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SATRA reference: HML0227792/1435/3

Your reference: PYTB3

Date of report: 25 September 2014

For the attention of: Julie Goddard

Samples received: 29 August 2014

## TECHNICAL REPORT

Subject: Decribed as Insulated Pathology Transport Bag for testing as per HML0217296/1333/2



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Report signed by: Kaileigh Heels  
Position: Technologist  
Department: Homeware & Lifestyle

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## Testing requested

We have carried out testing on two insulated pathology transport bags reference PYTB3 using a modified version of BS EN 12546-2:2000 Clause 4.2 Materials and articles in contact with foodstuffs. Insulated containers for domestic use. Specification for insulated bags and boxes -Insulation performance

The modifications which we have applied are as follows:

A thermocouple was placed in approximately the centre of the sample measuring the internal air temperature of the sample.

Six 140mm x 250mm freezer blocks (supplied) were placed into the base of the sample. The freezer blocks had previously been placed into a freezer for >12 hours.

The external temperatures have been varied from the 32°C as stated in the standard to those described below.

Testing was stopped after 16 hours as requested by the customer

The test has been conducted with the sample as received. The preconditioning specified in the standard has not been carried out.

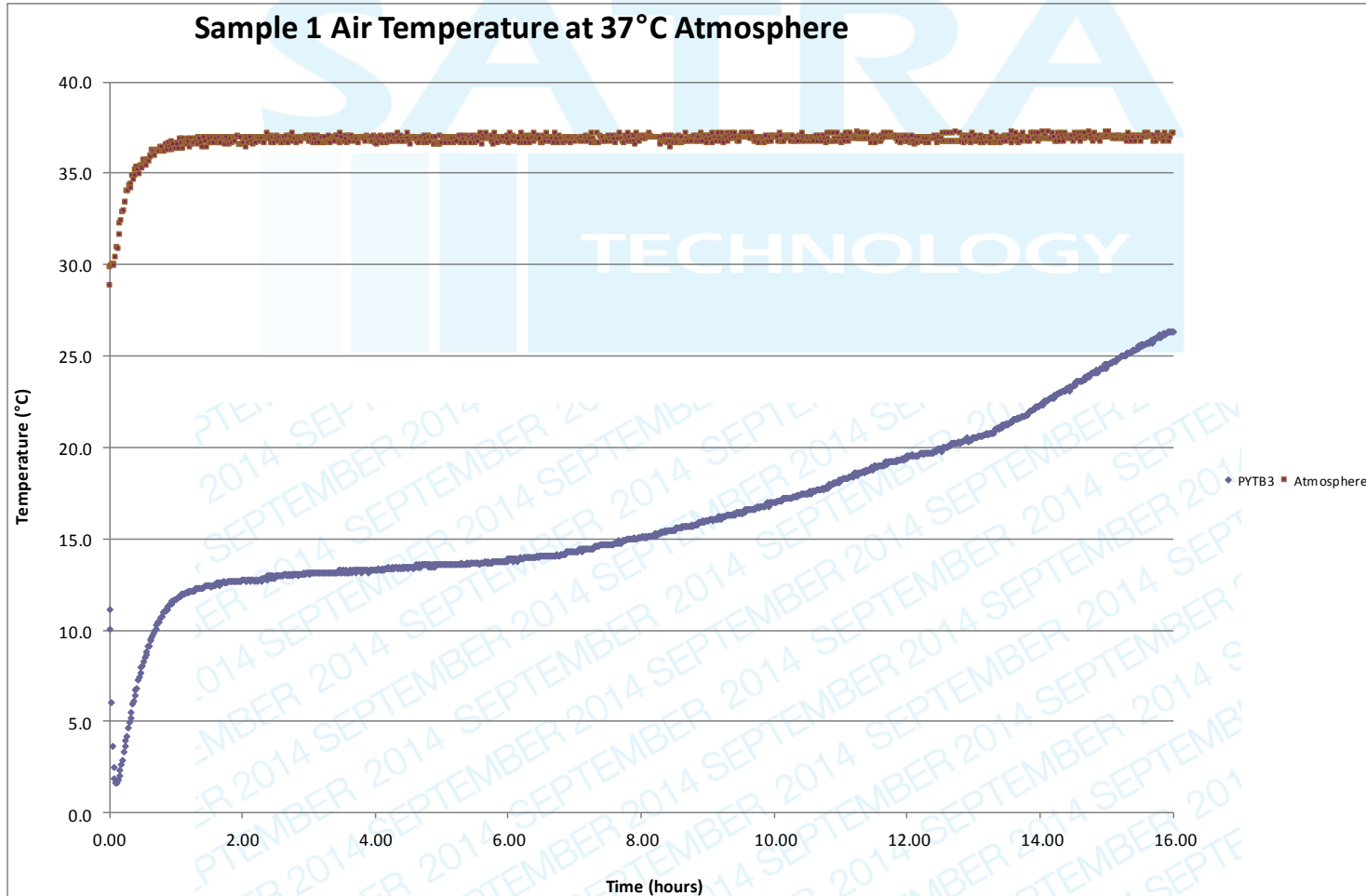
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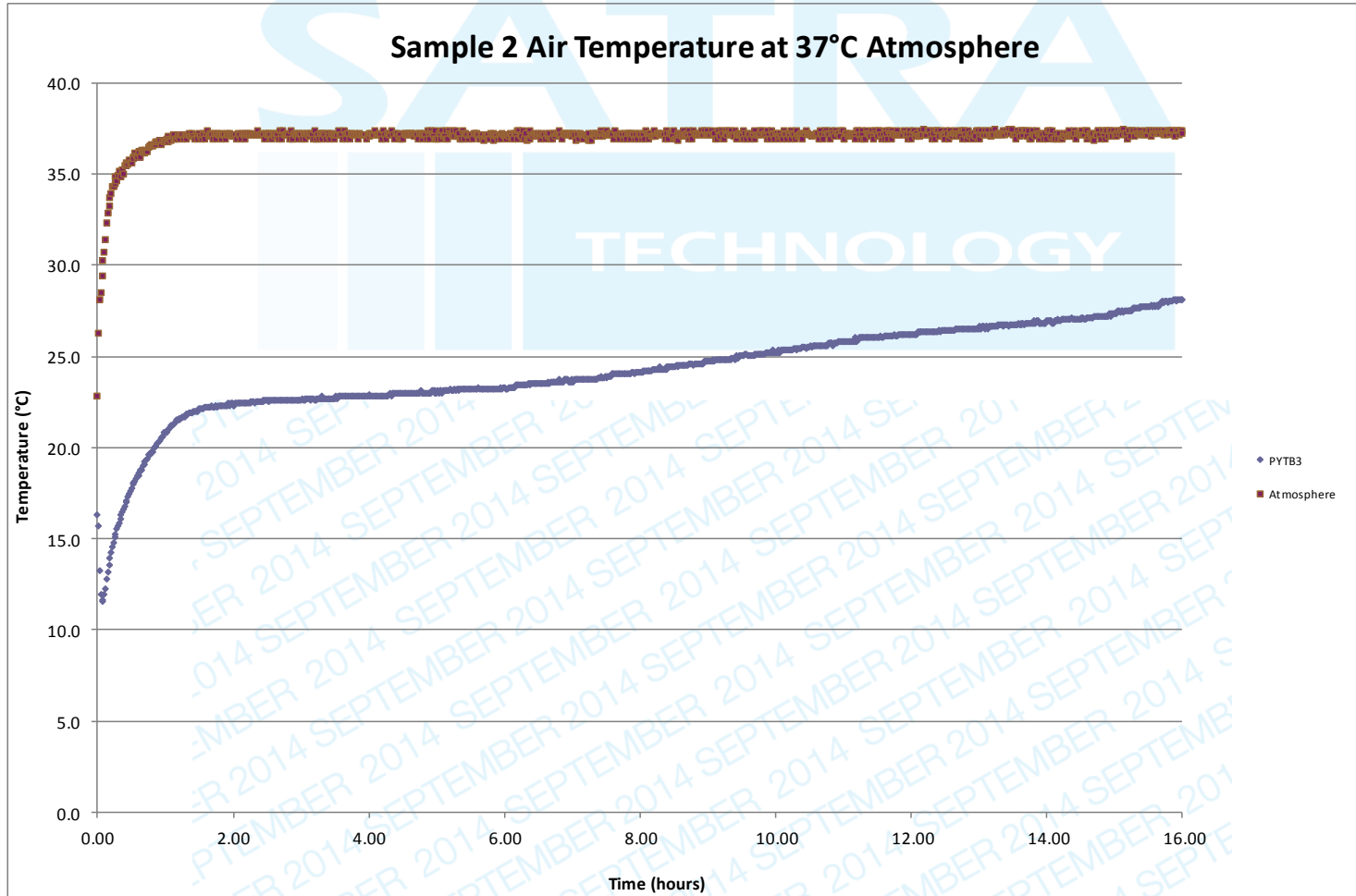
## Test Results

