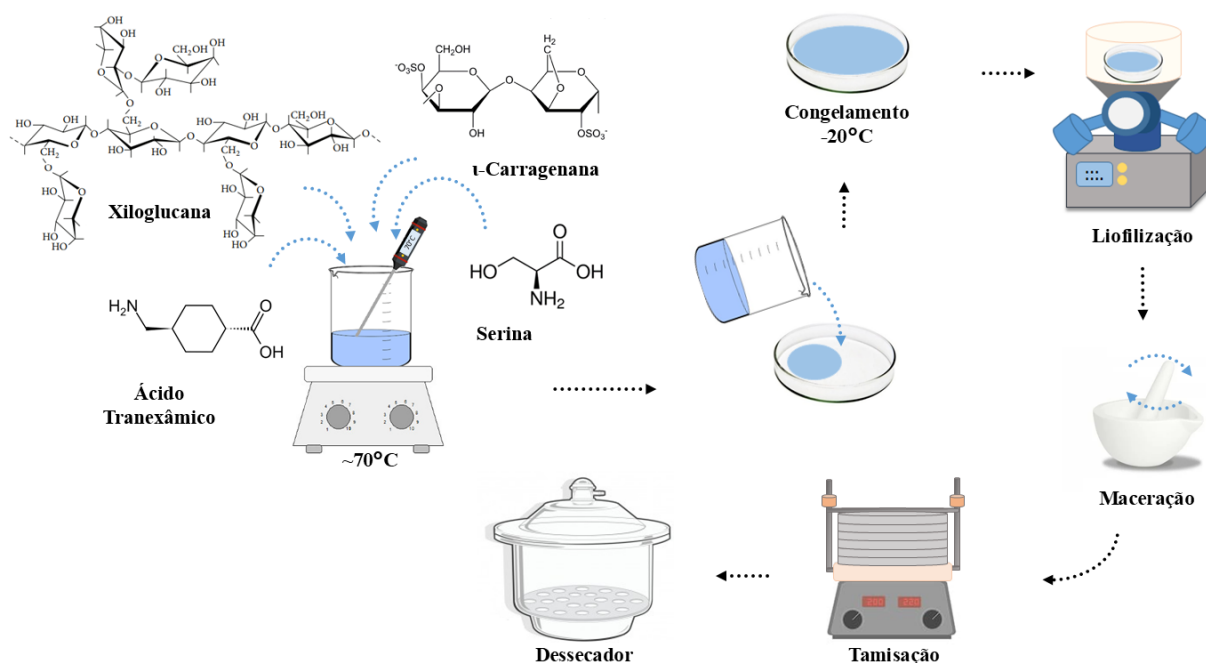


Fig. 1 Esquema detalhando o método de produção do pó liofilizado

2.3 Caracterização do pó liofilizado de ιC:XIL:SER, ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-2%

2.3.1 Morfologia da superfície

A caracterização morfológica do pó liofilizado foi feita via microscopia eletrônica de varredura usando o microscópio JEOL JSM-6510 com uma voltagem de aceleração de 10 kV. O pó liofilizado de ιC:XIL:SER, ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-2% foi depositado sobre uma fita adesiva de carbono e então revestido com uma fina camada de ouro usando um *sputtering* à vácuo.

2.3.2 Espectroscopia no infravermelho com transformada de Fourier (FTIR)

A ocorrência de interações químicas entre os componentes foi avaliada no espectrofotômetro de absorção no infravermelho com transformada de Fourier IR PRESTIGE-2 (PerkinElmer, EUA), equipado com acessório de reflectância total. Os espectros de FT-IR de

XIL, ιC, SER e ATX assim como do pó liofilizado de ιC:XIL:SER, ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-2% foram obtidas na faixa de 4000 a 400 cm^{-1} com resolução de 4 cm^{-1} .

2.3.3 Intumescimento

A capacidade de intumescimento (S_w) do pó liofilizado foi realizada gravimetricamente (em solução tampão fosfato pH 7,4). Após determinada quantidade da amostra seca do pó liofilizado (w_0) foi colocada em um funil recoberto com papel filtro previamente umedecido com solução tampão fosfato. Em seguida, a solução de tampão foi lentamente gotejada sobre o pó liofilizado até a primeira gota escorrer do funil. As amostras saturadas foram então pesadas (w_s) para determinação da capacidade de intumescimento ($S_w = [(w_s - w_0) / w_0] \times 100$). Para determinação da perda de massa (w_l), as amostras submetidas a análise de intumescimento foram mantidas em estufa a 60°C até peso constante e pesadas (w_d). A perda de massa foi então determinada ($w_l = [(w_0 - w_d) / w_d] \times 100$).

