

# UNITED NATIONS / DOT PERFORMANCE CERTIFICATION



#### 31HH1 DESIGN QUALIFICATION

1000 Liter All Plastic Composite Framed Pallet IBC with 2" Closed Bung Closures, and QC II Dip Tube

**TEST REPORT #: 20-MN40059** 



<sup>\*</sup> Insert the month and year (last two digits) of manufacture

#### **TESTING PERFORMED FOR:**

#### **RIKUTEC AMERICA INC.**

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#### **NOTES AND COMMENTS**

Rikutec manufactures 1000 liter IBC designs with Framed and Euro style pallet bases. The Inner Bottle, Outer Shell (box) and Cover are the same for all designs. The following test reports contain documentation for the variety of closures, gaskets and fittings intended to be used on any of the IBC designs:

- Test Report 20-MN40058: Framed Pallet with 2" Vented and Non-Vented Bung Closures, and QC II Dip Tube
- Test Report 20-MN40059: Framed Pallet with 2" Non-Vented Bung Closures, and QC II Dip Tube
- Test Report 20-MN40060: Euro Pallet with 2" Vented and Non-Vented Bung Closures and ENTEGRIS QC II
   Dip Tube

All three designs will be marked to 2010 Kg and will be covered under the same UN certification (+AA10038).



#### **SECTION I: CERTIFICATION**

## DESIGN QUALIFICATION of the Rikutec America Inc. 1000 Liter All Plastic Composite Framed Pallet IBC with 2" Closed Bung Closures, and QC II Dip Tube

**TEN-E Packaging Services, Inc.** is a current DOT UN Third-Party Certification Agency under §107.403 and certifies that the **Rikutec America Inc.** packaging referenced above has passed the standards of the DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION'S TITLE 49 CFR; Performance Oriented Packaging Standards, Section 178. This package is also certified under IMDG and the UN Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods. It is the responsibility of the end user to determine authorization for use under these regulations. The use of other packaging methods or components other than those documented in this report may render this certification invalid.

UN / DOT CFR TEST TEST TEST REFERENCE LEVEL CONTENTS	TEST	TEST		
TEST REFERENCE LEVEL CONTENTS		ILOI		
	COMPLETED	RESULTS		
Vibration 178.819 3.3 Hz – 1 Hour Water	July 1, 2020	PASS		
Bottom Lift 178.811 2,697.0 Kg Water	July 2, 2020	PASS		
Leakproofness 178.813 20 kPa – 10 Minutes Empty	July 2, 2020	PASS		
Hydrostatic 178.814 110 kPa – 10 Minutes Water	July 2, 2020	PASS		
Drop 178.810 1.9 m Methanol/Water	July 7, 2020	PASS		
TEST REPORT NUMBER: 20-MN40059				
(CFR 49 – 178.703)	/*/USA/+AA10038/0	/ 2010		
PACKAGING IDENTIFICATION CODE: 31HH1 (178.707 Co	nposite IBC)			
PERFORMANCE STANDARD: Y (Packaging meets	Packing Group II and III	tests)		
MONTH AND YEAR OF MANUFACTURE: *				
STATE AUTHORIZING ALLOCATION OF THE MARK: USA				
PACKAGING CERTIFICATION AGENCY: (+AA) TEN-E Packa (Newport, MN CAA #				
THIRD PARTY PACKAGING IDENTIFICATION: +AA10041	200000022)			
	nded to be Stacked in Tr	ansportation)		
	2,010 Kg (4,431 Lbs.)			
PERIODIC DESIGN REQUALIFICATION DATE: July 7, 2021	,			
ADDITIONAL REQUIRED RIGID PLASTIC & COMPOSITE IBC MARKI	NGS (CFR 49 - 178.703	(b)):		
RATED CAPACITY AT 20°C (liters): 1000 Liters	1000 Liters			
TARE MASS (Kg): Insert individual IBC	Insert individual IBC tare mass			
GAUGE TEST PRESSURE (kPa): 110 kPa				
DATE OF LAST LEAKPROOFNESS TEST: Insert Month & Year	Insert Month & Year of Last Leakproofness Test			
DATE OF LAST INSPECTION: Insert Month & Year	of Last Inspection			

ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING ANY WARRANTY THAT THE PACKAGING TESTED IS MERCHANTABLE OR FIT FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, ARE DISCLAIMED. In no event shall TEN-E Packaging Services, Inc. liability exceed the total amount paid by **Rikutec America Inc.** for services rendered. In the event of future changes to the above referenced test standards, it is the responsibility of **Rikutec America Inc.** to determine whether additional testing or updating of past testing is necessary to verify that the packaging we have tested remains in compliance with those standards.

