

PHARMA DEVILS

PRODUCTION DEPARTMENT

STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE

Title: Operation and Cleaning of Shrink Wrapping Machine

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1.0 OBJECTIVE:

To lay down a Procedure for Operation and Cleaning of Shrink Wrapping Machine.

2.0 SCOPE:

This SOP is applicable for Operation and Cleaning of Shrink Wrapping Machine at Production Area.

3.0 RESPONSIBILITY:

Operating Person – Production

4.0 ACCOUNTABILITY:

Head – Production

5.0 ABBREVIATIONS:

ID No. Identification Number

Ltd. Limited No. Number

QA Quality Assurance

SOP Standard Operating Procedure

°C Degree Celcius

BPR Batch Packing Record.
IPA Iso Propyl Alcohol

6.0 PROCEDURE:

6.1 Operation:

- **6.1.1** Switch ON the Machine.
- **6.1.2** Set the required temperature i.e. $110^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 5^{\circ}\text{C}$, by adjusting the knob (if required).
- **6.1.3** Switch ON the blower fan of Machine.
- **6.1.4** Switch ON the conveyor belt of Machine.
- **6.1.5** Verify the batch coding detail of all carton of shrink pack before passing into shrink tunnel.
- **6.1.6** After getting required temperature put shrinkable bag having packed mono-cartons from inlet of shrink tunnel for Shrink Wrapping.
- **6.1.7** Collect the shrink wrapped packed from out let of the Shrink Tunnel.
- 6.1.8 In case of power failure discard the product shrink pack after resumption of power supply and record the details in the respective BPR and handle the condition as per SOP "Handling of Power Failure of Parenteral Blocks."
- **6.1.9** After end of the operation, Switch OFF heater and cool down the tunnel up to 35°C.
- **6.1.10** Switch OFF Blower Fan & main power supply of the machine respectively.
- **6.1.11** Record the operation details in respective "Equipment's /Instruments Usage Cleaning Log" as per SOP.



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Figure- 1: Shrink Wrapping Machine

6.2 Cleaning:

- **6.2.1** Clean the outer body of machine with dry cloth.
- **6.2.2** Mop the machine with wet cloth soaked with 70% IPA except electrical parts or lubricating parts.
- **6.2.3** Record the cleaning details in respective "Equipment's /Instruments Usage Cleaning Log" as per SOP.
- **6.2.4 Frequency:** At start and at the end of shift or whenever required.

6.2.5 Precaution:

Before start of cleaning activity, ensure that the power supply to the machine is switched off and temperature of shrink wrapping machine is below 35°C.

7.0 ANNEXURES:

Not Applicable.

ENCLOSURE: SOP Training Record

8.0 DISTRIBUTION:

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9.0 REFERENCES:

• SOP: Product Packing Operation in Parenteral blocks

• SOP: Handling of Power Failure of Parenteral Blocks



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10.0 REVISION HISTORY:

CHANGE HISTORY LOG

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