# **SLOSH BOX 100**



FLUSHABILITY TESTER



Declaration of flushability becomes more and more important in line with the increasing use of consumable wipes 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 include a number of tests, which assists producers in verifying the flushability of their products.

Lenzing Instruments SLOSH BOX 100 performs the Slosh Box Disintegration Test (FG502), 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 INDA/EDANA guidelines.

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#### Scope:

Automatic and reproducible testing of the disintegration of nonwoven material according to FG502 of the INDA/EDANA guidance Document assessing the Flushability of Nonwovens.

#### 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 test duration of 60 minutes, the residuals are analysed. 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 to pass the test, more than 60 % of the sample's initial dry mass has to pass through the sieve. This condition must be met for 80 % or more of the minimum 6 replicate articles tested.

#### Number of containers:

There are 3 containers for up to 3 samples to be tested simultaneously

Max. filling capacity of sample container: 3 I (test std. 2 I)

Dimensions sample container:

Height: 159 mm Depth: 305 mm Width: 457 mm

#### Sieve:

Perforated plate with a sieve opening of 12.5 mm

Power supply:

230 / 115 VAC ± 10 %, 50 / 60 Hz

**Duration oscillating movement:** 

Freely adjustable: 1 - 720 min (test std. 60 min)

Driving speed:

5 - 50 rpm

(test std. 26 r / min)

Dimensions:

Height: 545 mm Depth: 565 mm Width: 1040 mm Weight: approx. 65 kg



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