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Report ID : 298842

Report Information

Submitting Organisation : 00121312 : Arad Ltd
Account : 142320 : Arad Ltd
AWQC Reference : 142320-2020-CSR-2 : Prod Test: PD 3/4" Q3 = 4 140, 152, 154 Water Meter
Project Reference : PT-4368
Product Designation : PD 3/4" Q3 = 4 Water Meter Type
Composition of Product : Polyamide Polymer Body (see attachments for composition of materials).
Product Manufacturer : Arad Ltd., Kibbutz Dalia, ISRAEL.
Use of Product : In-Line/Plastic Body Water Meter.
Sample Selection: As provided by the submitting organisation.
Testing Requested : **AS/NZS 4020 TESTING OF PRODUCTS FOR USE IN CONTACT WITH DRINKING WATER**
Product Type : Composite
Samples : Samples were prepared and controlled as described in Appendix A of AS/NZS 4020:2018
Extracts : Extracts were prepared as described in Appendix/Clause C, D, E, F, G, H, 6.8.
Project Completion Date : 18-Dec-2020
Project Comment : The results presented herein demonstrate compliance of PD 3/4" Q3 = 4 Water Meter Type to AS/NZS 4020 when tested at the 'in-the-product' exposure with a 0.1 scaling factor at 20°C ± 2°C.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS REPORT SHALL NOT BE REPRODUCED EXCEPT IN FULL

THE RESULTS STATED IN THIS REPORT RELATE TO THE SAMPLE OF THE PRODUCT SUBMITTED FOR TESTING. ANY CHANGES IN THE MATERIAL FORMULATION, PROCESS OF MANUFACTURE, THE METHOD OF APPLICATION, OR THE SURFACE AREA-TO-VOLUME RATIO IN THE END USE, COULD AFFECT THE SUITABILITY OF THE PRODUCT FOR USE IN CONTACT WITH DRINKING WATER

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Summary of Results

APPENDIX/CLAUSE	RESULTS
C – Taste	Passed at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.
D – Appearance	Passed at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.
E – Growth of Aquatic Micro-organisms	Passed when tested at the in-use exposure.
F – Cytotoxic Activity	Passed at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.
G – Mutagenic Activity	Passed at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.
H – Metals	Passed at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.
6.8 – Organic Compounds	Passed at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.

Test Methods

Test(s) in Appendix	AWQC Test Method	Reference Method
C	T0320-01	AS/NZS 4020:2018
D	TO029-01 & TO018-01	APHA 2120c & APHA 2130b
E	TO014-03	APHA 4500 O G
F	TM-001	AS/NZS 4020:2018
G	TM-002	AS/NZS 4020:2018
H	TIC-006	EPA 200.8

Organic Test Methods

Test(s) in Clause	Test Method	Reference Method
Clause 6.8	TMZ-M36	USEPA524.2
	EP239	USEPA521
	EP132-LL	USEPA_SW846-8270D
	EP075C	USEPA_SW846-8270D
	EP075ASIM	USEPA_SW846-8270D



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Summary Comment : Not applicable.

CLAUSE 6.2 Taste

Sample Description The meter was tested at the in-the-product exposure. Each meter held approximately 210 mL of water. Extracts were prepared using 1000 mL volumes of 50 mg/L hardness water.

Extraction Temperature 20°C ± 2°C.

Test Method Taste (Appendix C)

Test Information

Scaling Factor A scaling factor of 0.1 was applied.

Results Not detected.

Evaluation The product passed the requirements of clause 6.2 when tested at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.

Number of Samples 2.

Test Comment Not applicable.

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CLAUSE 6.3 Appearance

Sample Description The meter was tested at the in-the-product exposure. Each meter held approximately 210 mL of water. Extracts were prepared using 1000 mL volumes of 50 mg/L hardness water.

Extraction Temperature 20°C ± 2°C.

Test Method Appearance (Appendix D)

Scaling Factor A scaling factor of 0.1 was applied.

Results

	<u>Test (- Blank)</u>	<u>Maximum Allowed</u>	<u>Units</u>
Colour	<1	5	HU
Turbidity	<0.1	0.5	NTU

Evaluation The product passed the requirements of clause 6.3 when tested at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.

Number of Samples 1.

Test Comment Not applicable.

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CLAUSE 6.4 Growth of Aquatic Micro-organisms

Sample Description The non-metallic components were immersed at the in-use exposure. The surface area was in the range 1000 mm² per Litre and 15,000 mm² per Litre. Extracts were prepared using 1000 mL volumes of test water.

