

### **STACK TESTING**



(3) Battery Box Configurations

**TEST REPORT #: 22-MN10362** 

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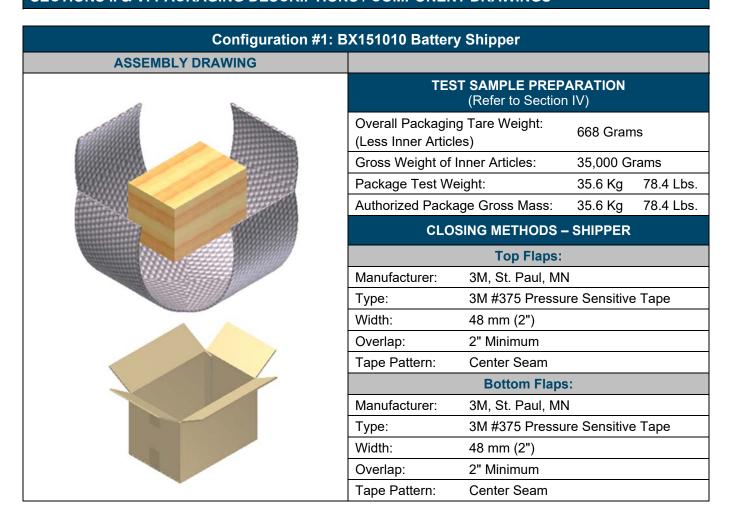
# **OBJECTIVE**

To conduct stack testing in accordance with Title 49 CFR §178.606 on the following configurations:

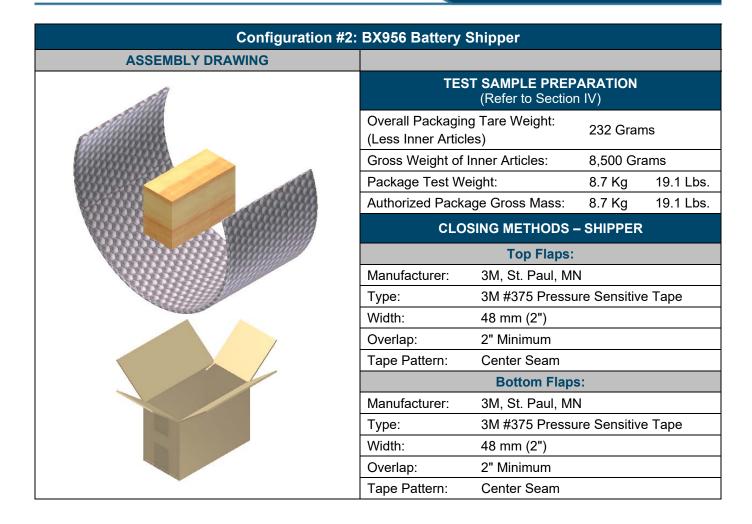
- Configuration #1: BX151010 Battery Shipper
- Configuration #2: BX956 Battery Shipper
- Configuration #3: Battery BX999 Battery Shipper



### **SECTIONS II & V: PACKAGING DESCRIPTIONS / COMPONENT DRAWINGS**









#### Configuration #3: Battery BX999 Battery Shipper **ASSEMBLY DRAWING TEST SAMPLE PREPARATION** (Refer to Section IV) Overall Packaging Tare Weight: 456 Grams (Less Inner Articles) Gross Weight of Inner Articles: 28,200 Grams Package Test Weight: 28.6 Kg 63.0 Lbs. Authorized Package Gross Mass: 63.0 Lbs. 28.6 Kg **CLOSING METHODS – SHIPPER Top Flaps:** Manufacturer: 3M, St. Paul, MN 3M #375 Pressure Sensitive Tape Type: Width: 48 mm (2") Overlap: 2" Minimum Tape Pattern: Center Seam **Bottom Flaps:** Manufacturer: 3M, St. Paul, MN 3M #375 Pressure Sensitive Tape Type: Width: 48 mm (2") Overlap: 2" Minimum Tape Pattern: Center Seam



## **COMPONENT INFORMATION**

SII	MULATED ARTICLE	DRAWING
Description:	Wood Box filled with Lead Shot Simulating Inner Article	
Quantity:	(1) Per Variable	
Material:	Wood & Lead Shot Bags	
Gross Weights:		
Variable #1	35.0 Kg	
Variable #2	8.5 Kg	
Variable #3	28.2 Kg	
Overall Dimensions:		
Variable #1	14" x 9" x 9"	
Variable #2	8-3/4" x 4" x 5-3/4"	
Variable #3	8" x 8" x 8"	
Markings (QC Audit):	None	

