

# Collagen Induction Therapy in Mouse ( IPL vs. Micro-needling )

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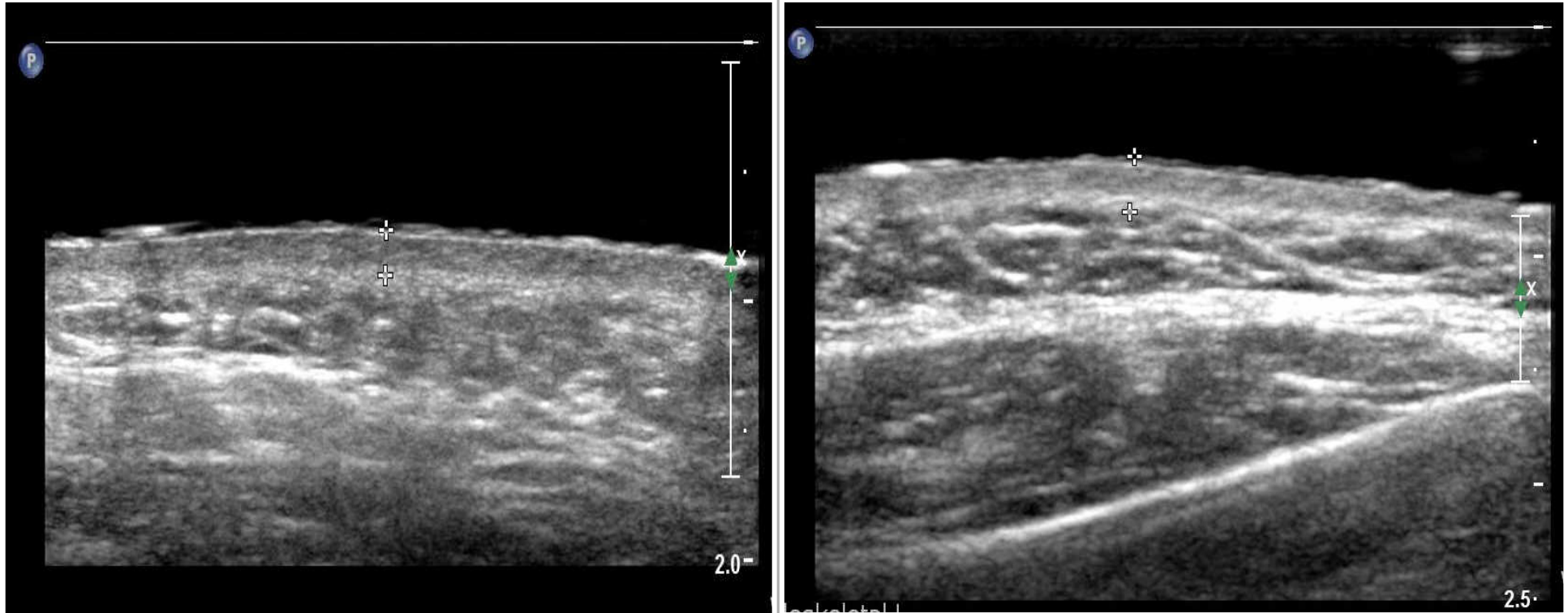
**Background**

# Poster 141

5 months later



# Poster 141



5 months later

Longitudinal: 1.91mm



Longitudinal: 2.44mm

# Photo-rejuvenation

- IPL



# Mechanical collagen inducing

- Micro-needling therapy (MTS)



**Object**

## **IPL VS. micro-needling**



**Skin thickness (calipers)**

**Microscopic evaluation (MT stain)**

**Collagen quantitative analysis**



**Collagen synthesis?**

# Materials & Methods



1. Mouse (ICR)

Total: 54 ( Control: 18 IPL: 18 MTS: 18 )

2. Chemical epilation

Thioglycolic acid 80% (니크린 크림™, 일동제약, Korea)

3. IPL

Intense pulsed light (Ellipse, DDD, Denmark)

4. Micro-needling

Microneedle therapy system (Dermaroller™, Clinical resolution, USA)