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## **SECTIONS II & V: PACKAGING DESCRIPTIONS / COMPONENT DRAWINGS**

1000 Liter All Plastic Composite Framed Pallet IBC with 2" Closed Bung Closures and QC II Dip Tube				
ASSEMBLY DRAWING	TEST LEVELS			
	Certification Type:		Design Qualification	
	Packaging Code De	signation:	31HH1	
	Packing Group:		II	
	Specific Gravity:		1.9	
	Test Pressure:		110 kPa	
	TE	ST SAMPLE PRE	PARATION	
* * *		(Refer to Secti	on IV)	
	Overall IBC Tare Wo (Sample #1 and Sar	•	96.0 Kg	
	Net Fill Weight (98%	6 Maximum Capac	ity):	
	Water	(Sample #1)	1,013.4 Kg	
	Methanol/Water	(Sample #2)	965.3 Kg	
	IBC Test Weight:			
	Water	(Sample #1)	1,109.4 Kg	2,445.7 Lbs.
	Methanol/Water	(Sample #2)	1,061.3 Kg	2,339.7 Lbs.
	Maximum Permissib	ole Gross Mass:	2,021.4 Kg	4,456.3 Lbs.
	(IBC will be marked	to 2,010 Kg for the	e UN gross ma	ss marking)
		CLOSING MET	HODS	
	2" PP Non-Vented	Bung:		
	Application Torqu	ıe:	25 Ft-Lbs.	
	2" QC II Dip Tube:			
	Application Torque:		25 Ft-Lbs.	
	1-1/2" Plug on QC	II Dip Tube:		
	Application Torqu	ie:	4 Ft-Lbs.	
	All closures torqued using Equipment: Torque Wrench #740			h #740



## **COMPONENT INFORMATION**

(	CLOSURE (K12992-PE)	DRAWING
Manufacturer: AS Stro	mungstechnik, Ostfildern, Germany	
Description:	2" Non-Vented Buttress Threaded Plug	
Quantity:	2	
Material:	Polypropylene, Natural	
Tare Weight:	35.717 Grams	
Overall Dimensions:		
Height	33 mm (1.30")	
• Diameter	80 mm (3.15")	
Thread Dimensions:		
Major Diameter:	61.9 mm (2.44")	
Minor Diameter:	55.6 mm (2.19")	
Markings (QC Audit):	as	
PE Profile Gasket (K12	993):	
Description:	Natural, Polyethylene Profile Gasket	
Tare Weight:	2.541 Grams	
Thickness:	3.8 mm (0.15")	
Diameter:	72.4 mm (2.85")	

(	CLOSURE (K12992-PE)	DRAWING
Manufacturer: AS Stro	mungstechnik, Ostfildern, Germany	
Description:	2" Non-Vented Buttress Threaded Plug	
Quantity:	2	
Material:	Polypropylene, Natural	
Tare Weight:	35.668 Grams	
Overall Dimensions:		
Height	33 mm (1.30")	
<ul> <li>Diameter</li> </ul>	80 mm (3.15")	
Thread Dimensions:		
Major Diameter:	61.9 mm (2.44")	
Minor Diameter:	55.6 mm (2.19")	
Markings (QC Audit):	as	
POE Profile Gasket (K1	2993):	
Description:	S62 Seal Ring, Natural Polyolefin Profile Gasket	
Tare Weight:	2.493 Grams	
Thickness:	3.8 mm (0.15")	
Diameter:	72.5 mm (2.85")	