Mean external temperature: 37°C

Sample 1	
Elapsed Time (hours)	Temperature of internal air (°C)
Initial temperature	11.2
1	11.7
2	12.8
3	13.2
4	13.3
5	13.6
6	13.9
7	14.3
8	15.1
9	16.0
10	17.0
11	18.2
12	19.4
13	20.5
14	22.3
15	24.5
16	26.3

Sample 2	
Elapsed Time (hours)	Temperature of internal air (°C)
Initial temperature	16.3
1	20.8
2	22.3
3	22.6
4	22.8
5	23.0
6	23.3
7	23.6
8	24.1
9	24.7
10	25.2
11	25.8
12	26.2
13	26.6
14	26.9
15	27.3
16	28.1

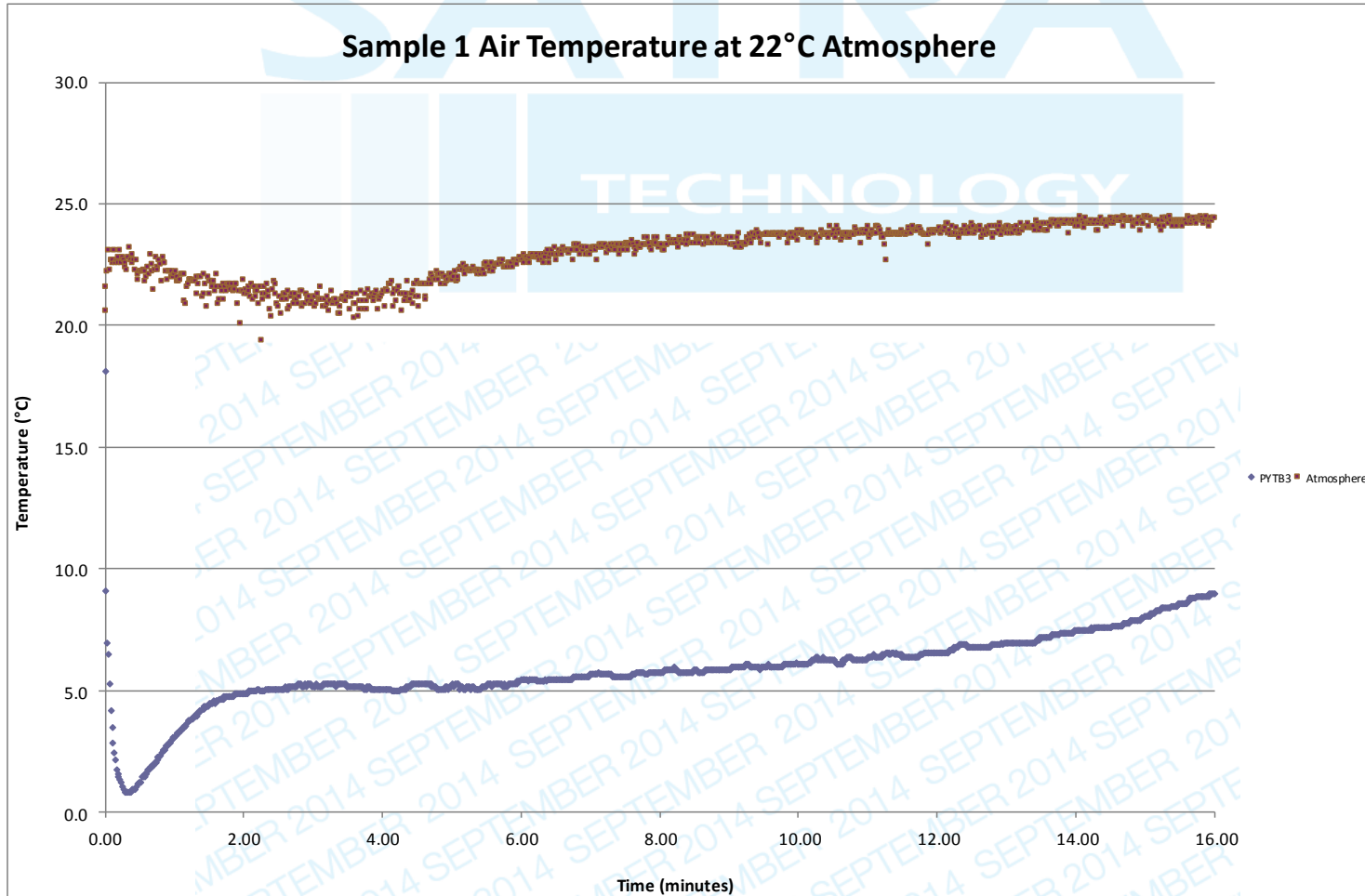


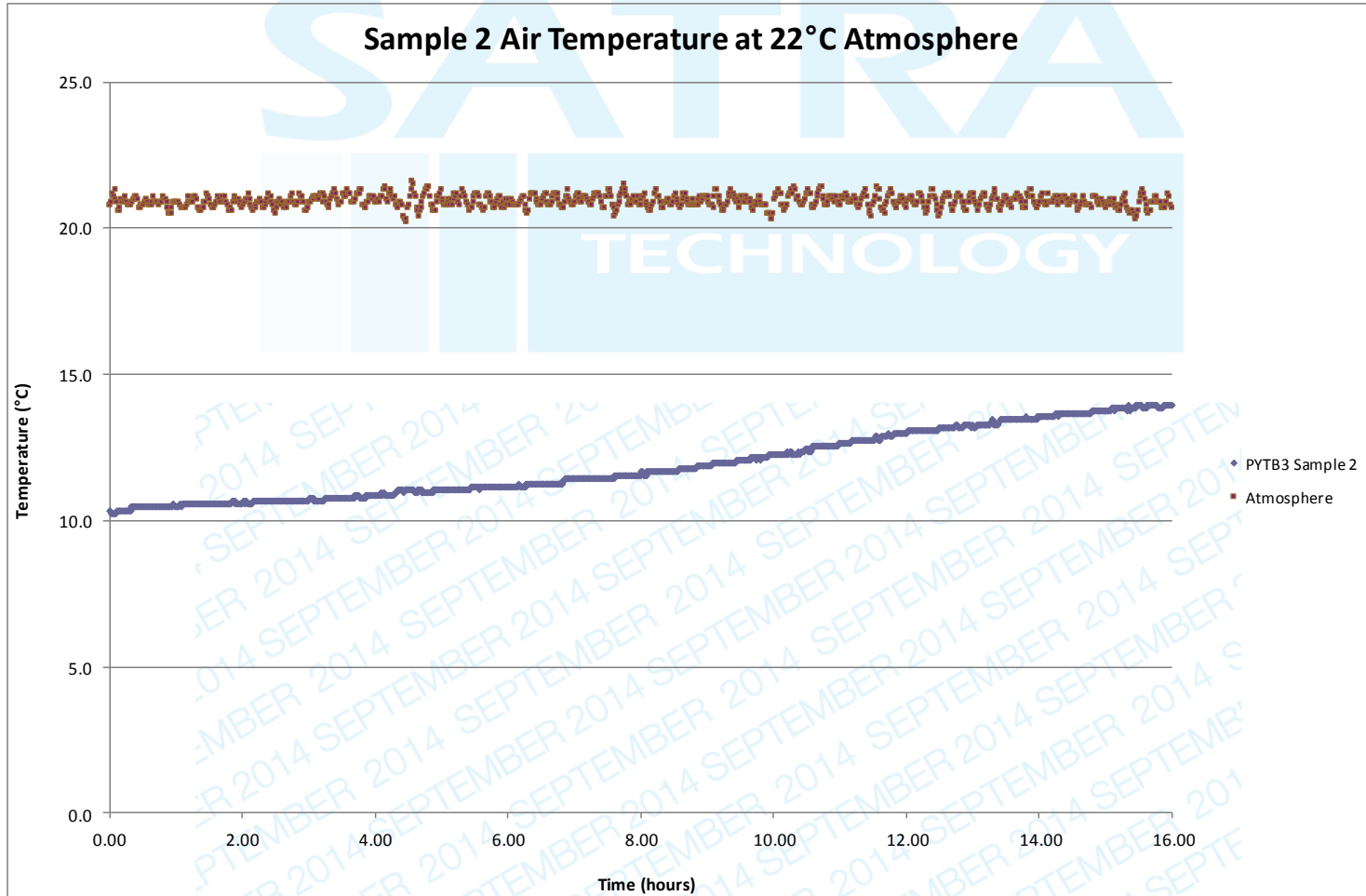


Mean external temperature: 22°C

Sample 1	
Elapsed Time (hours)	Temperature of internal air (°C)
Initial temperature	18.1
1	3.1
2	4.9
3	5.2
4	5.1
5	5.2
6	5.5
7	5.7
8	5.8
9	5.9
10	6.1
11	6.4
12	6.6
13	7.0
14	7.5
15	8.1
16	9.0

Sample 2	
Elapsed Time (hours)	Temperature of internal air (°C)
Initial temperature	10.3
1	10.4
2	10.5
3	10.6
4	10.8
5	.1
6	11.2
7	11.5
8	11.6
9	11.9
10	12.3
11	12.7
12	13.0
13	13.3
14	13.6
15	13.8
16	14.0