5. Caliper

Pocket thickness gage (Mituyoto™, Mituyoto corp., Japan)

6. MT staining

7. ELISA

Sircol Collagen kit (Biocolor Ltd., Belfast Northern Ireland)

8. Western blot

**IPL (VL-2, 10.5J, 1 pass)**

**0 week      2 weeks      4 weeks      8 weeks**

**Dermaroller 0.5mm (5 pass = 15 strokes)**

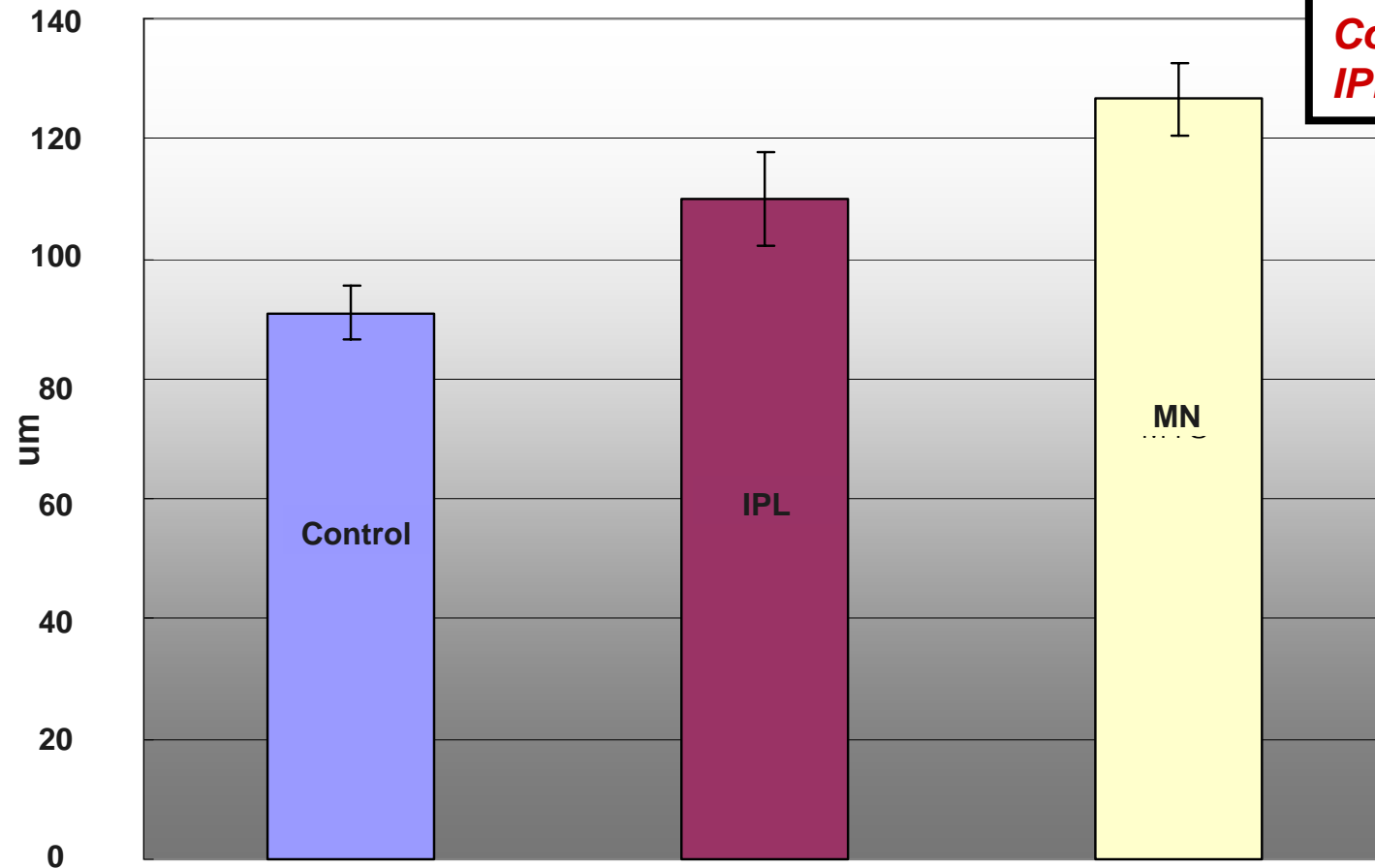
- Skin thickness**
- Bx.**
- Histology**
- ELISA**
- Western blot**