2.3.4 Coagulação *in vitro*

O efeito da quantidade do pó liofilizado de ιC:XIL:SER, ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-2% sobre a coagulação do sangue foi investigado usando sangue venoso coletado de doadores saudáveis em tubos contendo citrato de sódio 3,2%, seguindo as normas estabelecidas e aprovadas pelo Comitê de Ética em Pesquisa (CEP) da Universidade do Sul de Santa Catarina (parecer: 4.226.402). Amostras com 10, 20 ou 30 mg de pó liofilizado foram colocados em microtubos e então foi adicionado 500 μL de sangue e 25 μL de cloreto de cálcio (0,2 mol L^{-1}). Em tempos pré-determinados os microtubos foram homogeneizados até que o sangue perdesse a fluidez e ocorresse a formação de coágulos. Como controle negativo foi usado sangue recalcificado sem tratamento adicional (XI *et al.*, 2018; BARBA *et al.*, 2018).

2.3.5 Hemólise *in vitro*

O teste de hemólise foi realizado visando determinar a compatibilidade sanguínea do pó liofilizado de ιC:XIL:SER, ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-2%. Amostras de 5 mL de sangue venoso coletado em tubo contendo citrato de sódio 3,2% foram inicialmente diluídas em 10 mL de solução salina 0,9%. Em seguida, 1,5 mL dessa solução foi adicionada em tubos de ensaio contendo 30 mg do pó liofilizado de ιC:XIL:SER, ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e ιC:XIL:SER:ATX-2% e mantidos em banho termostatizado (temperatura $37 \pm 0,5^{\circ}\text{C}$) por 60 min. Após esse tempo, os tubos de ensaio foram centrifugados (1500 rpm) por 5 min sendo o sobrenadante coletado e analisado em espectrofotômetro UV-vis (LGS 53, Bel Photonics, Brazil) no comprimento de onda de 540 nm (Pan et al., 2017; Su et al., 2019). Água purificada e solução salina 0,9% foram usadas como controle positivo e negativo, respectivamente, e a taxa de hemólise foi então calculada pela equação abaixo:

$$\text{Taxa de hemólise (\%)} = \frac{(\text{absorbância}_{\text{amostra}} - \text{absorbância}_{\text{salina}})}{(\text{absorbância}_{\text{água}} - \text{absorbância}_{\text{salina}})} \times 100$$

3. Resultados e discussão

O uso de polissacarídeos isoladamente ou em combinação com outros agentes hemostáticos têm se apresentado como uma efetiva alternativa substitutiva para os materiais ou métodos hemostáticos tradicionalmente usados no controle hemorrágico (Barba et al., 2018; Biranje et al., 2020; Fathi et al., 2018; Punyanitya et al., 2019). Portanto, esse estudo desenvolveu um material na forma de pó e à base polímeros naturais ιC e XIL aminoácido SER e ATX sendo o ingrediente farmacêutico ativo destinado ao controle de hemorragias, visando aplicação como agente hemostático de uso tópico. Na Fig. 2 pode ser verificada a aparência das amostras liofilizadas, do pó obtido a partir da maceração dinâmica das amostras liofilizadas e

as micrografias obtidas por MEV do pó de ι C:XIL:SER, ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-2%.