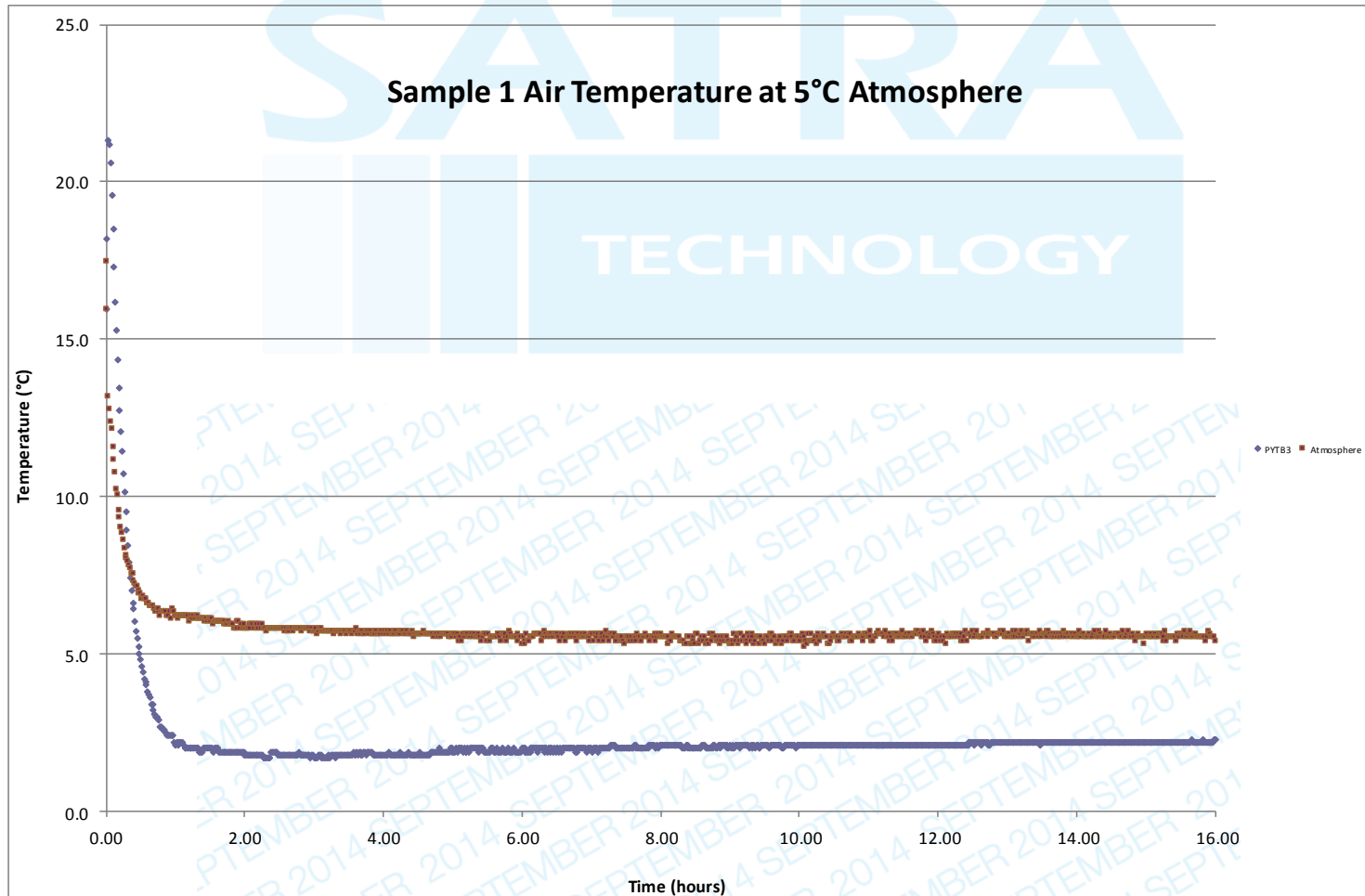


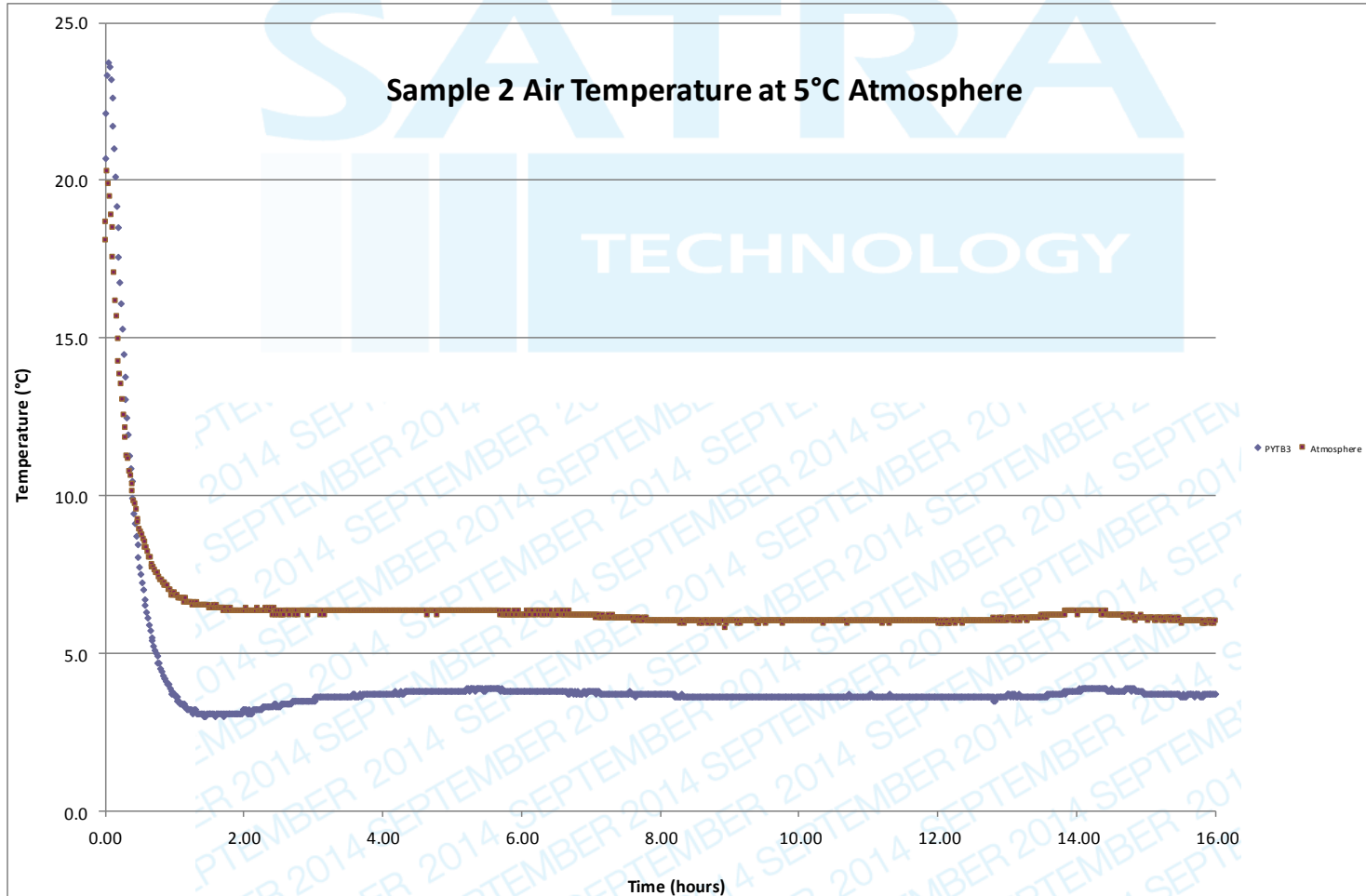


Mean external temperature: 5°C

Sample 1	
Elapsed Time (hours)	Temperature of internal air (°C)
Initial temperature	16.0
1	2.1
2	1.8
3	1.7
4	1.8
5	1.9
6	2.0
7	2.0
8	2.1
9	2.1
10	2.1
11	2.1
12	2.2
13	2.2
14	2.2
15	2.3
16	2.2

Sample 2	
Elapsed Time (hours)	Temperature of internal air (°C)
Initial temperature	20.7
1	3.7
2	3.2
3	3.5
4	3.7
5	3.8
6	3.8
7	3.8
8	3.7
9	3.6
10	3.6
11	3.6
12	3.6
13	3.8
14	3.7
15	3.7
16	3.6





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