Test Method Growth of Aquatic Micro-organisms (Appendix E)

Inoculum The volume of the inoculum was 600 mL

Scaling Factor Not applicable.

Results

Mean Dissolved Oxygen	Control	7.5 mg/L
Mean Dissolved Oxygen Difference	Positive Reference	5.7 mg/L
	Negative Reference	0.3 mg/L
	Test	0.60 mg/L

Evaluation The product passed the requirements of clause 6.4 when tested at the in-use exposure.

Number of Samples 1.

Test Comment Not applicable.

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CLAUSE 6.5 Cytotoxic Activity

Sample Description The meter was tested at the in-the-product exposure. Each meter held approximately 210 mL of water. Extracts were prepared using 1000 mL volumes of 50 mg/L hardness water.

Extraction Temperature 20°C ± 2°C.

Test Method Cytotoxic Activity (Appendix F)

Scaling Factor A scaling factor of 0.1 was applied.

Results Non-cytotoxic.

Evaluation The product passed the requirements of clause 6.5 when tested at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.

Number of Samples 1.

Test Comment The test extracts and blank extracts were used to prepare nutrient growth medium and subsequently used to grow a cell line (ATCC Number CCL 81) in the analysis. In addition zinc sulphate (0.4 mmol) was used for the positive control in the analysis.

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CLAUSE 6.6 Mutagenic Activity

Sample Description The meter was tested at the in-the-product exposure. Each meter held approximately 210 mL of water. Extracts were prepared using 1000 mL volumes of 50 mg/L hardness water.

Extraction Temperature 20°C ± 2°C.

Test Method Mutagenic Activity (Appendix G)

Scaling Factor A scaling factor of 0.1 was applied.

Results

Bacteria Strain	Number of Revertants per Plate				
	S9	Blank	Sample Extract	Positive Controls	
<i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> TA98	-	29, 26, 29	18, 30, 19	3894, 4301, 4158	<u>NPD (20µg)</u>
Mean ± Standard deviation		28.0 ± 1.7	22.3 ± 6.7	4117.7 ± 206.5	
	+	39, 41, 28	34, 37, 33	3243, 3764, 3081	<u>2-AF (20µg)</u>
Mean ± Standard deviation		36.0 ± 7.0	34.7 ± 2.1	3362.7 ± 356.9	
<i>Salmonella typhimurium</i> TA102	-	404, 475, 455	446, 455, 457	3466, 2473, 2518	<u>Mitomycin C(10µg)</u>
Mean ± Standard deviation		444.7 ± 36.6	452.7 ± 5.9	2819.0 ± 560.8	
	+	572, 584, 584	511, 412, 517	2029, 1856, 2071	
Mean ± Standard deviation		580.0 ± 6.9	480.0 ± 59.0	1985.3 ± 114.0	

Comments S9 was used as the metabolic activator. NPD (4-nitro-o-phenylenediamine) and Mitomycin C are specific positive controls for strains TA98 - and TA102 (- and +) respectively, while 2-AF (2-aminofluorene) when used in conjunction with S9 is a positive control for TA98+.

Evaluation The product passed the requirements of clause 6.6 when tested at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.

Number of Samples 1.

Test Comment Not applicable.

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CLAUSE 6.7 Metals

Sample Description The meter was tested at the in-the-product exposure. Each meter held approximately 210 mL of water. Extracts were prepared using 1000 mL volumes of 50 mg/L hardness water.

Extraction Temperature 20°C ± 2°C.

Test Method Metals (Appendix H)

Scaling Factor A scaling factor of 0.1 was applied.

Method of Analysis All methods used to determine concentrations of metals are based on those described in the US EPA method 200.8 Determination of Trace elements in Waters and Wastes by Inductively Coupled Plasma - Mass Spectrometry. The methods have been adapted for the instrumentation in use at the Australian Water Quality Centre. Concentration of the metals described in Table 2 of the AS/NZS 4020:2018 are determined as follows:

Aluminium, Antimony, Arsenic, Barium, Boron, Cadmium, Chromium, Copper, Iron, Lead, Manganese, Mercury, Molybdenum, Nickel, Selenium and Silver by Inductively Coupled Plasma Mass Spectrometry.