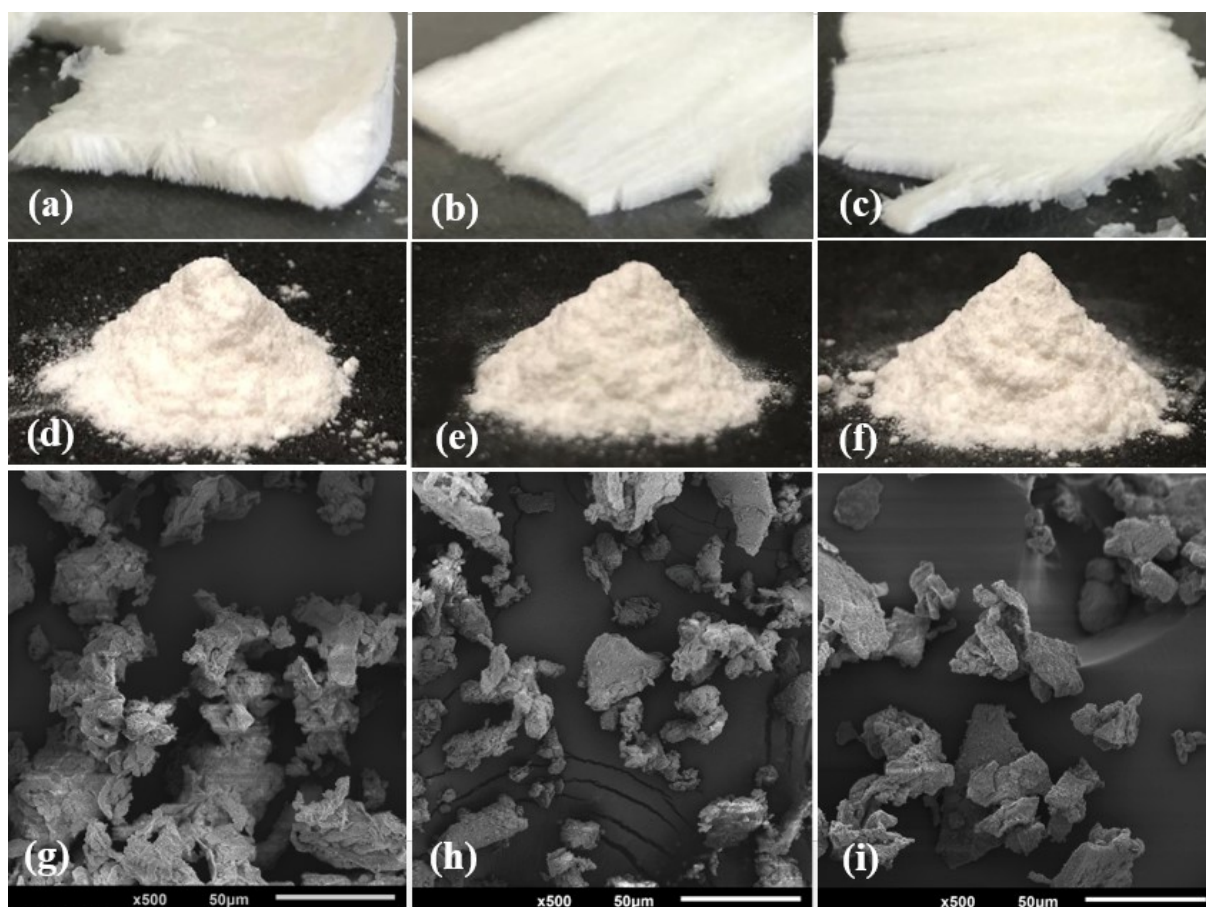
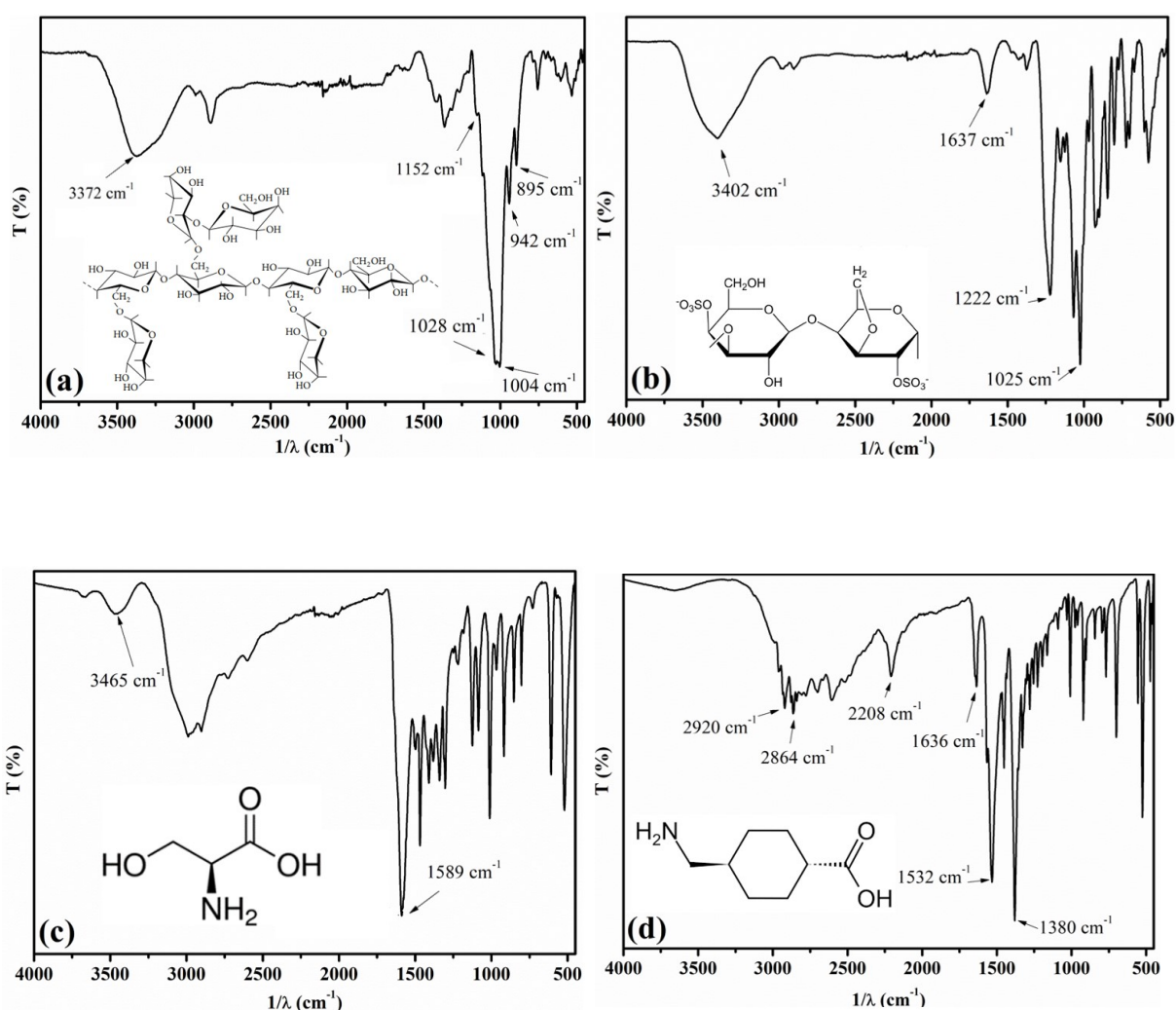


