

STEAM PENETRATION/AIR REMOVAL (BOWIE DICK) TEST

(Ref. SOP VAL-175)

| Project Number | Autoclave Number | | |
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1. Objective

This test is to be completed once in order to confirm the qualified state of the autoclave for air removal.

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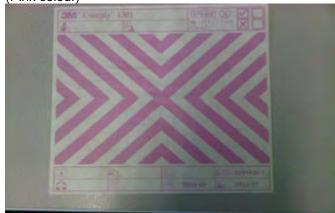
| • | | | | Sign/Date |
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| 2.2 | Place the Bowie Dick Pack in Cycle. | the chamber and p | enomi bowie dick | |
| | | Cycle Number | | |
| 2.3 | Record Cycle Number. | | | |
| | | Batch Number | Expiry Date | |
| 2.4 | Record pack Batch Number and Expiry Date. | | | |
| | | | | Sign/Date |
| 2.5 | Retrieve the indicator card and c | omplete Table 1. | | |

Table 1. Results- Bowie Dick Pack

| Acceptance Criteria | Acceptable (Yes/No) | Sign/Date |
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| The indicator card shows a uniform colour change (See Figure 1 and 2) throughout the indicator (attach a picture of the test sheet to this document). | | |
| The card was exposed to the specific temperatures and duration as per the manufacturer's instructions. | | |

Figure 1. Test sheet BEFORE processing (Blue colour) Figure 2. Test sheet showing PASS condition (Pink colour)





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| | | Sign/Date |
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| 2.6 Complete End Cycle Checks (Table 2). | | |
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| Table 2. End of Cycle Checks- Bowie Dick Pack | | |
| Acceptance Criteria | Acceptable (Yes/No) | Sign/Date |
| No alarms observed during cycle. | | |
| The process record, chart recorder print out, indicator card and picture has been attached to the protocol. | | |
| | | Sign/Date |
| 2.8 Attach a picture of the test sheet result to this document. | | |
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3. Completion

Upon completion of this test attach all documentation to the Validation Protocol.

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