	CLOSURE				DRAWING
Manufacturer: AS Stromungstechnik, Ostfildern, Germany					
Description:	1-1/2" QC II Th	readed Sea	aling Cap		
Quantity:	1				
Material:	Polyethylene, I	Natural			
Tare Weight:	17.489 Grams				
Overall Dimensions:					
Height	25.1 mm	(0.99")			
Diameter	75.7 mm	(2.98")			
Thread Dimensions:					
• T	41.2 mm	(1.62")			
• E	38.6 mm	(1.52")			
Markingo (OC Audit)	as www.c	c-system.co	om		
Markings (QC Audit):	patented U.S.	Pat. No. 6,3	57,494		21-30
Liner/Gasket:					
Description:	Polyethylene, I	Natural			-9
Tare Weight:	0.581 Grams				
Thickness:	2.8 mm	(0.11")			
Diameter:	35.6 mm	(1.40")			
DIP TUBE	(Dwg. DT-62PI	E-XXX-1040	0-TF)		
Manufacturer: AS Stror	nungstechnik, (	Ostfildern,	Germany		
Description:	2" QC II Buttre			h	
Description.	Diptube and B	ottom Flexib	le Bellow		
Quantity:	1				
Material:	Polyethylene, I	Natural			
Tare Weight:	158 Grams				
Overall Dimensions:	1				
Height	1,040.0 mm	(40.94") (v	with Diptub	e)	
Insert Height	34.0 mm	(1.34")			
Diameter	79.0 mm	(3.11")			
Thread Dimensions (2"		•			
Major Diameter	62.0 mm	(2.44")			
Minor Diameter	54.6 mm	(2.15")			
Thread Dimensions (1-	1/2" Shipping C	ap - Side):			
Major Diameter	42.7 mm	(1.68")			
Minor Diameter	40.4 mm	(1.59")			
Thread Dimensions (3/4	1" Plug - Side):				
Major Diameter	26.6 mm	(1.05")			
Minor Diameter	24.0 mm	(0.94")			
Markings (QC Audit):	1903A617	1B2	3A4	5C6	
PE Profile Gasket (K129					
Description:	Natural Polyeth	nylene Profil	le Gasket		
Tare Weight:	2.533 Grams				
Thickness:	3.8 mm	(0.15")			
Diameter:	72.4 mm	(2.85")			



PLASTIC INNER REC	DRAWING	
Manufacturer: Rikutec Amer		
Description:	Rikutec 1000 Liter Rigid Inner Receptacle with (3) 2" Buttress Threaded Top Fill Port Openings	
Material:	High Density Polyethylene, Natural	
Resin Type:	Two Layer Wall Design:  Inside: Lupolen 4261 A Q149  Outside: Lupolen 4261 AG UV 60005	
Method of Manufacture:	Blow Molded	
Tare Weight:	47.4 Lbs. (21.5 Kg)	
Capacity:		
Rated	1,000 Liter	
Overflow	273.2 Gallons (1,034.0 Liter)	
Overall Dimensions:		
• Length	1,155.7 mm (45.50")	
• Width	962.5 mm (37.88")	_
Height	1,044.7 mm (41.13")	_
2" Fill Port Opening Thread Dimensions		
Major Diameter	64.8 mm (2.55")	
Minor Diameter	57.1 mm (2.25")	
Dip Tube Opening Thread Di	mensions	
Major Diameter	64.8 mm (2.55")	
Minor Diameter	57.4 mm (2.26")	
Wall Thickness (Minimum):	2.387 mm (0.09")	
Markings (QC Audit):	u 31HH1 / Y / 12 19 / D / BAM 6808-RIKUTEC RIKUTEC D-57610 Altenkirchen Made in Germany SPI "2" PE-HD Recycling Symbol	