Fig. 2. Aparência da amostra liofilizada de ι C:XIL:SER (a), ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-1% (b) e ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-2% (c). Aparência do pó obtido a partir da maceração dinâmica da amostra liofilizada de ι C:XIL:SER (d), ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-1% (e) e ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-2% (f). Micrografias obtidas por MEV do pó de ι C:XIL:SER (g), ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-1% (h) e ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-2% (i).

O processo de liofilização das amostras ι C:XIL:SER, ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-2% resultou na formação de um material com aparência esponjosa, homogêneo e de cor branca (Fig. 2a-c). A maceração dinâmica desses materiais levou a obtenção de um pó branco homogêneo com tamanho de partícula entre 250–100 μ m (Fig. 2d-f).

Como observado nas micrografias de MEV (Fig. 2g-i), para as amostras de α C:XIL:SER, α C:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e α C:XIL:SER:ATX-2%, o pó liofilizado apresentou uma superfície rugosa e com formato de partícula irregular. Notavelmente, partículas com formato irregular tendem a possuir uma maior área de superfície o que, para um material hemostático, é vantajoso considerando que essa característica acaba por favorecer a interação entre o material e o sangue, levando ao seu rápido intumescimento com subsequente formação do coágulo (Altıntop et al., 2020; Su et al., 2019).

Para uma melhor compreensão das possíveis interações entre os materiais que compõem o pó hemostático desenvolvido, na Fig. 3 tem-se os espectros de FT-IR de XIL, α C, SER e ATX isolados e das amostras do pó liofilizado de α C:XIL:SER, α C:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e α C:XIL:SER:ATX-2%.



