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 <p><b>UKAS</b> TESTING</p> <p>4556</p> <p>Accredited to ISO/IEC 17025:2017</p>	<p><b>Elis UK Ltd</b></p> <p>Issue No: 014 Issue date: 22 July 2021</p>	
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### DETAIL OF ACCREDITATION

Materials/Products tested	Type of test/Properties measured/Range of measurement	Standard specifications/ Equipment/Techniques used
TEXTILES	<p><u>Microbiological Tests</u></p> <p>Determination of bio-burden loading of different target organisms to evaluate effectiveness of laundry washes</p> <p>Enumeration:</p> <p><i>Bacillus cereus</i></p> <p><i>Candida albicans</i></p> <p><i>Clostridium difficile</i></p> <p><i>Clostridium perfringens</i> (presumptive)</p> <p>Faecal Enterococci</p>	<p>Documented In-House Methods</p> <p>TM-SP-1 sample preparation in conjunction with the following specified methods:</p> <p>TM-AM-5 by membrane filtration using chromogenic Bacillus Cereus Agar and confirmed using lecithinase and <math>\beta</math>-haemolysis</p> <p>TM-AM-13 by membrane filtration using chromogenic Candida Agar</p> <p>TM-AM-6 by membrane filtration using Brazier's Agar and confirmed by latex agglutination</p> <p>TM-AM-7 by membrane filtration using Tryptose Sulphite Cycloserine Agar without egg yolk</p> <p>TM-AM-3 by membrane filtration using Slanetz and Bartley Medium and confirmed by transfer to Kanamycin Aesculin Azide Agar</p>



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TEXTILES (cont'd)	Enumeration: (cont'd)	Documented In-House Methods
	Presumptive Moulds & Yeast	TM-AM-8 by membrane filtration using Rose Bengal Chloramphenicol Agar
	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	TM-AM-4 by membrane filtration using Baird Parker Agar and confirmed by latex agglutination
	Presumptive Coliforms and Confirmed <i>Escherichia coli</i>	TM-AM-2 by membrane filtration using Membrane Lactose Glucuronide Agar
	Detection: <i>Listeria</i> spp (presumptive)	TM-AM-10 using Oxoid ONE broth enrichment, plated onto Brilliance chromogenic <i>Listeria</i> Agar and Microgen latex agglutination
	<i>Salmonella</i> (not <i>S. typhi</i> ) (presumptive)	TM-AM-9 using Oxoid ONE broth enrichment, plated onto chromogenic <i>Salmonella</i> Agar and Oxoid latex agglutination
ENVIRONMENTAL AND HAND SWABS	<u>Microbiological Tests</u>	Documented In-House Methods
	Determination of bio-burden loading of different target organisms	TM-SP-3 & TM-SP-4 sample preparation for swabs in conjunction with the following specified methods:
	Enumeration: Aerobic colony count (30°C)	TM-AM-1 by pour plate using Plate Count Agar





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ENVIRONMENTAL AND HAND SWABS (cont'd)	<p>Detection:</p> <p><i>Listeria</i> spp (presumptive)</p> <p><i>Salmonella</i> (not <i>S. typhi</i>) (presumptive)</p>	<p>Documented In-House Methods</p> <p>TM-AM-10 using Oxoid ONE broth enrichment, plated onto Brilliance chromogenic <i>Listeria</i> Agar and Microgen latex agglutination</p> <p>TM-AM-9 using Oxoid ONE broth enrichment, plated onto chromogenic <i>Salmonella</i> Agar and Oxoid latex agglutination</p>
AIR BIO-BURDEN QUALITY	<p><u>Microbiological Tests</u></p> <p>Enumeration:</p> <p>Total Bacterial Count</p> <p>Total Fungal Count</p>	<p>TM-SP-5 by settle plate using Nutrient Agar for a specified exposure time</p> <p>TM-SP-5 by settle plate using Rose Bengal Chloramphenicol Agar for a specified exposure time</p>
PROCESS (RINSE) WATERS	<p><u>Microbiological Tests</u></p> <p>Determination of bio-burden loading of different target organisms</p> <p>Enumeration:</p> <p>Aerobic colony count</p> <p><i>Bacillus cereus</i></p>	<p>Documented In-House Methods</p> <p>TM-SP-6 sample preparation for waters in conjunction with the following specified methods:</p> <p>TM-AM-1 by pour plate using Plate Count Agar at 22°C, 30°C and 37°C</p> <p>TM-AM-5 by membrane filtration using chromogenic <i>Bacillus Cereus</i> Agar and confirmed using lecithinase and <math>\beta</math>-haemolysis</p>



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PROCESS (RINSE) WATERS (cont'd)	<u>Microbiological Tests</u> (cont'd)	Documented In-House Methods
	Enumeration: (cont'd)	
	<i>Candida albicans</i>	TM-AM-13 by membrane filtration using chromogenic Candida Agar
	<i>Clostridium difficile</i>	TM-AM-6 by membrane filtration using Brazier's Agar and confirmed by latex agglutination
	<i>Clostridium perfringens</i> (presumptive)	TM-AM-7 by membrane filtration using Tryptose Sulphite Cycloserine Agar without egg yolk
	Faecal Enterococci	TM-AM-3 by membrane filtration using Slanetz and Bartley Medium and confirmed by transfer to Kanamycin Aesculin Azide Agar
	Presumptive Moulds & Yeast	TM-AM-8 by membrane filtration using Rose Bengal Chloramphenicol Agar
TEXTILE SWATCHES	<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	TM-AM-4 by membrane filtration using Baird Parker Agar and confirmed by latex agglutination
	Presumptive Coliforms and Confirmed <i>Escherichia coli</i>	TM-AM-2 by membrane filtration using Membrane Lactose Glucuronide Agar
	<u>Microbiological Tests</u>	Documented In-House Methods
	Validation of laundry processing by the enumeration of <i>Escherichia coli</i> and <i>Enterococcus hirae</i>	TM-SP-2 determination of log reduction adapted from BS EN ISO 14698-1:2003 (withdrawn) annex E using membrane filtration and plating onto Membrane Lactose Glucuronide Agar and Slanetz and Bartley Agar
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