

Research Models and Services Teklad Bedding and Enrichment

TEK-Fresh

Teklad 7099P TEK-Fresh is manufactured from 100% virgin wood pulp. It is a loose particulate that provides premium bedding substrate. Animals nest in it more readily because it is soft thereby enhancing environmental enrichment. It can also be used in drop pans for rabbits, guinea pigs, or other species.



TEK-Fresh is manufactured from virgin, pulped cellulose fibers - which means TEK-Fresh is extremely absorbent. Unlike other paper bedding, it is not made from post-consumer news print or similar waste materials, so it is free of inks, dyes and perfumes.

TEK-Fresh is scientifically engineered to control odor by suppressing ammonia formation up to three times longer than traditional bedding. TEK-Fresh absorbs up to three times its weight in liquids. The natural wicking action and high absorbency capacity keeps animal living areas cleaner and drier. Drier bedding slows the ammonia formation process, making TEK-Fresh an excellent choice for use in closed environments, such as isolators.

TEK-Fresh is non-toxic if eaten. The product is dried in high temperature ovens to quickly remove moisture which in turn minimizes microbial activity. This bedding conforms to NIH standards for lab animal bedding relating to resin, pesticide and aromatic hydrocarbon thresholds. These standards are third party verified throughout the year. Several stages of filtration remove sand and other foreign debris leaving TEK-Fresh virtually dust-free to minimize human and animal respiratory concerns.

TEK-Fresh lasts longer and doesn't pack down. Time is saved on cleaning cages – the product can even be vacuumed up. It is environmentally friendly and biodegradable, and can be composted, incinerated, flushed into the sewer system, or disposed of in a landfill.



PRODUCT FEATURES AND BENEFITS

- Absorbent
- Controls odor
- Soft and nestable, enhancing environmental enrichment
- Non-toxic and free of inks, dyes and perfumes
- Low dust
- Environmentally friendly, biodegradable
- Non-certified TEK-Fresh is screened at least annually for potential contaminants, making it a highly-defined material

PACKAGING

- Teklad 7099P TEK-Fresh Bedding packaged in 60 L non-autoclavable bags
- Teklad 7099WP White TEK-Fresh Bedding packaged in 50 L non-autoclavable bags
- Teklad 7999P Irradiated TEK-Fresh Bedding vacuum packages, 14 x 10 L

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