BUBBLE WRAP (KWRAP5404)		DRAWING
Manufacturer: Associa	ted Bag Company, Milwaukee, WI	
Description:	1" Diameter, 5/16" Bubble Size Bubble Wrap Sheets wrapped around Inner Article, enough to Wrap each Article once around.	
Material:	Low Density Polyethylene, Clear	
Tare Weights:		
Variable #1	38 Grams (All Sheets)	
Variable #2	10 Grams (All Sheets)	
Variable #3	20 Grams (All Sheets)	
Overall Dimensions (E	ach Sheet):	
• Length	24"	
• Width	12"	
Markings (QC Audit):	None	



CONFIGURATION #1 SHIPPER (BX151010)				
Manufacturer: Labelmaster,				
Description:	Re	gular Slotted Container		
Material/Flute	27	5 Lb. Test Double Wall Natural, Kraft, (	Corrugated Fiberboard B/C-Flute	
(Outer to Inner):			Sofragated Fiscissard, B/O Fiate	
Basis Weight (Outer to Inner				
Specification  Tage Weights	-	/ 26 / 26 / 26 / 42		
Tare Weight:	02	1 Grams		
		DIMENSIONS		
	Specification Dimensions (Inside) Measured Dimensions (Outside)			
Length	15	"	15-1/2"	
Width	10	"	10-1/2"	
Height	10	-1/2"	11-1/2"	
Board Caliper (Nominal):	0.2480"			
Manufacturer's Joint:	1-1/2" Lap			
Markings (QC Audit):	CAUTION Lithium Batteries Inside		BX151010 2/19	
		BOX CERTIFICATE		
(A) Corrugated Manufacture	r:	Label Master	A	
(B) Structure:		Double Wall	BOX CERTIFICATE	
(C) Bursting Test		275 Lbs. Per Sq. Inch	BOX MEETS ALL CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS OF APPLICABLE	
(D) Min comb Wt. Facings:		110 Lbs. Per M Sq. Ft	FREIGHT CLASSIFICATION BURSTING LBS PER TEST C SQ INCH	
(E) Size Limit:		95"	MIN COMB WT FACINGS  D LBS PER M SQ FT	
(F) Gross Wt. Lt:		100 Lbs.	SIZE LIMIT E INCHES  GROSS F LBS  WT LT F	
(G) Location:		1-800-621-5808	G	

CONFIGURATION #2 SHIPPER (BX956)					
Manufacturer: Labelmaster,	Chicago, IL				
Description:	Full Overlap Container				
Material/Flute (Outer to Inner):	275 Lb. Test Double Wall Natural Kraft, Corrugated Fiberboard, B/C-Flute				
Basis Weight (Outer to Inner	) Lbs./MSF:				
Specification	42 / 26 / 26 / 42				
Tare Weight:	217 Grams				
	DIMENSIONS				
	Specification Dimensions (Inside) Measured Dimensions (Outside)				
Length	9-3/4"	10"			
Width	5"	5-1/2"			
Height	6-3/4"	7-7/8"			
Board Caliper (Nominal):	0.2565"				
Manufacturer's Joint:	1-1/4" Lap				
Markings (QC Audit):	None				



CONFIGURATION #3 SHIPPER (BX999)			
Manufacturer: Labelmaster	, Chicago, IL		
Description:	Regular Slotted Container		
Material/Flute (Outer to Inner):	275 Lb. Test Double Wall Natural Kraft, C	orrugated Fiberboard, B/C-Flute	
Basis Weight (Outer to Inne	er) Lbs./MSF:		
Specification	42 / 26 / 26 / 26 / 42		
Tare Weight:	426 Grams		
	DIMENSIONS		
	Specification Dimensions (Inside)	Measured Dimensions (Outside)	
• Length	9"	9-1/2"	
• Width	9"	9-1/2"	
Height	9"	10-1/4"	
Board Caliper (Nominal):	0.2480"		
Manufacturer's Joint:	1-5/8" Lap		
Markings (QC Audit):	BX999 02/16/22		
	BOX CERTIFICATE		
(A) Corrugated Manufacturer:	Label Master	A	
(B) Structure:	Double Wall	BOX CERTIFICATE	
(C) Bursting Test	275 Lbs. Per Sq. Inch	BOX MEETS ALL CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS OF APPLICABLE	
(D) Min comb Wt. Facings:	110 Lbs. Per M Sq. Ft	FREIGHT CLASSIFICATION BURSTING C LBS PER TEST SQ INCH MIN COMB LBS PER WIT FACINGS D MS OF T	
(E) Size Limit:	95"	SIZE LIMIT E INCHES	
(F) Gross Wt. Lt:	100 Lbs.	GROSS F LBS	
(G) Location:	1-800-621-5808	G	



## **SECTION III: TEST PROCEDURES AND RESULTS**

STACKING TEST CONFIGURATION #1

TEST INFORMATION		TEST CRITERIA
TEST CONTENTS:	Empty	
SAMPLE PREPARATION:	Refer to Section II	There can be no deterioration that could adversely affect transport safety
CONDITIONING:	73°F / 50% RH Chamber #215	or any distortion liable to reduce the
TEST LOAD APPLIED:	317.1 Kg (700.0 Lbs.) (Refer to Section IV)	package's strength, cause instability in stacks of packages, or cause damage to inner packagings that is likely to
TEST DURATION:	24 Hours	reduce safety in transport. (§178.606)
TEST EQUIPMENT:	Dead Load Weights	

STACKING TEST SET-UP & RESULTS				
	Sample #	Maximum Deflection After 24 Hours	Results	
	1	0"	PASS	
	2	0"	PASS	
	3	0"	PASS	

**Comments/Observations:** Following the 24-hour stack test, there was no damage likely to affect the performance of the packaging.

