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One germ can spoil it all – our new webpage about hot air sterilization at 180 °C

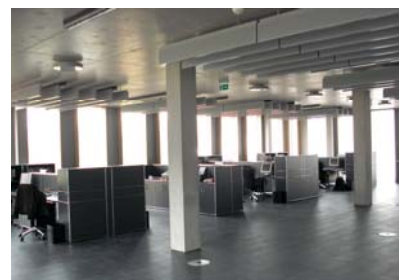


Microbial contamination, caused by bacteria, bacterial spores, viruses, mycetozoa, yeast or other microorganisms frequently constitute a major risk for cell culture experiments. Since this contamination does not necessarily occur together with the overgrowth of the cultivated cell type, it is often detected too late. In extreme cases, a single germ can destroy the work of weeks or months. With just a few clicks, users can access the webpage with information about BINDER's 180 °C hot air sterilization concept for effective elimination of contaminants. This page also contains useful links to global sterilization standards and a video about BINDER CO₂-incubators. BINDER has also integrated hot air

sterilization at 180 °C into its CB and C150 series CO₂-incubators. This method, with an overnight sterilization cycle, fully complies with all international pharmacopeia guidelines including DIN and ADA standards. It facilitates easy and customized application without the need for costly replacement parts such as filters, lamps or other components. www.true-sterilization.com

Expansion production facility - the final phase is in full swing!

The expansion of our production facility in Tuttlingen is well underway. The interior work for the Production and Technology Center (PTC) continues at full speed. An initial contingent of colleagues from Works Management, Quality Management and Production Planning already moved to their new workplaces. During the past weeks, the employees from the manufacturing section in the departments Assembly 3, Mechanical Preassembly, the Insulation Line and the Tank Section, have also moved. This did not interfere with any of the production processes. The first production phase will be completed in August 2007. The inauguration of the new Production and Technology Center (PTC) will take place at the end of November 2007, and this event will be attended by representatives from industry and political life.



Support for Kosovo School

BINDER donates temperature chamber to school founded by Jesuit Priest Walter Happel



We have donated a temperature chamber to the Loyola-Gymnasium in Kosovo to help students with their natural science experiments. The contact between BINDER GmbH and Jesuit Priest Walter Happel, the founding director of the school, was initiated by Thomas Guhl. The school was founded in 2005 through the Catholic solidarity project "Renovabis" with the support of Jesuits, and is located about four kilometers outside the town of Prizrens. During the 2006/07 school year, more than 300 children studied at Loyola Gymnasium, about one-third of whom lived on campus.

BINDER at ESHRE Congress 2007 in Lyon

"Many interesting discussions and very positive feedback," was one of the comments from Didier Simler and Constanze Jutt after participating in the exhibition held by the European Society of Human Reproduction & Embryology (ESHRE) in Lyon. We presented our CB and C 150 CO₂-incubators.