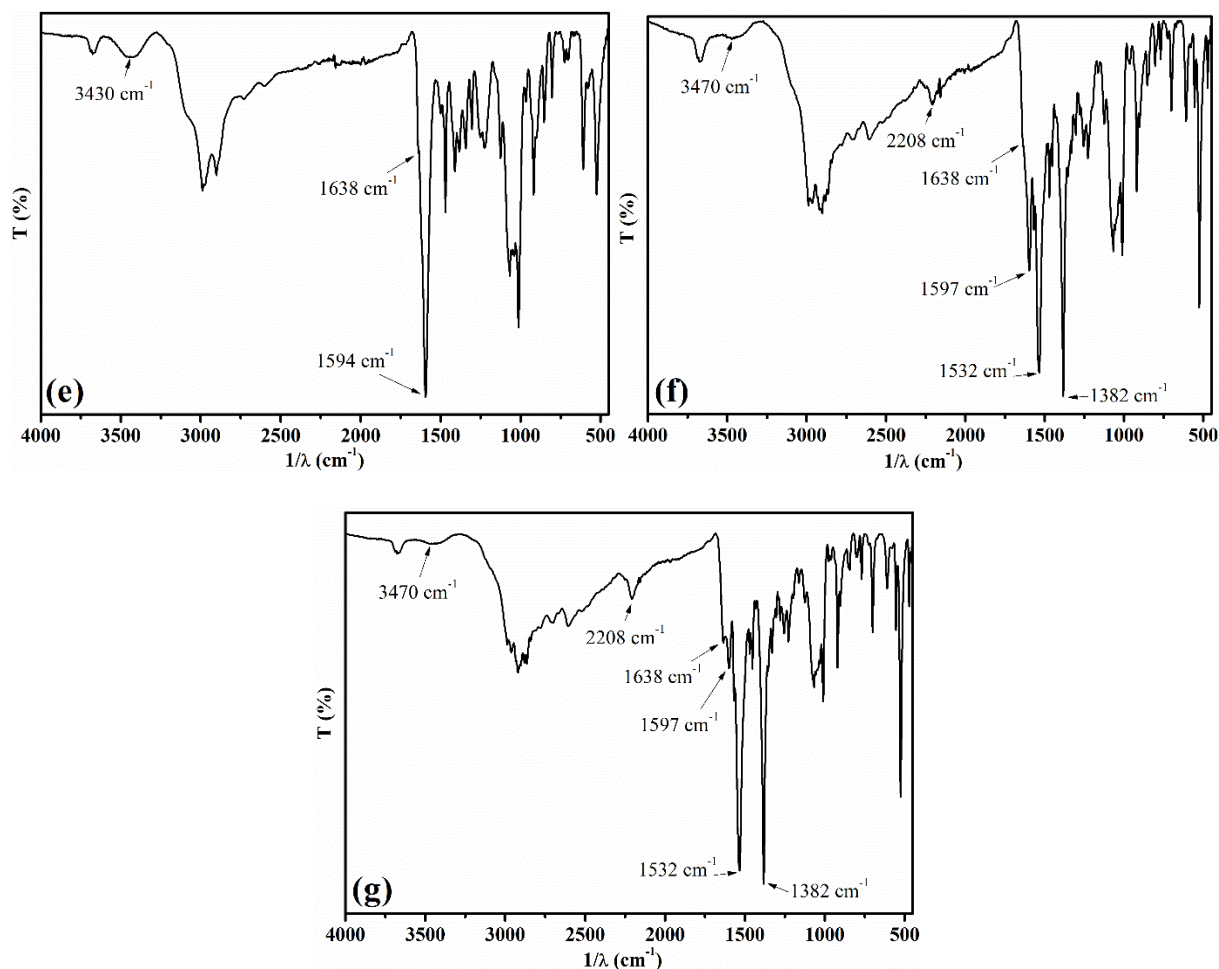


Fig. 3. Espectros obtidos por FT-IR para xiloglucana (a), *iota*-carragenana (b), serina (c), ácido tranexâmico (d), ι C:XIL:SER (e), ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-1% (f) e ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-2% (g).

O espectro de absorção da XIL (Fig. 3a) exibiu banda forte, larga (3600 e 3000 cm^{-1}), resultante da associação polimérica em decorrência das hidroxilas, com pico máximo de absorção em 3272 cm^{-1} , associada à deformação axial dos grupos $\nu(\text{OH})$ (SANTOS et al., 2019). O espectro também revela diversas bandas de absorção entre 1200 e 850 cm^{-1} que surgem dos diferentes modos de vibração dos anéis de açúcares, no caso, glicose, xilose e galactose (Szymanska-Chargot & Zdunek, 2013). Destacando-se as deformações axiais e angulares C-O de diferentes éteres alifáticos em 1152 , 1028 e 1004 cm^{-1} . O espectro da ι C (Fig. 3b) mostra uma ampla banda de absorção centrada em 3402 cm^{-1} atribuída a deformação axial dos grupos $\nu(\text{OH})$, bandas de absorção em 1222 e 1025 cm^{-1} associadas à deformação dos grupos