Stacking Stability: Not conducted; required only for guided load tests.



STACKING TEST CONFIGURATION #2

TEST INFORMATION		TEST CRITERIA
TEST CONTENTS:	Empty	
SAMPLE PREPARATION:	Refer to Section II	There can be no deterioration that could adversely affect transport safety
CONDITIONING:	73°F / 50% RH Chamber #215	or any distortion liable to reduce the
TEST LOAD APPLIED:	136.1 Kg (300.0 Lbs.) (Refer to Section IV)	package's strength, cause instability in stacks of packages, or cause damage to inner packagings that is likely to
TEST DURATION:	24 Hours	reduce safety in transport. (§178.606)
TEST EQUIPMENT:	Dead Load Weights	

STACKING TEST SET-UP & RESULTS				
	Sample #	Maximum Deflection After 24 Hours	Results	
臺臺	1	0"	PASS	
	2	0"	PASS	
	3	1/4"	PASS	

**Comments/Observations:** Following the 24-hour stack test, there was no damage likely to affect the performance of the packaging.

Stacking Stability: Not conducted; required only for guided load tests.



STACKING TEST CONFIGURATION #3

TEST INFORMATION		TEST CRITERIA
TEST CONTENTS:	Simulated Article	
SAMPLE PREPARATION:	Refer to Section II	There can be no deterioration that could adversely affect transport safety
CONDITIONING:	73°F / 50% RH Chamber #215	or any distortion liable to reduce the
TEST LOAD APPLIED:	317.1 Kg (700.0 Lbs.) (Refer to Section IV)	package's strength, cause instability in stacks of packages, or cause damage to inner packagings that is likely to
TEST DURATION:	24 Hours	reduce safety in transport. (§178.606)
TEST EQUIPMENT:	Dead Load Weights	

STACKING TEST SET-UP & RESULTS				
	Sample #	Maximum Deflection After 24 Hours	Results	
	1	0"	PASS	
	2	1/4"	PASS	
	3	0"	PASS	

**Comments/Observations:** Following the 24-hour stack test, there was no damage likely to affect the performance of the packaging.

Stacking Stability: Not conducted; required only for guided load tests.



#### **REGULATORY AND INDUSTRY STANDARD REFERENCES**

REGULATORY REFERENCES			
TEST	49 CFR①	UN@	
	October 2021 Edition	22 <sup>nd</sup> Edition	
Stacking:	178.606	6.1.5.6	

① United States Department of Transportation Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Title 49, Transportation, Parts 100-185

② The United Nations Recommendations on the Transport of Dangerous Goods – Model Regulations (UN – Orange Book)

INDUSTRY STANDARD REFERENCES			
Stacking:	ASTM3 D8409	Standard Guide for Conducting Stacking Tests on UN Packagings Using Guided or Unguided Loads	
	ASTM3 D4577:	Standard Test Method for Compression Resistance of a Container Under Constant Load	
	ISO@ 2234:	Packaging – Complete, Filled Transport Packages – Stacking Test using Static Load	

③ American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM)

### **EQUIPMENT**

All inspection, measuring and test equipment that can affect product quality is calibrated and adjusted at prescribed intervals, or prior to use, and is traceable to NIST, using ANSI Z540 as an overall guide for calibration certification.

<sup>4</sup> International Organization for Standardization (ISO)

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#### **DISCLAIMER OF WARRANTIES**

TEN-E PACKAGING SERVICES, INC. certifies that the previously described testing services have been performed in accordance with standard good laboratory practices and under the guidelines of Title 49 CFR § 178.606. The results included within this test report relate only to the items tested. ALL OTHER WARRANTIES, EXPRESSED OR IMPLIED, INCLUDING ANY WARRANTY THAT THE PACKAGING TESTED IS MERCHANTABLE, FIT FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE OR IN COMPLIANCE WITH ANY FEDERAL OR STATE REGULATIONS, ARE DISCLAIMED. In no event shall TEN-E Packaging Services, Inc. liability exceed the total amount paid by LABELMASTER for services rendered.

In the event of future changes to the above referenced test standard, it is the responsibility of **LABELMASTER** to determine whether additional testing or updating of past testing is necessary to verify that the packaging we have tested remains in compliance with those standards.

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