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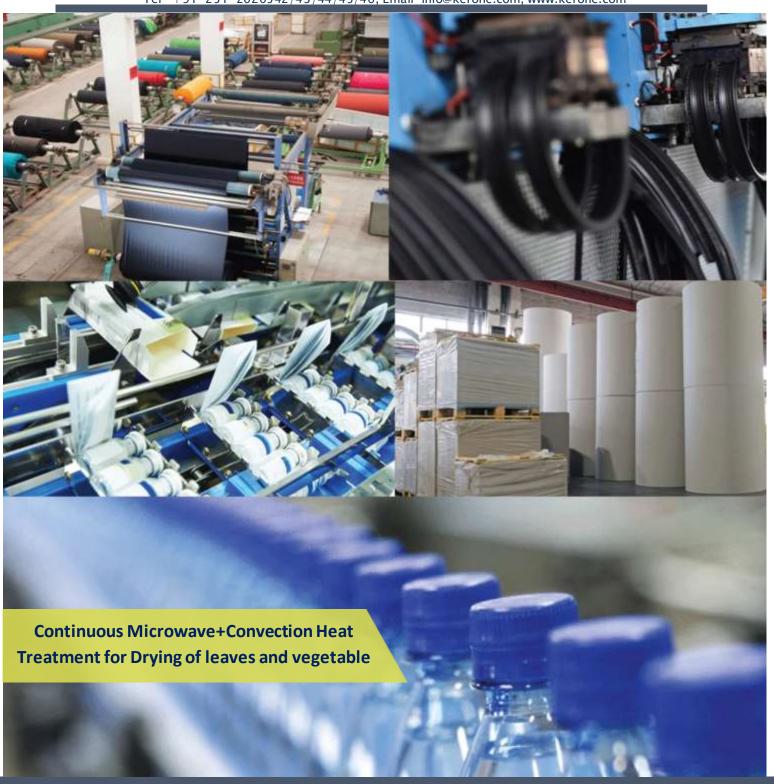


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Customer:	M/s. Inventicure Technologies Pvt Ltd
Process:	Continuous Microwave+Convection Heat Treatment for Drying of leaves and
	vegetable

TEST REPORT No: 47/KRDC/LAB/17 Mum 14/04/2021

Date Sample reception : 14/04/2021 ID : 47/LAB/191

SAMPLE DESCRIPTION:

Sampling : As Requested
Sample Condition : Acceptable
Quantity : 1 kg each
Sampling date : 14/04/2021

Product : Moringa leaves, Curry leaves and Beetroot slices
Requirement : Final moisture content should be less than 5%

Start Date test : 14/04/2021 End Date test : 14/04/2021

LABORATORY EXPERIMENTAL SET UP:







CONTINUOUS MICROWAVE+CONVECTION HEATING SYSTEM SPECIFICATIONS:

Microwave Power	8.7kW
Frequency	2450 ± 50 MHz
Convective Power	2.5 kW
Microwave Exposure Zone (Cavity)	3000 mm length wise
Product surface temp. range	Max. 120 deg cells
Conveyorwidth	500mm
ConveyorSpeed	Variable 0.2 to 4MPM
Conveyor Motor Drive	1 HP AC Induction with VFD
Entry Vestibule length	1100mm
Exit Vestibule Length	1100 mm
Exhaust Power	1.5 HP

ENVIRONMENT-LABORATORY AMBIENT CONDITIONS:

Temperature (degree C)	35°C (±5°C)
Humidity (%)	≤30% 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





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	12 B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B B	Model No: HTC-2 Temperature accuracy: ± (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 given sample of Moringa leaves, Curry leaves and Beetroot slices to speed up the drying rate. For this experimental run, given sample has been placed on conveyor belt of heating system and microwave+convection heating treatment has been given according to requirement to achieve uniform drying. Then, the observations are made on the basis of moisture content, temperature on product, physical appearance and texture of product.