	DRAWING	
Manufacturer: Rikutec A	merica, Inc., Whitinsville, MA	
Description:	Top Cover with (3) Access Holes Secured to Tote with (8) Plastic Pins	
Quantity:	1	
Material:	High Density Polyethylene, Natural	
Tare Weight:	10.5 Kg (23.1 Lbs.)	
Overall Dimensions:		
• Length	1,212.9 mm (47.75")	
• Width	1,003.3 mm (39.50")	
Height	962.2 mm (37.88)	
Small Hole Diameter	142.0 mm (5.63")	
Large Hole Diameter	177.8 mm (7.00")	
	u 31HH1 / Y / 12 19 / D / BAM /6808 n RIKUTEC/ 3314 / 2070 / TR6F142 POLY-IBC UC 1000	
Markings (QC Audit):	Max Capacity 1050 Liter / Tare 96kg Gauge of Pressure" 100 kPa SPI "2" PE HD Recycling Symbol Hersteller: RIKUTEC Richter Kunststofftechnik GmbH & Co. KG Graf-Zepplin- Strasse 5, D57610 Alten Kirchen Germany (0) 2681 9546-0	
FRA	MED BASE – POLY BOX	
Manufacturer: Rikutec A	merica, Inc., Whitinsville, MA	
Description:	4-Way Entry Plastic Outer Tote with Molded Pallet Feet and Bottom Detachable Plastic Framed Pallet with (8) Plastic Screws and Bolts	
Quantity:	1	
Material:	High Density Polyethylene, Blue and Black	
Tare Weight:	65.0 Kg (143.3 Lbs.) (with Bottom Frame)	
Overall Dimensions:		
• Length	1,193.8 mm (47.00")	
• Width	990.6 mm (39.00")	
Height	1,168.4 mm (46.00")	
Markings (QC Audit):		
• Frame	SPI "2" PE-HD Recycling Symbol	
• Box	None	



## **SECTION III: TEST PROCEDURES AND RESULTS**

## VIBRATION TEST

TEST	TEST CRITERIA	
TEST CONTENTS:	Water	
SAMPLE PREPARATION:	Refer to Section II	
CONDITIONING:	Ambient	
TABLE DISPLACEMENT:	1"	An IBC passes the vibration test if there is no rupture or leakage.
TEST FREQUENCY:	3.3 Hz	(§178.819)
TEST DURATION:	1 Hour	
TEST EQUIPMENT:	Vertical motion using L.A.B. 6000 Transportation Simulator	

VIBRATION TEST SET-UP AND RESULTS (SAMPLE #1)				
	Results	Comments/Observations		
The state of the s	PASS	The IBC met the criteria for passing the test.  No leakage or damage.		



## **BOTTOM LIFT TEST**

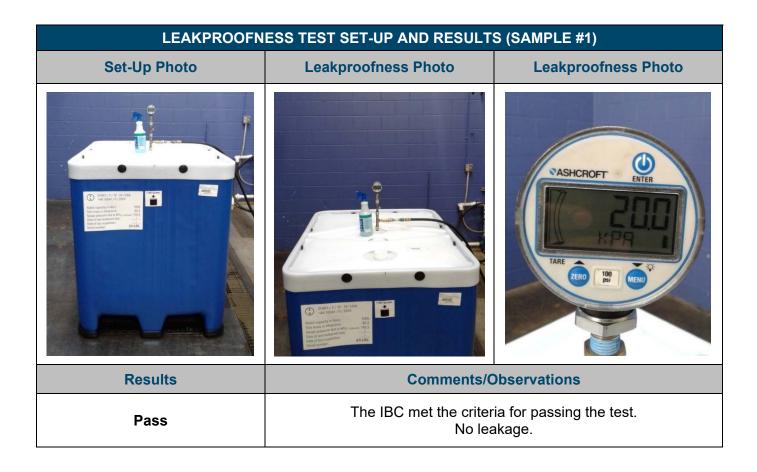
TEST INF	TEST CRITERIA	
TEST CONTENTS:	Water	
SAMPLE PREPARATION:	Refer to Section II	
CONDITIONING:	Ambient	
NUMBER OF LIFTS:	8 (Four-Way Entry with 2 Lifts per Direction of Entry)	For all IBC design types designed to be lifted from the base, there may be no
FORK TINE PENETRATION:	Entry 1 & 2: 36" Entry 3 & 4: 30"	permanent deformation which renders the IBC unsafe for transportation and no loss of contents.
COMBINED GROSS MASS LIFTED:	2,697.0 Kg (5,945.8 Lbs.) (Refer to Section IV)	(§178.811)
TEST EQUIPMENT:	Fork Truck Dead Load Weights	

