

CLEANING LABORATORY EVALUATION SUMMARY

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ClientType: Lab

ProjectNumber: Project #1

Substrates: Stainless Steel

PartType: Coupon

Contaminants: Buffing/Polishing Compounds

Cleaning Methods: Ultrasonics

Analytical Methods: Gravimetric

Purpose: Laboratory evaluations of alternative cleaning products

Experimental Procedure: Basic cleaning performance testing was conducted using ASTM G122 as the bases for cleaning.
 Degasification: 5 min. in ultrasonic crest at 120 F.
 Cleaning : 2 min. in ultrasonic crest at 120 F.
 Rinsing : 1/2 min. manual with water at 120 F.
 Drying : 1 min. with heat gun at 500 F.
 Contaminant: The Lea manufacturing company-Learock 2-B-11

Results:

Summary:

Substrates:		Stainless Steel				
Contaminants:		Buffing/Polishing Compounds				
Company Name:	Product Name:	Conc.:	Efficiency:	Effective:	Observations:	
Simple Green	Crystal Simple Green Industrial Cleaner & Degreaser	5	106.07	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Calgon Corporation	Geo Guard 2000	5	111.13	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Calgon Corporation	GP Xtra	5	106.39	<input type="checkbox"/>		
PCI of America	Hurrisafe 9450	5	104.94	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Brulin Corporation	Nature Sol 100	5	94.55	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
AW Chesterton	181 Low Alkaline Cleaner	5	97.50	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		

Conclusion: Percentage efficiency was obtained above 100% in some cases which may be due to the fact that the buffing compound might have taken off the metal.