



**CALIFORNIA STATE SCIENCE FAIR
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Project Title Which Substance Has the Most Effect on Inhibiting Platelet Adhesion?	
<p style="text-align: center;">Abstract</p> <p>Objectives/Goals I wanted to see which medicine would have the most effect on the platelet activity.</p> <p>Methods/Materials I used the Surgicutt Jr. bleeding time tester and blotting papers. I also used Aspirin, Ginkgo Biloba, Ginseng, and Garlic. I conducted the bleeding time test after the subjects took a controlled amount of each substance.</p> <p>Results The aspirin was by far the most effective blood thinner. The Ginseng was the most effective herb.</p> <p>Conclusions/Discussion My hypothesis was partially correct. Aspirin was the most effective of all but garlic wasn't the most effective herb. Ginseng was.</p>	
Summary Statement Finding what medicine effected platelets most.	
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