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PROPUR PROSIP FILTER PARASITE TEST REPORT

Report # 17-259-Parasite ((Propur ProSip Filter)

Report Date: 09/09/2017 Customer Name: Propur

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

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INTRODUCTION

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REAGENTS, MATERIALS, AND LAB EOUIPMENT

Copepods 5280+, Algae Barn, Catalog #5280, Lot # 1705659.

Microspora amoena, Carolina Biological Supply Company, Catalog #152350.

Cyanobacteria Set, Carolina Biological Supply Company, Catalog #151515.

Amscope EPI Fluorescence Microscope FM-320TA-3M. Barnstead Lab-Line Incubator.

Propur ProSip Filter.

PROCEDURE

Ten gallons of tap water was spiked with parasites in a tank and mixed well; this solution was tested and adjusted to have a final concentration of 10⁴ Units/L; the influent water properties are summarized in Table 1 below. The solution was filtered through the ProSip Filter, tested following the Standard Methods of Analysis of Water 21st Edition. The results are summarized in Tables 2, and 3 below.

RESULTS

Table 1
Influent Challenge Water Properties

Parameter	Influent Challenge Water	Target
pН	7.45	7.00 to 8.00
Temperature	20.5 °C	20 ± 2.5°C
TDS	480 mg/L	200 to 500 mg/L
Turbidity	0.90 NTU	<1 Nephelometric Turbidity Units

Table 2
Copenods Parasites Test Results

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Parasite Tested	Influent Water	NSF % Reduction	% Reduction	
	Concentration	requirement	At 10 gallons	
Tigriopus californicus	$10^{4}/L$	≥99.999%	99.999	
Tisbe biminiensis	$10^{4}/L$	≥99.999%	99.999	
Apocyclops panamensis	$10^{4}/L$	≥99.999%	99.999	

Table 3
Blue-Green Algae Test Results

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Accumulated volume	Influent Water Concentration	NSF % Reduction requirement	% Reduction At 10 gallons		
Microspore amoena	10 ⁴ /L	≥99.999%	99.999		
Anabaena	10 ⁴ /L	≥99.999%	99.999		
Eucapsis	10 ⁴ /L	≥99.999%	99.999		
Fischerella	10 ⁴ /L	≥99.999%	99.999		
Spirulina	$10^{4}/L$	≥99.999%	99.999		
Merismopedia	10 ⁴ /L	≥99.999%	99.999		
Toltpothrix	$10^{4}/L$	≥99.999%	99.999		



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CONCLUSION:

The Propur ProSip Filter reduces the Parasites concentration by more than 99.999% for up to 10 gallons.

CERTIFICATION OF RESULTS:

I certify in writing that all analyses, and reporting performed herein, comply with all requirements set forth in N.J.A.C. 7:9E and N.J.A.C. 7:18, and hereby certify that this laboratory is in compliance with all laboratory certification and quality control procedures and requirements as set forth in N.J.A.C. 7:18; the NYCRR Subpart 55-2 and the National Environmental Laboratory Accreditation Conference (NELAC) Institute Standards.

Disclaimer: The test results are only related to the filter sample tested.

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PURIFICATEMS

The reduction of contaminants or other substances that maybe present in your water supply may vary depending on its content. The contaminants or other substances reduced are not necessarily present in all users water. Some contaminants maybe more easily filtered than others. Percentage of reduction will vary over the life of the filter based on the level of contaminant(s) found in your water supply, user rate and psi of your water source. Testing was performed under standard laboratory conditions. Actual performance may vary. Do not use with water that is microbiologically unsafe or of unknown water quality with adequate disinfection.