**Result**

# Skin thickness (um)

control	IPL	Micro-needling
93	92	113
95	127	129
110	86	123
80	102	127
102	100	106
84	118	127
93	101	128
80	113	113
82	111	133
82	97	117
88	107	132
104	110	123
95	108	128
104	132	133
86	128	110
87	86	153
86	137	146
87	125	138

# Skin thickness



***p-value***  
***Control-IPL: 0.000***  
***Control-MN: 0.000***  
***IPL-MN: 0.001***

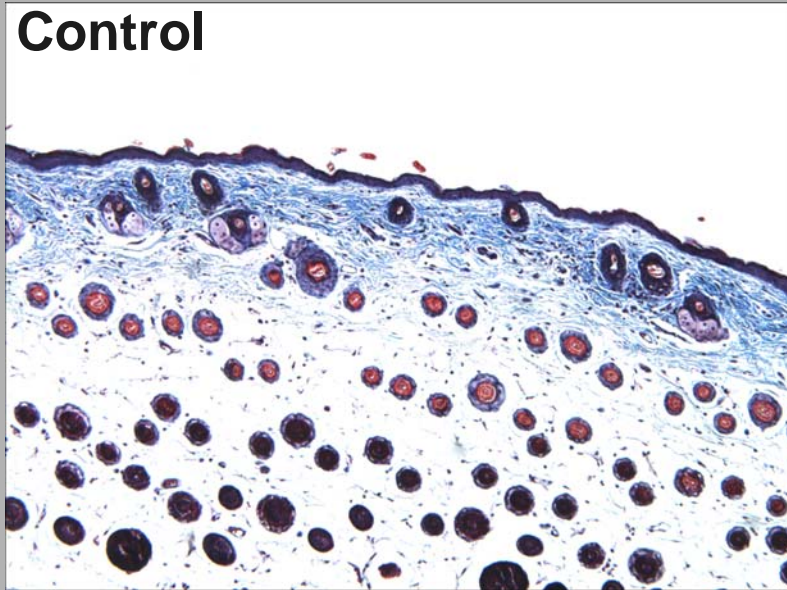
**91.0±4.5**

**110.0±7.7**

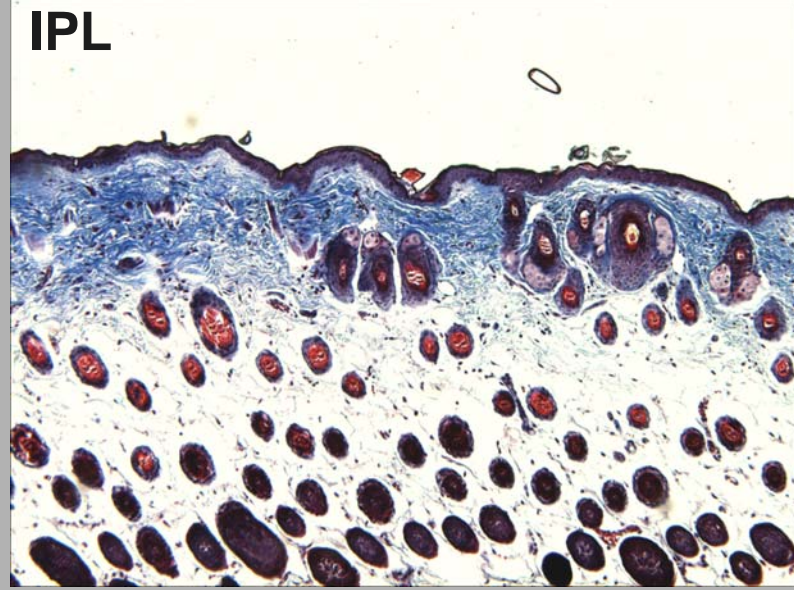
