## **Mesa Biological Indicators**

MesaStrip<sup>®</sup> is a conventional paper strip biological indicator for monitoring steam, low temperature steam formaldehyde, ethylene oxide, dry heat, chlorine dioxide and gamma radiation industrial sterilization processes.

MesaStrip<sup>®</sup> contains bacterial spores on a filter paper carrier sealed within a convenient, peel-open glassine envelope.

To use a MesaStrip<sup>®</sup>, simply place the envelope inside a product or product package. This "inoculated package" is placed in a sterilizer and processed. Upon removal from the sterilizer, the inoculated package is sent to the microbiology laboratory for transfer of the MesaStrip<sup>®</sup>. The BI is to be aseptically cultured in soybean casein digest medium and incubated at the appropriate temperature.

- Autoclave Validations
- EO Sterilization
- Steam Applications
- Irradiation Sterilization
- Multiple Species Available

## Storage

Store at room temperature.

## Certification

MesaStrip<sup>®</sup> biological indicators are traceable to a recognized culture collection and certified for population, D-value, z-value (steam) and performance.

## **Ordering Information**

Process	Species	Log	Reorder #
Steam	G. stearothermophilus	<b>10</b> <sup>5</sup>	SGMS/5
Steam	G. stearothermophilus	10 <sup>6</sup>	SGMS/6
Low Temperature Steam	B. subtilis (5230)	10 <sup>6</sup>	SGMSU/6
Ethylene Oxide and Dry Heat	B. atrophaeus	10 <sup>6</sup>	SGMG/6
Gamma Radiation	B. pumilus	106	SGMR/6
Chlorine Dioxide	B. atrophaeus	10 <sup>6</sup>	ACD/6
Dual Species (Steam / EO and Dry Heat)	<i>G. stearothermophilus</i> and <i>B. atrophaeus</i>	10 <sup>5</sup> / 10 <sup>6</sup> 10 <sup>6</sup> / 10 <sup>6</sup>	SGMD/56 SGMD/66
Low Temp Steam Formaldehyde	G. stearothermophilus	10 <sup>6</sup>	SGMLF/6





