

TS-TEX-10

Instructions for the biological monitoring of textile laundering processes

Area of application:

The test system contains the biological indicator SIMICON TEX according to ISO 15883. It is designed for the validation and routine monitoring of textile laundering processes.

Testing procedure:

1. Add the biological indicators (strips in fleece/foil packaging) to a regular wash load. To avoid loss of the indicators we recommend using differently coloured laundry nets or specially marked pillow-cases.
2. One of the biological indicators serves as growth and transport control. Do not process this control indicator.
3. Check the chosen programme.
4. Start the process.
5. Fill in the test report.
Note: Make sure to enter all data concerning temperature, cleaning agent and disinfectant.
6. At the end of the washing programme remove the biological indicators from the wash load and seal them in the PE-bags provided.
Work aseptically! Sanitize your hands before removing the biological indicators!
7. Send the biological indicators with transport control and test report to SIMICON GMBH.
Note: Don't forget to add your address, telephone and fax number on the test report!
8. As soon as the biological assessment has been completed, SIMICON will return the test report including test results to you.