**126.7±6.1**

# Histology ( MT stain , X 100)

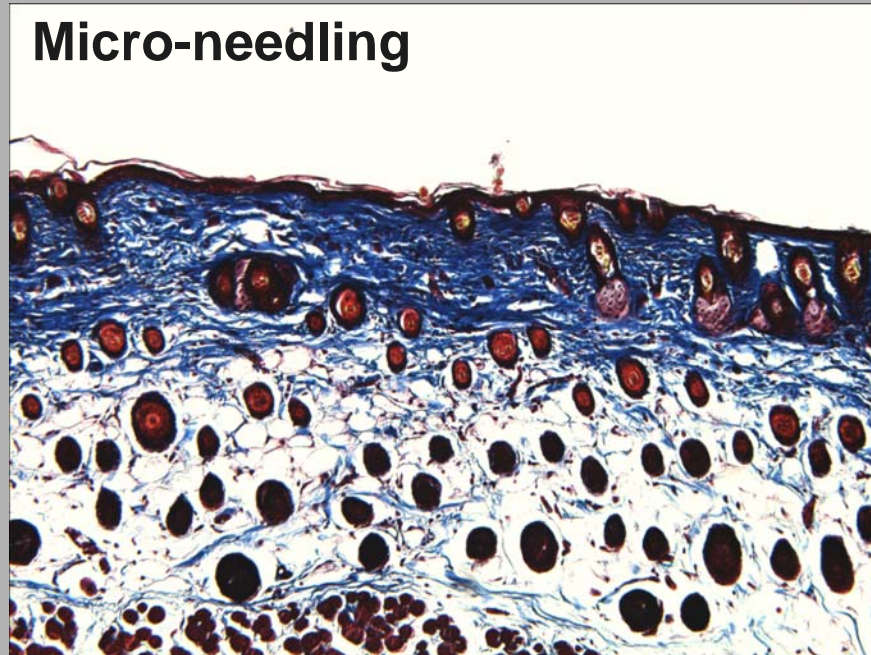
**Control**



**IPL**



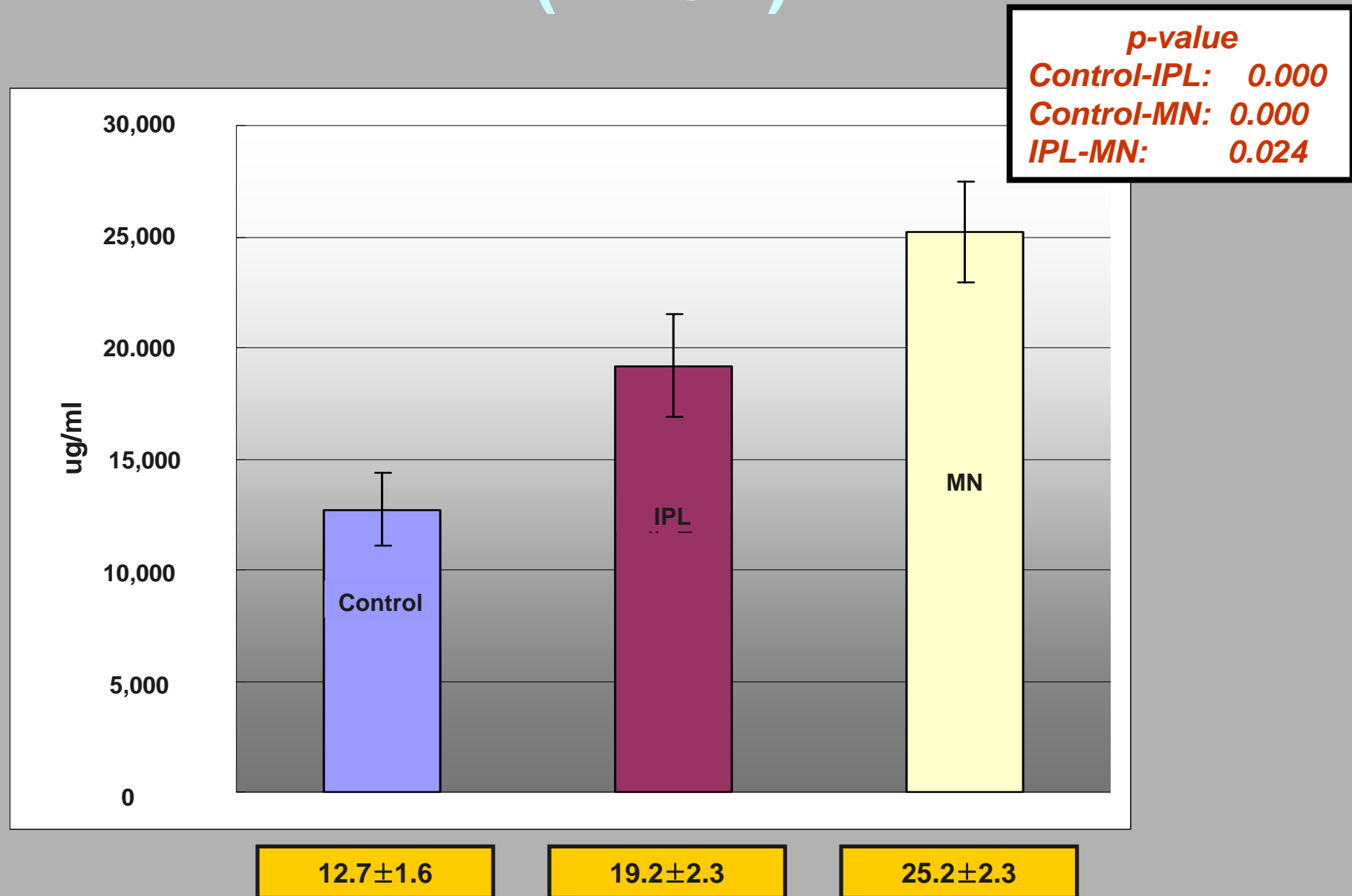
**Micro-needling**



# Collagen quantitative analysis (ELISA)

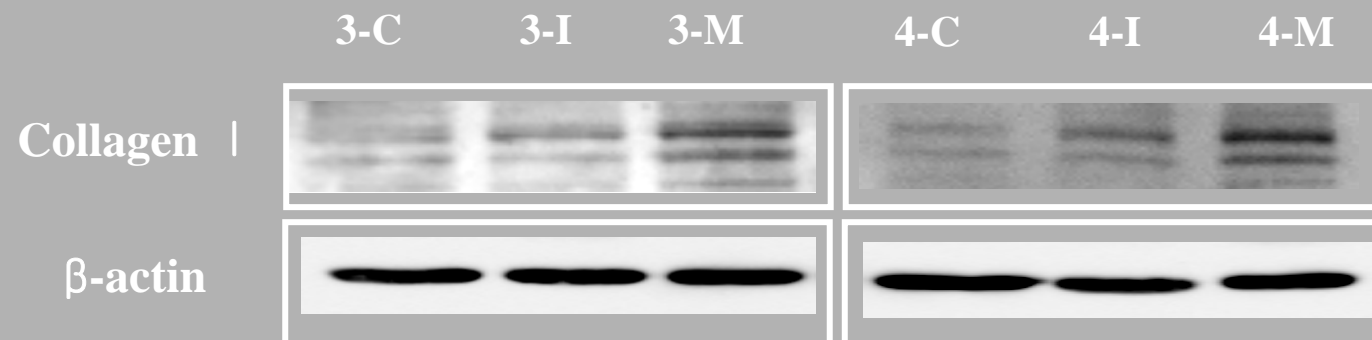
control	IPL	Micro-needling
13.873	22.298	23.600
13.683	21.957	53.300
16.027	15.069	20.877
12.275	21.776	16.108
7.470	17.425	26.460
14.101	29.545	41.100
10.749	13.702	23.768
18.218	23.094	21.886
19.957	17.606	12.921
10.796	19.176	31.921
16.111	9.756	21.080
8.636	15.165	20.225
10.253	17.554	19.683
11.032	20.425	29.178
9.757	16.298	18.916
11.790	18.642	21.909
12.180	24.741	20.448
11.791	21.253	29.942

# Collagen quantitative analysis (ELISA)





# Collagen quantitative analysis (Western blot)



**1. Skin thickness:**

**Control < IPL < Micro-needling**

**2. MT Stain (collagen fiber):**

**Control < IPL < Micro-needling**

**3. Collagen quantitative analysis (ELISA,WB):**

**Control < IPL < Micro-needling**

**Conclusion**

# Micro-needling

mechanical collagen inducing Tx.



