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The following sample was submitted and identified by the client as:

Sample Description: Assorted Plastic Storage Trays and Lids

**Details of Sample:** Plastic storage trays in four sizes (different depths). The trays come in blue,

yellow, red, green, orange and a light blue. Supplied with a clear plastic lid that

fits all trays.

**Date of Receipt:** 21<sup>st</sup> November 2013

**Testing Period:** Testing conducted between 10<sup>th</sup> December 2013 and 13<sup>th</sup> December 2013.

Testing Requested: Phthalate Content\*

\*(Please note that this testing was subcontracted to another laboratory with the SGS Group of Companies)

**Test Method:** With reference to EN 14372:2004. Analysis was performed by Gas

Chromatography / Mass Spectrometry.

**Test Results:** See page 2 for details

**Conclusion:** The level of the six phthalates did not exceed the limits specified by entries 51

and 52 of Regulation (EC) No 552/2009 amending Annex XVII of REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (previously restricted under Directive

2005/84/EC)

Signed for and on behalf of SGS United Kingdom Ltd.

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## Results:

		Results (%)	Recommended Max	
	1	2	3	Limit (%)
Dibutyl Phthalate (DBP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Benzylbutyl Phthalate (BBP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Bis-(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Total (DEHP, DBP, BBP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	0.1
Conclusion	Pass	Pass	Pass	

		Results (%)	Recommended Max	
	1	2	3	Limit (%)
Di-n-octyl Phthalate (DNOP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Diisononyl Phthalate (DINP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Diisodecyl Phthalate (DIDP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Total (DINP, DIDP, DNOP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	0.1
Conclusion	Pass	Pass	Pass	

		Resul	ts (%)	Recommended Max	
	4	5	6	7	Limit (%)
Dibutyl Phthalate (DBP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Benzylbutyl Phthalate (BBP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Bis-(2-ethylhexyl) Phthalate (DEHP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Total (DEHP, DBP, BBP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	0.1
Conclusion	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	

	Results (%)				Recommended Max
	4	5	6	7	Limit (%)
Di-n-octyl Phthalate (DNOP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Diisononyl Phthalate (DINP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Diisodecyl Phthalate (DIDP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	-
Total (DINP, DIDP, DNOP)	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	n.d.	0.1
Conclusion	Pass	Pass	Pass	Pass	

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## **Sample Details:**

- 1. Orange plastic
- 2. Blue plastic
- 3. Light blue plastic
- 4. Green plastic
- 5. Yellow plastic
- 6. Red plastic
- 7. Transparent plastic from lid

Note: n.d. = not detected

\* = exceed the limit

% = percentage by weight

**Detection Limit:** 

DBP, BBP, DEHP and DNOP = 0.003% (for individual compound)

DINP and DIDP = 0.01% (for individual compound)

## Remark:

0.1% for Total (DBP+BBP+DEHP) For all childcare articles 0.1% for Total (DINP+DNOP+DIDP) For childcare articles if it can be placed in the mouth

Recommended Max Limit specified by entries 51 and 52 of Regulation (EC) No 552/2009 amending Annex XVII of REACH Regulation (EC) No 1907/2006 (previously restricted under Directive 2005/84/EC)

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