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Customer:	Laboratory Experimental Analysis
Process:	Batch Microwave+Convection Heat Treatment for Dehydration of Cooked food

### **TEST REPORT No: 47/KRDC/LAB/17 Mum 15/12/2018**

Date Sample reception : 15/12/2018 ID : 47/LAB/70

### **SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:**

Sampling : As Requested
Sample Condition : Acceptable
Quantity : 4 boxes
Sampling date : 15/12/2018

Product : Cooked food (Gravy, pavbhaji, poha,sabudana khichdi)

Requirement : Final product should be dried like powder form with minimum

moisture content

 Start Date test
 : 15/12/2018

 End Date test
 : 15/12/2018

#### LABORATORY EXPERIMENTAL SET UP:











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### LAB BATCH MICROWAVE+CONVECTION HEATING SYSTEM SPECIFICATIONS:

Microwave Power	2 kW(CW)
Frequency	2450 MHz ± 50
Convective Power	3.5 kW (air flow 350 l/min at 20°C)
Microwave Exposure Zone (cavity)	1 cubic meter
Mode Stirrer	One
Thermal Monitoring System	Single Channel Fiber Optic: Range -40 to 250°C
Exhaust Power	1HP
Tray Size	450x950x50 mm

### **ENVIRONMENT-LABORATORY AMBIENT CONDITIONS:**

Temperature (degree C)	28.2°C (±5°C)
Humidity (%)	≤65% RH
Pressure (kN/m2 or kPa)	Not recorded

**Note for recommendation:** Environmental conditions have a direct impact on test results. Accuracy and consistency of test data are affected by the laboratory conditions







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### **EQUIPMENTS USED:**

Name of Equipment	Picture of Equipment	Specifications
Compact Thermal Imaging Camera		Model :FLIR E-30 Resolution: 160x 120IR Thermal sensitivity of 0.10°C
Moisture Analyzer		Make: Axis Balance Description: Moisture range: 1%(sample 0.02/0.05g), 0.1% (Sample 0.5/5g), 0.01%(Sample>5g)
Thermo Hygrometer		Model No: HTC-2  Temperature accuracy: ±°C (1.8°F)  Temperature resolution: 0.1°C (0.2°F)  Humidity range: 10%~99% RH  Humidity accuracy: ±5% RH  Humidity resolution: 1% RH

# **SAMPLE PREPARATION AND METHOD/PROCEDURE:**

The experiment has been performed on cooked food in batch microwave heating system for dehydration treatment. For this, given cooked food samples has been placed on microwave safe tray with uniform layer to achieve even drying characteristics in microwave system. Drying treatment has been continued till it gives dry powder form of texture. After every half hour pictures of dried samples has been captured and toppling is given to samples.





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### **ANALYTICAL RESULTS:**

Microwave Power: 0.5 kW

Temperature: 45°C

	Poha	Sabudana Khichdi	Pavbhaji	Gravy
Initial Moisture Content (%)	10.4	37.2	72.4	67.8
Final Moisture Content (%)	2.5	0.4	1.5	1.6
Total Drying Time (hours)	2.5	3	4	3.5

### **SAMPLE PICTURES DURING TRIAL:**

### 1. After 30 minutes:













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### 2. After 60 minutes:









### 3. After 90 minutes:









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### 4. After 120 minutes:













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### 5. After 150 minutes:









### 6. After 180 minutes:













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### 7. After 210 minutes:





### 8. After 240 minutes:



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### **MOISTURE ANALYSIS REPORTS:**

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Drying parameters	Drying parameters		
Product : Test	Product : Test	Product : Test	Product : Test
Drying temperature : 105.0 °C	Drying temperature : 185.8 °C	Drying temperature : 105.0 °C	Drying temperature: 185.0 °C
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Initial weight : 0.647 g	Initial weight : 0.804 g	Initial weight : 0.914 g	Initial weight : 1,200 g
Final weight : 0.580 g	Final weight : 0.784 g	Final weight : 0.574 g	Final weight : 1.203 g
Drying time : 00:08:00s Sampling interval : 20 sec	Drying time : 00:03:20s Sampling interval : 20 sec	Drying time : 00:33:40s Sampling interval : 20 sec	Drying time : 00:01:40s Sampling interval : 20 sec
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Drying temperature: 105.0 °C  Brying profile: standard Mode: Short mode Calculation: ((m0-m)/m0)4100% Finished: time over  Initial weight: 2.503 g  Final weight: 0.692 g  rying time: 01:92:99  suppling interval: 20 security	Drying temperature : 105.0 °C  Drying profile : standard Mode : Short mode Calculation : [(m0-m)/m0)*100X Finished : 3 samples  Initial weight : 0.777 g  Final weight : 0.767 g  Drying time : 00:01:40% Sampling interval : 20 sec  Moisture : 1.5 %	Product : Test  Drying temperature : 105.0 °C  Drying profile : standard  Mode : Short mode  Calculation : ((m0-m)/s0)%100%  Finished : 3 samples  Initial weight : 0.265 g  Brying inme : 00:27:20s  Sampling interval : 20 sec  Hoisture : 67.8 %	brying temperature: 105.0 °C  Drying profile: i standard  Mode Calculation: ((mb-m)/mintoon Einished: 3 samples  Initial weight: 1.215 g  Final weight: 1.186 g  Drying time: 1.0502480s  Sampling interval: 20 se  Hoisture: 1.6
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#### **OBSRVATIONS:**

The Drying behavior of cooked food has been investigated under the microwave+convection heating system. The drying rate is found to be increasing with respect to increasing drying time. It has been found that the moisture content on the dry basis (%) decreases with respect to increase drying time. As per physical investigation, it has been observed that there is crunchiness in texture without burning and there is little colour change in every sample. Also there is stickiness observed in case of Sabudana Khichdi.

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