$\nu(\text{O}=\text{S}=\text{O})$ e dos grupos $\nu(\text{C}-\text{O}-\text{C})$ que compõem a estrutura das unidades de galactose presentes na ιC (Ghani et al., 2019). A banda de absorção em 1637 cm^{-1} surge da deformação angular dos grupos $\delta(\text{OH})$ de moléculas residuais de água presentes no polissacarídeo (Croitoru et al., 2020). Para o espectro da SER (Fig. 3b), uma banda de absorção atribuída à deformação axial dos grupos $\nu(\text{NH}_2)$ pode ser observada em 3465 cm^{-1} , banda larga em $2.960 - 2.850\text{ cm}^{-1}$ vibrações de deformação axial nos átomos de hidrogênio ligados a carbono, sobreposta a banda da ligação de hidrogênio intramolecular de OH com C=O. O espectro também revelou a presença de uma banda de absorção em 1589 cm^{-1} associada à deformação axial assimétrica dos grupos $\nu(\text{COO}^-)$ presentes na estrutura química da SER (Lambie et al., 2004). O espectro do ATX (Fig. 3d) exibiu banda larga de 3000 a 2200 cm^{-1} de intensidade moderada de vibrações de deformação axial nos átomos de hidrogênio ligados a carbono, oxigênio e nitrogênio (C-H, O-H e N-H), onde OH e NH associados a ligações diméricas ou poliméricas, e os picos 2920 e 2864 cm^{-1} relacionadas à deformação axial simétrica e assimétrica dos grupos $\nu(\text{CH}_2)$, respectivamente. A absorção na região 2200 cm^{-1} é associada às vibrações de deformação axial de deformações angulares de N-H e $-\text{NH}_2$. As bandas de absorção em 1636 e 1532 cm^{-1} atribuídas à deformação axial dos grupos $\nu(\text{C}=\text{O})$ e a deformação angular dos grupos $\delta(\text{NH}_2)$, respectivamente. No espectro também foi possível observar bandas de absorção em 1380 cm^{-1} associada à deformação axial simétrica dos grupos $\nu(\text{COO}^-)$ (Shaikh et al., 2015).

O espectro FTIR da amostra $\iota\text{C}:\text{XIL}:\text{SER}$ (Fig. 3e) apresentou as bandas de absorção típicas da ιC , XIL e SER; comparado aos espectros dos materiais puros, a principal diferença no espectro da $\iota\text{C}:\text{XIL}:\text{SER}$ reside no descolamento da banda de absorção dos grupos $\nu(\text{OH})$ para menor número de onda. Esse deslocamento pode estar relacionado à redução de grupos OH livres devido à formação de novas ligações de hidrogênio entre ιC , XIL e SER (Robert M. Silverstein, Francis X. Webster, n.d.). Ao comparar os espectros de $\iota\text{C}:\text{XIL}:\text{SER}$ (Fig. 3e) com os espectros de $\iota\text{C}:\text{XIL}:\text{SER}:\text{ATX}-1\%$ (Fig. 3f) e $\iota\text{C}:\text{XIL}:\text{SER}:\text{ATX}-2\%$ (Fig. 3g), as principais

diferenças são observadas na região de 2200 cm^{-1} , e entre 1600 cm^{-1} e 1300 cm^{-1} . As formulações $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER:ATX-1\%}$ e $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER:ATX-2\%}$, apresentaram banda de absorção característica às vibrações de deformação axial de deformações angulares de N-H e -NH₂ do ácido tranexâmico em 2200 cm^{-1} . O surgimento dos picos em 1535 cm^{-1} e 1383 cm^{-1} , característicos do ATX, confirmam sua inserção à formulação (Muthu & Prabhakaran, 2014; Shaikh et al., 2015). A absorção dos grupos $\nu(\text{OH})$ para menor número de onda (3470 cm^{-1}) também foi evidenciada nestas formulações semelhante espectro da $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER}$.