Results	Limit of Reporting mg/L	Blank mg/L	Test 1 mg/L	Test 2 mg/L	Max Allowed mg/L
Final Extract					
Aluminium	0.001	0.008	0.008	0.008	0.2
Antimony	0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0005	0.003
Arsenic	0.0003	<0.0003	<0.0003	<0.0003	0.01
Barium	0.0005	<0.0005	0.0008	0.0006	0.7
Boron	0.020	<0.020	<0.020	<0.020	1.4
Cadmium	0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.002
Chromium	0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.05
Copper	0.0001	<0.0001	0.0002	0.0002	2.0
Iron	0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0005	<0.0005	0.3
Lead	0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.01
Manganese	0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.1
Mercury	0.00003	<0.00003	<0.00003	<0.00003	0.001
Molybdenum	0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.05
Nickel	0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.02
Selenium	0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	<0.0001	0.01
Silver	0.00003	<0.00003	<0.00003	<0.00003	0.1

Evaluation The product passed the requirements of clause 6.7 when tested at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.

Number of Samples 1.

Test Comment Not applicable.

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CLAUSE 6.8 Organic Compounds

Sample Description The meter was tested at the in-the-product exposure. Each meter held approximately 210 mL of water. Extracts were prepared using 1000 mL volumes of 50 mg/L hardness water.

Extraction Temperature 20°C ± 2°C.

Test Method Organic Compounds (Clause 6.8). Max Allowed values are taken from the Australian Drinking Water Guidelines and Drinking-water Standards for New Zealand. Please note, some reported compounds have no guideline value.

Scaling Factor A scaling factor of 0.1 wa

Results

Organic Compound

Nitrosamines	Blank µg/L	Test µg/L	Max Allowed
External Lab Report No.	ES2032950	ES2032950	
1-Nitrosopiperidine (NPip)	<0.003	<0.003	
1-Nitrosopyrrolidine (NPyr)	<0.01	<0.01	
Nitrosomorpholine (NMor)	<0.003	<0.003	
N-Nitrosodiethylamine (NDEA)	<0.01	<0.01	
N-Nitrosodimethylamine (NDMA)	0.004	<0.003	0.1 µg/L
N-Nitrosodi-n-propylamine (NDPA)	<0.003	<0.003	
N-Nitrosomethylethylamine (NMEA)	<0.003	<0.003	

Organic Compound

Phenols	Blank µg/L	Test µg/L	Max Allowed
External Lab Report No.	ES2032950	ES2032950	
2 4 5-trichlorophenol	<1.0	<1.0	
2 4 6-trichlorophenol	<1.0	<1.0	20 µg/L
2 4-dichlorophenol	<1.0	<1.0	200 µg/L
2 4-dimethylphenol	<1.0	<1.0	
2 6-dichlorophenol	<1.0	<1.0	
2-chlorophenol	<1.0	<1.0	300 µg/L
2-nitrophenol	<1.0	<1.0	
4-chloro-3-methylphenol	<1.0	<1.0	
m+p cresol	<2.0	<2.0	
o-cresol	<1.0	<1.0	
pentachlorophenol	<2.0	<2.0	9 µg/L
phenol	<1.0	<1.0	



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Organic Compound

Phthalate Esters

	Blank µg/L	Test µg/L	Max Allowed
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Bis(2-ethylhexyl) phthalate	<10	<10	10 µg/L
Butyl benzyl phthalate	<2	<2	
Di(2-ethylhexyl) adipate	<2	<2	
Diethyl phthalate	<2	<2	
Dimethyl phthalate	<2	<2	
Di-n-butyl phthalate	<2	<2	
Di-n-octyl phthalate	<2	<2	

Organic Compound

Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons

	Blank µg/L	Test µg/L	Max Allowed
!External Lab Report No.	ES2032950	ES2032950	
Acenaphthene	<0.02	<0.02	
Acenaphthylene	<0.02	<0.02	
Anthracene	<0.02	<0.02	
Benzo(a)anthracene	<0.02	<0.02	
Benzo(a)pyrene	<0.005	<0.005	0.01 µg/L
Benzo(a)pyrene TEQ	<0.005	<0.005	
Benzo(b+j)fluoranthene	<0.02	<0.02	
Benzo(ghi)perylene	<0.02	<0.02	
Benzo(k)fluoranthene	<0.02	<0.02	
Chrysene	<0.02	<0.02	
Dibenzo(a-h)anthracene	<0.02	<0.02	
Fluoranthene	<0.02	<0.02	
Fluorene	<0.02	<0.02	
Indeno(123-cd)pyrene	<0.02	<0.02	
Naphthalene	<0.02	<0.02	
PAH - Total	<0.005	<0.005	
Phenanthrene	<0.02	<0.02	
Pyrene	<0.02	<0.02	