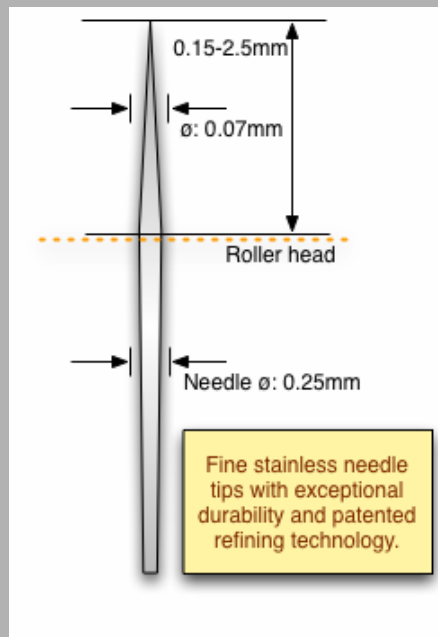
Rejuvenation, Pore, Acne scar

# Micro-needle therapy system (MTS)

– Natural response to wounding the skin

**Penetrate (1.5mm)**

**Chemical cascade**



**Fibroblast growth factor**

**Transforming growth factor**

**Platelet derived growth factor**

Collagen III (acute phase)  
Collagen I (several years)

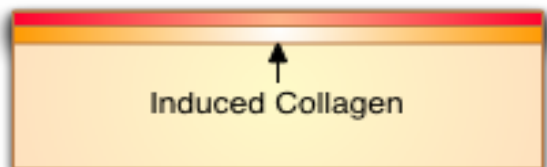
Collagen and elastin  
production

## LASER RE-SURFACING



The laser evaporates the epidermis.

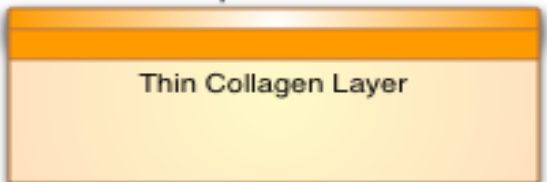
Epidermis evaporated with  
**2nd degree burn.**



Induced Collagen

**Risks:** Burns, long healing process,  
long light sensitivity, pigment problems,  
Possible scarring.

Thin Epidermis level.



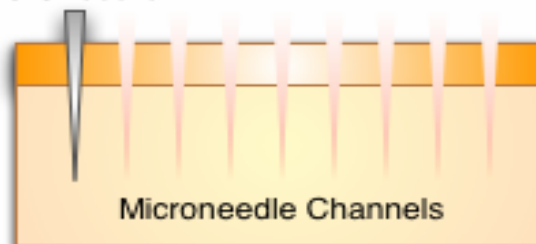
Thin Collagen Layer

Duration for healing and formation of  
a new collagen layer:

**About 6 months**

## MICRONEEDLE THERAPY

Microneedle



Microneedle Channels

The penetration channels are closed  
within minutes and hours.

Preserved and intact epidermis.

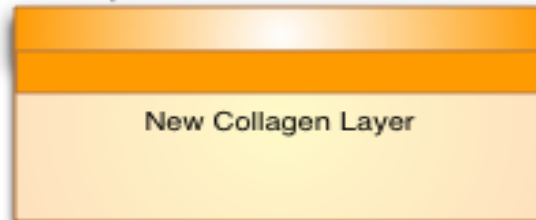


Induced Collagen

The induced collagen forms a new  
confluent layer.

**Fast healing and minimal risks.**

Epidermis level is thickened.



New Collagen Layer

Duration for healing and formation of  
a new collagen layer:

**Maximum 2 months**