A capacidade de um material hemostático em absorver líquidos é um dos mecanismos associados à sua ação no controle hemorrágico (Pan et al., 2017). Portanto, a capacidade de intumescimento do pó liofilizado de $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER}$, $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER:ATX-1\%}$ e $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER:ATX-2\%}$ foi determinada usando uma solução tampão fosfato pH 7,4 (mimetizando o pH fisiológico). A amostra de $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER}$ absorveu 10,3 g de solução tampão pH 7,4 por grama da amostra em pó, enquanto as amostras $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER:ATX-1\%}$ e $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER:ATX-2\%}$ foram capazes de absorver 6,6 g e 6,2 g de solução tampão pH 7,4 por grama da amostra em pó, respectivamente. Essa redução na capacidade de intumescimento das amostras após adição do ATX pode estar relacionada à redução dos grupos -OH livres, conforme mostrou a análise por FT-IR. Embora a presença de ATX tenha reduzido a capacidade de intumescimento da matriz de $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER}$, os valores de intumescimento foram próximos àqueles reportados em estudos prévios de SU e colaboradores (2019), onde micropartículas contendo diferentes concentrações de ATX (1% e 2%) apresentaram intumescimento médio 3,5 vezes menor daquele observado em nosso estudo, estando a redução da capacidade de intumescimento igualmente condicionada ao aumento da concentração de ATX.

Minimizar a lixiviação dos materiais que compõem o agente hemostático para a corrente sanguínea é essencial para mitigar possíveis efeitos tóxicos do produto. Portanto, a perda de massa do pó de $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER}$, $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER:ATX-1\%}$ e $\iota\text{C:XIL:SER:ATX-2\%}$ após teste de

intumescimento foram $5,26\% \pm 2,82\%$, $7,5\% \pm 1,45\%$ e $12,66\% \pm 1,41\%$, respectivamente. Como podemos observar, há uma tendência de aumento da perda de massa do pó preparado com o aumento da quantidade de ATX presente na matriz. Considerando a natureza hidrofílica do ATX e sua baixa massa molar ($157,21 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$), este resultado indica que o aumento da perda de massa observado com o aumento na concentração de ATX pode estar relacionado à sua lixiviação da matriz.

A tendência de intumescimento refletiu a análise de coagulação, que avaliou o período necessário para o sangue perder a fluidez e formar coágulos. Nas análises de 20 mg mL^{-1} e 40 mg mL^{-1} , os pós liofilizados de $\text{tC:XIL:SER:ATX-1\%}$ e $\text{tC:XIL:SER:ATX-2\%}$ apresentaram efeito limitado na formação do coágulo, quando comparadas à formulação tC:XIL:SER , isenta de ATX. Contudo, na concentração de 60 mg mL^{-1} as três formulações se comportaram de forma semelhante, sendo capazes de coagular todo o conteúdo sanguíneo em 5 minutos (Fig. 4a).

O controle com sangue recalcificado atingiu completa coagulação após 10 minutos e as amostras tratadas com 60 mg mL^{-1} do pó liofilizado de tC:XIL:SER , $\text{tC:XIL:SER:ATX-1\%}$ e $\text{tC:XIL:SER:ATX-2\%}$ induziram a coagulação em 30 segundos. Essa redução no tempo de coagulação pode estar associada à combinação de dois fatores: primeiro, a notável capacidade do pó preparado em absorver água – componente majoritário do sangue, conforme mostrou a análise de intumescimento; segundo, a atividade antifibrinolítica do ATX que resulta no retardo da fibrinólise, ou seja, a dissolução do coágulo (Hickman et al., 2018; Taam et al., 2020).