BOTTOM LIFT TEST SET-UP AND RESULTS (SAMPLE #1)				
Direction of Entry #1:	Direction of Entry #2:	Direction of Entry #3:	Direction of Entry #4	
Res	ults	Comments/C	Observations	
Lift #1: PASS	Lift #5: PASS			
Lift #2: PASS	Lift #6: PASS	The IBC met the criter	ia for passing the test.	
Lift #3: PASS	Lift #7: PASS	No leakage	or damage.	
Lift #4: PASS	Lift #8: PASS			



## **LEAKPROOFNESS TEST**

TEST INF	TEST INFORMATION					
TEST CONTENTS:	Empty					
SAMPLE PREPARATION:	Refer to Section II	For all IBC design types intended				
CONDITIONING:	Ambient	to contain solids that are loaded or				
TEST PRESSURE:	20 kPa	discharged under pressure or intended to contain liquids, there				
TEST DURATION:	10 Minutes	may be no leakage of air from the				
AREA OF PRESSURIZATION:	Through Top Closure	IBC.				
TEST EQUIPMENT:	Regulated Air Source #: 2 Pressure Gauge #:615 & 641	(§178.813)				





## **HYDROSTATIC PRESSURE TEST**

TEST INFO	TEST INFORMATION					
TEST CONTENTS:	Water	For rigid plastic and composite IBC design types intended to contain				
WATER TEMPERATURE:	21.9°C (71.4°F)					
FILL CAPACITY:	Maximum Capacity					
SAMPLE PREPARATION:	Refer to Section II	solids loaded or discharged under				
CONDITIONING:	Ambient	pressure or intended to contain liquids, there may be no leakage				
TEST PRESSURE:	110 kPa	and no permanent deformation				
TEST DURATION:	10 Minutes	which renders the IBC unsafe for				
AREA OF PRESSURIZATION:	Through Top Closure	transportation. (§178.814)				
TEST EQUIPMENT:	Regulated Water Source #: 2 Pressure Gauge #: 615 & 641					

HYDROSTATIC PR	HYDROSTATIC PRESSURE TEST SET-UP AND RESULTS (SAMPLE #1)									
Set-Up Photo	Hydrostatic Pressure Photo	Hydrostatic Pressure Photo								
The state of the s	Sheet / 7 / 12 / 12 / 12 / 12 / 12 / 12 / 12	NASHCROFT BATES								
Results	Comments/Observations									
Pass	The IBC met the criteria for passing the test. No leakage.									



## **DROP TEST**

TEST I	TEST INFORMATION						
TEST CONTENTS: SAMPLE PREPARATION: CONDITIONING: TEST CONTENTS TEMP.:	Methanol/Water Solution (0.968 SG) Refer to Section II -18°C (0°F) Chamber #202 -18.1°C (-0.6°F)	For all IBC design types, there may be no damage which renders the IBC unsafe to be transported for salvage or for disposable, and no loss of contents.					
DROP ORIENTATION:	1.9 Meters (75.0") (Refer to Section IV) Most Vulnerable Part of Base	<ul> <li>The IBC shall be capable of being lifted by an appropriate means until clear of the floor for five minutes.</li> <li>A slight discharge from closures upon impact is not considered a failure provided that no further.</li> </ul>					
TEST EQUIPMENT:	Quick Release Hook Mechanism 5 Ton Overhead Hoist	failure provided that no further leakage occurs. (§178.810)					

DROP T	DROP TEST SET-UP AND RESULTS (SAMPLE #2)								
Set-Up Photo	Post Drop Photo	Post Drop Photo							
Results	Results Comments/Observations								
Pass	Pass  The IBC met the criteria for passing the test.  Vertical crack on the front corner of the outer shell upon impact leakage								



#### **REGULATORY AND INDUSTRY STANDARD REFERENCES**

	REGULATORY REFERENCES								
	49 CFR①	UN@	IMDG3						
TEST	October 2019 Edition	20 <sup>th</sup> Edition	2018 Edition						
Vibration:	178.819	6.5.6.13							
Bottom Lift:	178.811	6.5.6.4	6.5.6.4						
Leakproofness:	178.813	6.5.6.7	6.5.6.7						
Hydrostatic Pressure:	178.814	6.5.6.8	6.5.6.8						
Drop:	178.810	6.5.6.9	6.5.6.9						

- ① United States Department of Transportation Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Title 49, Transportation, Parts 100-185
- ② The United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods Model Regulations (UN Orange Book)
- ③ International Maritime Dangerous Goods Code (IMDG)

