Analytical and Environmental Services Laboratory



Test Report for Respirators





Company: Ronco Disposable Products Inc.

ATTN: Dariush Firouzi

Address: 70 Planchet Road

Concord, ON

L4K 2C7

PO: Wire

Samples Received: 23

Sample Description: White Respirator

Test: Sodium Chloride (NaCl) Aerosol

Particulate Filtration Efficiency

Method: TWI N95PFE

Reference No: 42 CFR 84 Subpart K § 84.181

Flow Rate: 85 LPM

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Filter ID	Test	Date Tested	Initial Filter Resistance (mmH2O)	Initial Percent Penetration	Maximum Percent Penetration	Filtration Efficiency %	Result
1	Load Test - 200 mg	24-Mar-21	7.8	0.41	0.43	99.57	PASS
2	Load Test - 200 mg	24-Mar-21	8.4	0.38	0.40	99.60	PASS
3	Load Test - 200 mg	24-Mar-21	7.5	0.43	0.47	99.53	PASS
4	Load Test - max pen.	25-Mar-21	7.8	0.45	0.48	99.52	PASS
5	Load Test - max pen.	25-Mar-21	8.0	0.34	0.37	99.63	PASS
6	Load Test - max pen.	25-Mar-21	8.0	0.26	0.30	99.70	PASS
7	Load Test - max pen.	25-Mar-21	8.1	0.25	0.29	99.71	PASS
8	Load Test - max pen.	25-Mar-21	7.6	0.49	0.58	99.42	PASS
9	Load Test - max pen.	25-Mar-21	7.5	0.48	0.53	99.47	PASS
10	Load Test - max pen.	25-Mar-21	7.7	1.44	1.52	98.48	PASS
11	Load Test - max pen.	25-Mar-21	7.7	0.72	0.78	99.22	PASS
12	Load Test - max pen.	25-Mar-21	7.8	0.41	0.46	99.54	PASS
13	Load Test - max pen.	26-Mar-21	8.0	0.59	0.62	99.38	PASS
14	Load Test - max pen.	26-Mar-21	8.1	0.34	0.37	99.63	PASS
15	Load Test - max pen.	26-Mar-21	7.6	0.41	0.45	99.55	PASS
16	Load Test - max pen.	26-Mar-21	7.6	0.57	0.62	99.38	PASS
17	Load Test - max pen.	26-Mar-21	7.6	0.71	0.78	99.22	PASS
18	Load Test - max pen.	26-Mar-21	7.9	0.33	0.35	99.65	PASS
19	Load Test - max pen.	26-Mar-21	7.8	0.43	0.47	99.53	PASS
20	Load Test - max pen.	26-Mar-21	7.8	0.38	0.42	99.58	PASS

Overall Result: Pass

Comments: First three respirators tested to 200 mg NaCl loading. Remaining 17 respirators were tested to maximum penetration.

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Test: Inhalation/Exhalation Resistance

Method: TWI_N95DIFFPRES

Reference No: 42 CFR 84 Subpart K § 84.180

Flow Rate: 85 LPM

			Inhalation		Exhalation	
			Resistance	Inhalation	Resistance	Exhalation
Filter ID	Test	Date Tested	(mmH2O)	Result	(mmH2O)	Result
1	Inhalation/Exhalation	26-Mar-21	9.4	PASS	8.8	PASS
2	Inhalation/Exhalation	26-Mar-21	10.4	PASS	9.0	PASS
3	Inhalation/Exhalation	26-Mar-21	9.1	PASS	8.9	PASS

Overall Result: Pass

Comments: Maximum allowable resistances: 25 mmH2O - exhalation; 35 mmH2O - inhalation.

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Test Descriptions

Particulate Filtration Efficiency Testing:

Prior to testing, respirators were removed from packaging and conditioned at temperature of 38 ± 2.5 °C and relative humidity of $85 \pm 5\%$ for 25 ± 1 hours.

The test equipment used in this evaluation is an ATI 100X capable of performing efficiency measurement per 42 CFR 84 Subpart K § 84.181.

A solution of sodium chloride (NaCl) is aerosolized and passed through a sample filter at prescribed flow rate. The testing specification requires an NaCl aerosol with a count median diameter (CMD) of $0.075 \pm 0.020~\mu m$ with a particle distribution having a standard geometric deviation of less than 1.86. The aerosol concentration is determined on the test day by a gravimetric method. The aerosol produced is also subjected to an ionized air stream, to shift the electrically-charged generated aerosol to a neutral state (Boltzmann equilibrium), characteristic of naturally occurring aerosols. A forward light scattering photometer is used to determine aerosol concentrations upstream and downstream of the test specimen.

Load Test: For a load test, a conditioned respirator is mounted to a test fixture and subjected to an aerosol challenge at constant flow rate until either the respirator has been exposed to a specified mass of NaCl, or for a predetermined test duration. The maximum penetration observed during the load test is used to determine the reported filtration efficiency.

Inhalation/Exhalation Testing: The test equipment used in this evaluation is capable of performing airflow resistance measurement per 42 CFR 84 Subpart K § 84.180. Tests were conducted according to NIOSH TEB-APR-STP-0003 (exhalation) and TEB-APR-STP-0007 (inhalation).

A fully-formed respirator is mounted and sealed to an anthropometric headform. Inhalation airflow is set to 85 ± 1.4 LPM through the respirator and differential pressure across the respirator is recorded. Flow is then reversed to simulate exhalation at 85 ± 1.4 LPM, and differential pressure across the respirator is again recorded.