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Organic Compound

Volatile Organic Compounds GCMS

Organic Compound	Blank µg/L	Test µg/L	Max Allowed
1 1 1 2-Tetrachloroethane	<1	<1	
1 1 1-Trichloroethane	<1	<1	
1 1 2 2-Tetrachloroethane	<1	<1	
1 1 2-Trichloroethane	<1	<1	
1 1-Dichloropropene	<1	<1	
1 2 3-Trichlorobenzene	<1	<1	
1 2 3-Trichloropropane	<1	<1	
1 2 4-Trichlorobenzene	<1	<1	
1 2 4-Trimethylbenzene	<1	<1	
1 2-Dibromo-3-chloropropane	<1	<1	1 µg/L
1 2-Dibromoethane	<1	<1	1 µg/L
1 2-Dichlorobenzene	<1	<1	1500 µg/L
1 2-Dichloroethane	<1	<1	3 µg/L
1 2-Dichloropropane	<1	<1	
1 3 5-Trimethylbenzene	<1	<1	
1 3-Dichlorobenzene	<1	<1	
1 3-Dichloropropane	<1	<1	
1 4-Dichlorobenzene	<1	<1	40 µg/L
1,1-Dichloroethane	<1	<1	
1,1-Dichloroethene	<1	<1	30 µg/L
2,2-Dichloropropane	<1	<1	
2-Chlorotoluene	<1	<1	
4-Chlorotoluene	<1	<1	
4-Isopropyltoluene	<1	<1	
Benzene	<1	<1	1 µg/L
Bromobenzene	<1	<1	
Bromochloromethane	<1	<1	
Bromodichloromethane	<1	<1	60 µg/L
Bromoform	<1	<1	100 µg/L
Bromomethane	<4	<4	
Carbon tetrachloride	<1	<1	3 µg/L
Chlorobenzene	<1	<1	300 µg/L
Chloroethane	<4	<4	
Chloroform	<1	<1	400 µg/L
Chloromethane	<4	<4	
cis-1 3-Dichloropropene	<1	<1	
cis-1,2-Dichloroethene	<1	<1	
Dibromochloromethane	<1	<1	150 µg/L
Dibromomethane	<1	<1	
Dichlorodifluoromethane	<1	<1	
Dichloromethane	<4	<4	4 µg/L
Ethylbenzene	<1	<1	300 µg/L
Hexachlorobutadiene	<0.7	<0.7	0.7 µg/L
Isopropylbenzene	<1	<1	
m+p-Xylenes - Total	<2	<2	



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	Blank µg/L	Test µg/L	Max Allowed
Naphthalene	<1	<1	
n-Butylbenzene	<1	<1	
n-Propylbenzene	<1	<1	
o-Xylene	<1	<1	
sec-Butylbenzene	<1	<1	
Styrene	<1	<1	30 µg/L
tert-Butylbenzene	<1	<1	
Tetrachloroethene	<1	<1	50 µg/L
Toluene	<1	<1	800 µg/L
Total 1,2-dichloroethene	<2	<2	60 µg/L
Total 1,3-dichloropropene	<2	<2	20 µg/L
Total Trichlorobenzene	<2	<2	30 µg/L
Total Xylene	<3	<3	600 µg/L
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	<1	<1	
trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	<1	<1	
Trichloroethene	<1	<1	
Trichlorofluoromethane	<1	<1	
Trihalomethanes - Total	<4	<4	250 µg/L
Vinyl chloride	<0.3	<0.3	0.3 µg/L

Evaluation

The product passed the requirements of clause 6.8 when tested at the in-the-product exposure with a scaling factor of 0.1 applied.

Number of Samples 1.

Test Comment Not applicable.

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01	Deleting item no 11 from SKU 11255707 Add item no 57603809 to SKU 11255717, and 11255727	A20000259	19/07/2020	Moshik A.

Item No.	Cat. No.	Description	QTY	Remarks	REV.
11255707					
1	20613010	O-ring ID-64 W-1.5 EPDM 70	1		
2	20660109	O-ring ID-80 W-3 EPDM 70	1		
3	20660340	O-ring ID-82 W-3.5 S 50 DWA	1		
4	23161609	Wave spring ring PD20 Q3=4	1		
5	23162309	Measuring chamber adjusting ring PD20 3/4 Q=4	1		
6	24630809	Adaptor PD20 3/4 Q=4 INLINE	1		
7	25285939	Cover PD20 3/4 Q=4 GV-4 FWA INLINE	1		
8	25444109	Basket strainer PD 3/4 JANZ	1		
9	31137639	Body INLINE PD20 140 Q=4 GV-4 FWA for NRV AU	1		
10	54301189	Measuring chamber PD 3/4 Q=4 B	1		

