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Antimicrobial Assessment of One Coated Fabric Sample

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One coated fabric sample, treated with Ultra-Fresh DW-30, was received from Vinteks San Tic Ltd. STI on January 16, 2014. At Thomson Research Associates Inc., the sample was tested for antimicrobial activity using a quantitative test method.

PROCEDURE

Quantitative Antibacterial Assessment:

ISO 22196:2011 was used to quantitatively test the specimen for antibacterial activity. In brief:

- 1. The sample was placed into a container with a lid.
- 2. A 0.3 mL inoculum of Methicillin Resistant *Staphylococcus aureus* (ATCC #33591) was placed, in microdroplets, on the surface of the samples. Sterile films were placed over the inoculum to encourage good contact.
- 3. The specimen was incubated 24 hours at 37C.
- 4. 20 mL of Letheen broth was added to the container and shook. The liquid was plated using dilution techniques.
- 5. The "Value of Antimicrobial Activity" was carried out using the formula

 $R = [\log (B/C)]$

Where:

R= value of antimicrobial activity

B = Average of the number of viable cells of bacteria on the untreated test piece after 24 hours

C = Average of the number of viable cells of bacteria on the antimicrobial test piece after 24 hours.

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RESULTS

Quantitative Assessment of Activity - ISO 22196:2011 MRSA						
Concentration of starting inoculum				1.02×10^5		
Sample Description			No. Bacteria Recovered	Log Value	$\mathbf{R} = [\log(\mathbf{B}/\mathbf{C})]$	% Reduction
Inocolum Control			3.66×10^5	5.6		
1	Burghley	Coated	<2.00 x 10 ¹	<1.3	>4.3	>99.9%
		Non-coated	<2.00 x 10 ¹	<1.3	>4.3	>99.9%

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