ANALYTICAL RESULTS:

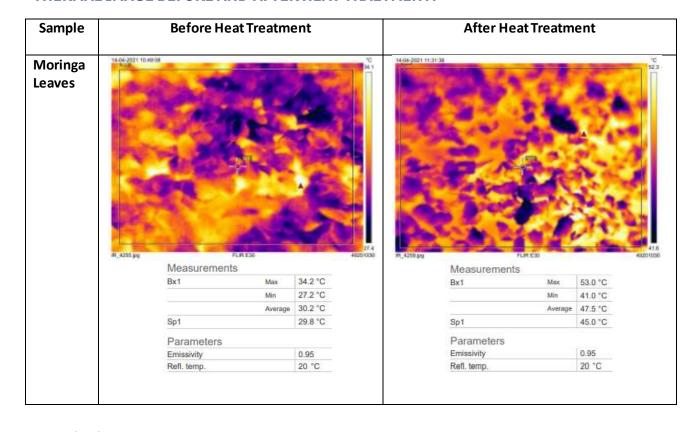
	Trial No. 1	Trial No. 2	Trial No. 3
Sample Name	Moringa Leaves	Curry Leaves	Beetrootslices
Microwave Power (kW)	6	6	6





Setting Temperature (°C)	120	120	120
Exposure Time (minutes)	18.5	18.5	21.5
Initial Weight (grams)	300	500	300
Final Weight (grams)	86	147	45
Temperature on Product (°C)	45-55	55-65	50-60
Initial moisture Content (%)	70.5	70	82.2
Final moisture Content (%)	6.5	5.7	2.6
Remarks, if any	Uniform drying with crunchy texture	Uniform drying with crunchy texture	Uniform drying with crunchy texture

THERMAL IMAGE BEFORE AND AFTER HEAT TRAETMENT:



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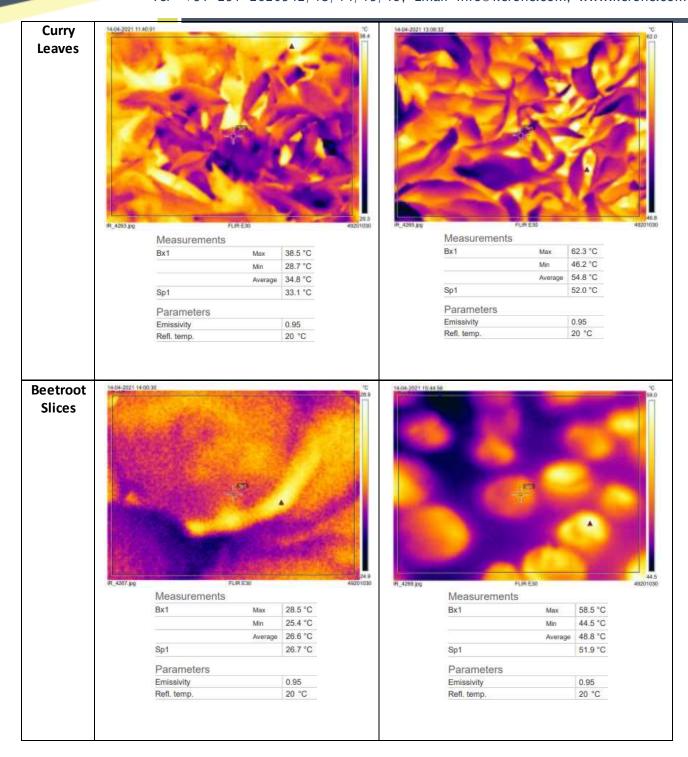




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BEFORE AND AFTER PICTURES OF TREATED SPCIMEN SAMPLE:

Sample	Before	After
Moringa Leaves		
Curry Leaves		
Beetroot Slices		

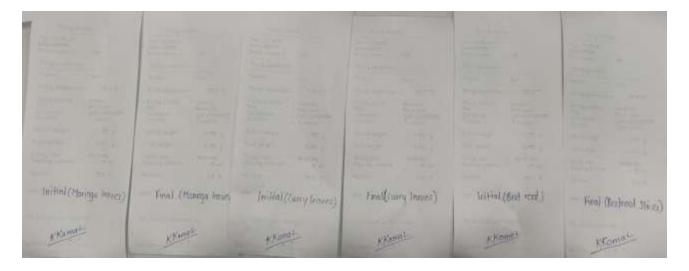
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MOISTURE ANALYSIS REPORTS:



OBSERVATIONS:

The heating behavior of Moringa leaves, Curry leaves and Beetroot slices has been investigated under the microwave irradiation mode dryer for drying treatment. It has been found that the moisture content on the dry basis (%) decreases with respect to increase in drying time. As per physical investigation, it has been observed that there is crunchiness in texture without burning and with little color change.

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