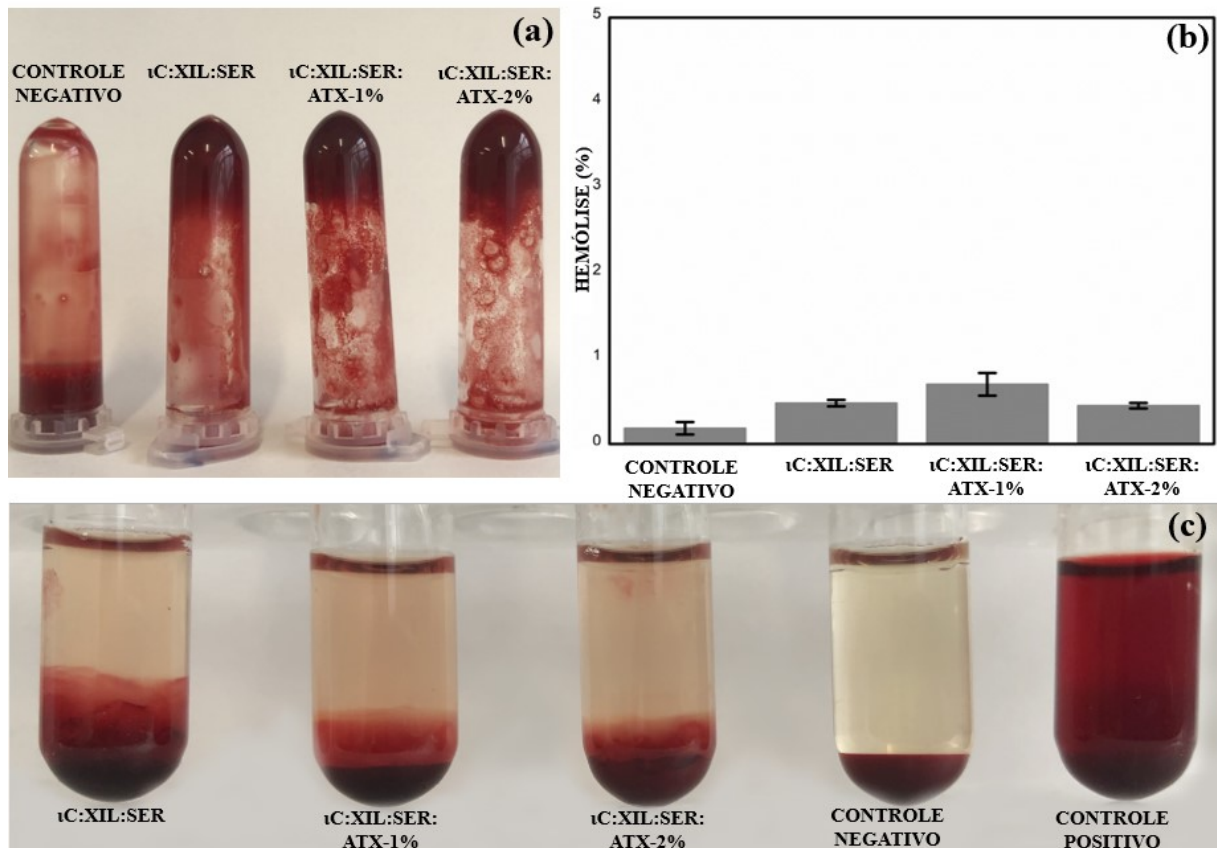


Fig. 4. Coagulação do sangue recalcificado (controle negativo) e sangue recalcificado tratado com 60 mg mL^{-1} do pó liofilizado após 5 minutos (a). Taxa de hemólise do sangue tratado com 60 mg mL^{-1} do pó liofilizado e controle negativo (sangue + salina 0,9%) (b). Atividade hemolítica do sangue tratado com 60 mg mL^{-1} do pó liofilizado (c).

A compatibilidade sanguínea das amostras de ι C:XIL:SER, ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-2% foi investigada através da atividade hemolítica e dissociação de hemoglobina. Como pode ser observado na Fig. 4c, o sobrenadante das soluções sangue/salina expostas as amostras preparadas nesse estudo apresentaram aspecto límpido similar ao controle negativo. Para que um material seja considerado biocompatível é estabelecido um limite máximo de 5% de hemólise (Su et al., 2019). Os valores de taxa de hemólise das amostras de ι C:XIL:SER, ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e ι C:XIL:SER:ATX-2% foram iguais a $0,484\% \pm 0,038\%$, $0,702\% \pm 0,131\%$ e $0,482\% \pm 0,033\%$, respectivamente (Fig. 4b), confirmando a compatibilidade sanguínea do material hemostático preparado nesse estudo.

4. Conclusão

Os resultados apresentados nesse estudo revelaram o potencial de aplicação do material hemostático no manejo de hemorragias em diferentes cenários. A forma irregular das partículas do pó preparado combinada à inerente característica hidrofílica dos polissacarídeos e a atividade antifibrinolítica do ATX contribuíram para a notável atividade coagulante das amostras α C:XIL:SER:ATX-1% e α C:XIL:SER:ATX-2%. Ademais, a hemocompatibilidade das amostras preparadas nesse estudo sustenta seu caráter promissor.

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