

SLOSH BOX 100

FLUSHABILITY TESTER



Declaration of flushability becomes more and more important in line with the increasing use of consumable wipes made of nonwoven materials. Incorrect or non-existent labelling for flushability causes problems with clogging, blockages and equipment failure in the conveyance and wastewater treatment systems. The guidelines drawn up by INDA/EDANA and IWSFG include a number of tests, which assist producers in verifying the flushability of their products.

Lenzing Instruments **SLOSH BOX 100** performs the Slosh Box Disintegration Test (INDA/EDANA FG502.R1(18); IWSFG PAS 3:2020), which assesses the potential for a product to disintegrate when it is subjected to mechanical agitation in water.

The instrument allows for simultaneous testing of up to three samples, which are tilted back and forth for a preset test duration and at a predefined oscillating speed.

With **SLOSH BOX 100**, the disintegration test of your nonwoven products are fulfilled automatically, without any subjective influence of the operator. **SLOSH BOX 100** offers efficient testing and reproducible results according to current guidelines.



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Scope:

Automatic and reproducible testing of the disintegration of nonwoven materials according to FG502.R1(18); of the INDA/EDANA guidance document for assessing the flushability of nonwovens as well as according to PAS 3:2020 of IWSFG.

Method:

A nonwoven sample is put into a container filled with water or wastewater. Automatic oscillating movements of the container forces a disintegration of the sample. After a specified test duration, the residuals are analyzed. Up to three samples can be tested simultaneously.

Results:

The residuals of the nonwoven material are rinsed through a sieve. Particles which are retained on the sieve are collected and analyzed gravimetrically. In order for a product to pass the test, a certain percentage of the sample's initial dry mass has to pass through the sieve. This condition must be met for a defined amount of all tested specimen. Exact specifications depend on the applied guidance.

Number of containers:

There are 3 containers for simultaneous testing of up to 3 samples.

Max. filling capacity of sample container:

4 l

Water volume INDA/EDANA: 2 l

Water volume WSFG: 4 l

Sieve:

Perforated plate with sieve opening:

INDA/EDANA 12.5 mm

WSFG 25.0 mm

Duration oscillating movement:

Freely adjustable: 1 - 720 min

Test standards:

INDA/EDANA 60 min

WSFG 30 min

Driving speed:

Freely adjustable: 5 - 50 rpm

Test standards:

INDA/EDANA 26 rpm

WSFG 18 rpm

Power supply:

230/115 VAC \pm 10%

50/60 Hz

Dimensions:

Length: 565 mm

Width: 1040 mm

Height: 545 mm

Weight: 65 kg

Dimensions sample container:

Length: 457 mm

Width: 305 mm

Height: 191 mm

Technical data and pictures are subject to change.

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