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PD20 152 BSP 3/4 Q=4 w/o register B bs					
9a	31136839	Body INLINE PD20 3/4 152 BSP Q=4 GV-4 FWA for NRV	1		
11	57603809	Check valve OF20-DN20	2		0 1

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11	57603809	Check valve OF20-DN20	2		0 1

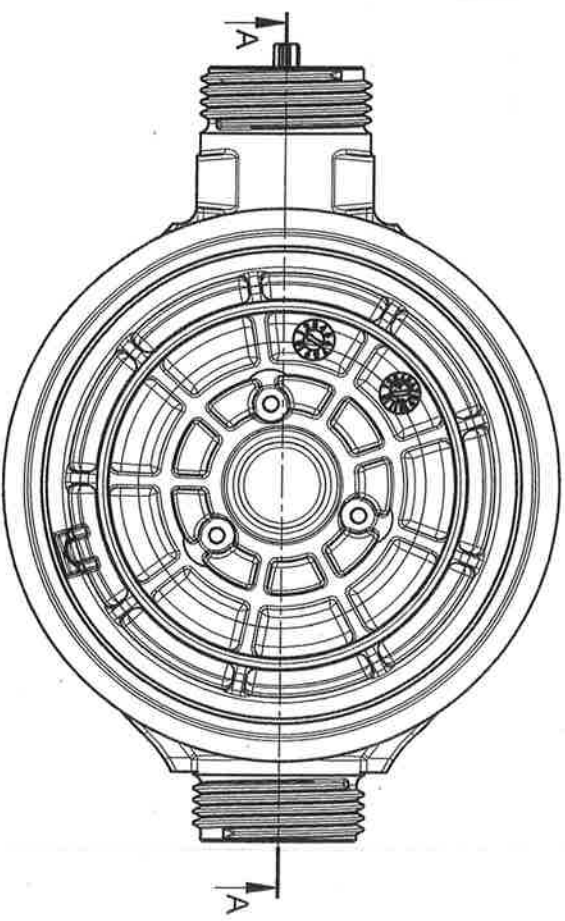
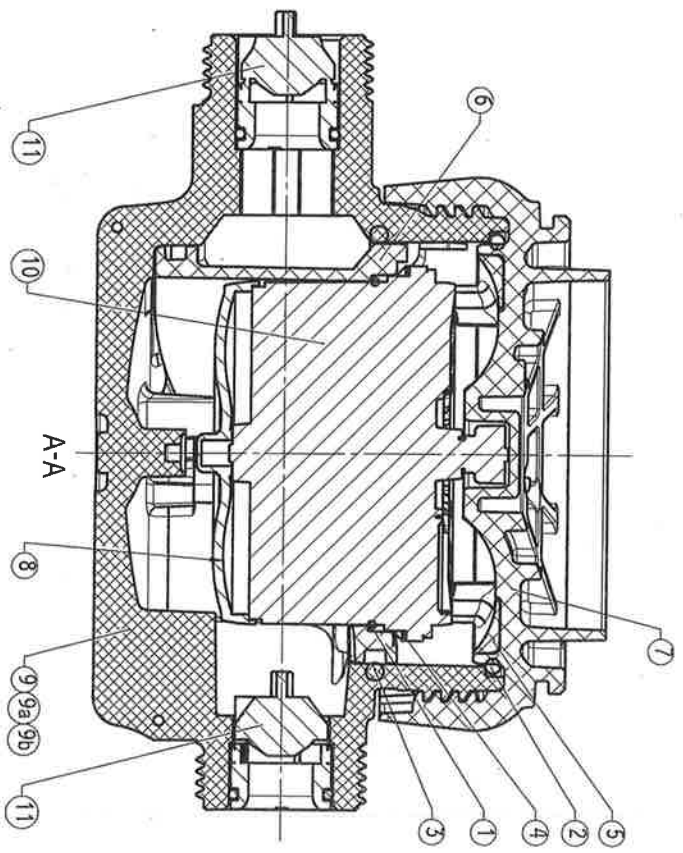
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Yana	02/09/2015	PD20 3/4 Q3=4 140,152,154 w/o register	
Gary W	02/09/2015	FOR DRINKING WATER APPROVAL	
Gary W	02/09/2015	ISO 2768	0.5-6 6-30 30-120 120-400 400-1000
Officer C	02/09/2015	TOLERANCE	±0.1 ±0.2 ±0.3 ±0.5 ±0.8 ±30°

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