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Introduction

Polywood Innovations requested water vapour transmission rate (WVTR) to be carried out on two containers. WVTR Testing was carried out at test conditions of 23°C.

Method

Empty containers were received by Campden BRI. Two containers of each type were mounted on to aluminium plates with holes drilled to allow the pipework to fit through. Steel reinforced epoxy resin was used to secure the trays to the aluminium plates and secure the pipework within the holes ensuring that no leaks were present. WVTR testing was conducted according to Campden BRI in house test method TES-FMT-37 which is based on ASTM F1249.

Results

WVTR results are shown in table 1 displaying test condition and samples tested.

Table 1 - WVTR Results

Sample	Test	Rep1	Rep 2	Mean
	Conditions	(g/pack/day)	(g/pack/day)	(g/pack/day)
Polywood Brown	23°C	0.0073000	0.0095195	0.0084098
Bottle				
White				
Container		0.0019105	0.0011230	0.0015168

Discussion

The results showed that the tested containers were considered a very good barrier to moisture.