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Product Technical Fact Sheet

Product Code: PAA-500 Product Description: High Level Peracetic Acid (PAA) Test Strips

Application:

The high level PAA test strip is used for testing sanitization and disinfecting levels of peracetic acid in water.

Test Range: 0-500 ppm Test Increments: Color chart calibrated at 0, 100, 250, and 500 ppm Accuracy: +/- ½ color chart unit Detection Limit: 50 ppm

Storage Recommendations:

Store in original packaging in a cool (20-30C), dry, place out of direct sunlight.

Shelf-Life: Two years from date of manufacture when stored properly in original packaging.

Interferences: Test strip may react to other oxidizing materials, chlorine, peroxide, etc.

Instructions for Use:

- 1. Remove one test strip from the vial, being careful not to touch the test pad with your fingers.
- 2. Dip the test strip into the solution to be tested for 2 seconds.
- 3. Remove and shake off any excess liquid.
- 4. Compare the test pad to the color chart after 10 seconds.

Chemistry Behind the Test:

The test pad is treated with a formula consisting of buffers, surfactants, and red-ox indicators. The presence of peracetic acid in a sample causes the red-ox indicator in the test pad to develop color. The intensity of the color developed is proportional to the amount of peracetic acid present.

Other Information:

Peracetic acid is typically sold in a concentrated formula consisting of peracetic acid, hydrogen peroxide, acetic acid, and water. The high level PAA strips were developed to work with solution made from these concentrates.

Disclaimer:

The high level PAA test strips are not intended for use to diagnose, treat, or monitor any medical condition.