INDUSTRY STANDARD REFERENCES						
Vibration:	ASTM@ D7387:	Standard Test Method for Vibration Testing of IBCs Used for Shipping Liquid Hazardous Materials (Dangerous Good)				
vibration:	ISO© 2247:	Packaging – Complete, Filled Transport Packages – Vibration Test at Fixed Low Frequency				
Pressure:	ASTM@ D8134:	Standard Guide for Conducting Internal Hydrostatic Pressure Tests on United Nations (UN) IBC Design Types				
	ASTM@ D5276:	Standard Test Method for Drop Test of Loaded Containers by Free Fall				
Drop:	ASTM@ D7790:	Standard Test Method for the Preparation of Plastic Packagings Containing Liquids for United Nations (UN) Drop Testing				
	ISO© 2248:	Packaging – Complete, Filled Transport Packages – Vertical Impact Test by Dropping				

- American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)
- (ISO) International Organization for Standardization (ISO)

## **EQUIPMENT**

All inspection, measuring and test equipment that can affect product quality is calibrated and adjusted at prescribed intervals, or prior to use, and is traceable to NIST, using ANSI Z540 as an overall guide for calibration certification.



## **SECTION IV MATHEMATICAL CALCULATIONS**

INFORMATION USED FOR CALCULATIONS								
Overall IBC Tare Weight (IBCTW)-Sample 1:	96.0 Kg							
Overall IBC Tare Weight (IBCTW)-Sample 2:	96.0 Kg							
Overflow Capacity (OFC):								
Methanol/Water 985.0 Kg								
Water	1,034.0 Kg	Min Wt 7	o Be Applied					
Actual Load Applied for Bottom Lift (BLALA):	3,500.0 Lbs.	3,124.3	Lbs. (Btm Lift)					
Packing Group	II							
Product Specific Gravity (PSG):	1.9							
Packing Group Multiplication Factor (MF):	1.00							
# of IBC Stacked During Transportation (#IBC):	0							

	98% OF OVERFLOW									
	Overflow Capacity (OFC) x 98%									
-	OFC	_ x _	98%							
	1,034.0	х	98% =	1,013.4 Kg	Water	Sample #1				
	985.0	Х	98% =	965.3 Kg	Methanol/Water	Sample #2				

IBC TEST WEIGHT (IBCW)									
Overall IBC Tare Weight (IBCTW) + 98% Overflow Capacity (OFC)									
IBCTW	+.	98% OFC =							
96.0	+	1,013.4	1,109.4	Kg	2,445.7	Lbs.	Water	Sample #1	
96.0	+	965.3	1,061.3	Kg	2,339.7	Lbs.	Methanol/Wate	Sample #2	

	AUTHORIZED IBC GROSS MASS (AIBCGM)								
	Overall IBC Tare Weight (IBCTW) + (Product SG (PSG) x 98% Overflow (OFC))								
	<b>IBCTW</b>	+	(PSG	х	98% OFC)				
_	96.0	_ + _	1.9	X	1,013.4				
			2,021.4	Kg	4,456.3 Lbs.				



	BOTTOM LIFT CALCULATIONS								
The IBC must	The IBC must be loaded to 1.25 times the combined maximum permissible gross mass with load being evenly distributed								
			Minimu	m Required	Load				
	Authorized IBC Gross Mass x 1.25								
AIBCGM	x	1.25	=	= Minimum Required Load					
2,021.4	Х	1.25	=	2,526.9	Kg	5,570.7	Lbs.		
			Combine	d Gross Mas	s Lifted				
		Actu	al Load Applied	(ALA) + IBC T	est Weight (IBCW)				
IBCW	_ + _	ALA	=	Total Load L	ifted				
1,109.4	+	1,587.6	=	2,697.0	Kg	5,945.8	Lbs.		

DROP HEIGHT <u>Calculation For Product Specific Gravities Exceeding 1.2</u> Product Specific Gravity (PSG) x Packing Group Multiplication Factor (MF)						
	PSG	x	MF		Pac	cking Group:
	1.9	Х	1.00		Required Drop Height	Actual Drop Height
			1.90	Meter	74.8 Inches	75 Inches