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**To:** Pereira, Peter; Tah, Richard; Graves, Thomas;  
Anderson, Lauren (Marlborough); Shreeve, David  
**CC:** Goddard, James  
**Subject:** FW: NOTES: Marlex Mesh Run-Out Date

Pete, Richard, Tom and Lauren,

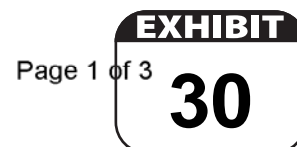
An FYI just to keep you in the loop regarding the new Marlex shipment, etc. (see thread below). Regarding bullet point 2, we are moving forward with Marlex. If the material from China didn't meet testing requirements, we may be told to switch back. However, I've been told by Jim and Al that we're to move forward with Marlex.

The risk we run is a repeat of the animal study if Marlex samples are underway.

Steve

**From:** Wheeler, Mitch  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 14, 2011 6:31 PM  
**To:** Smith, Charles; Intoccia, Al; Palmisano, Brent; Vialle, George; Sherry, John;  
Gardner, Donna; Courtois, Janice  
**Cc:** Cherkady, Girish; Raneri, Joe; Olivieri, Steve; Daignault, Kenneth; Newell, Kevin;  
Goddard, James; Cuddy, Christopher; Riek, Nichole  
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Full project plan needs to be developed and loaded into PDM



**From:** Smith, Charles  
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**To:** Intoccia, Al; Palmisano, Brent; Vialle, George; Sherry, John; Wheeler, Mitch; Gardner, Donna  
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Notes from our meeting on Tuesday afternoon: Attendees were: Al, George, Mitch, and I.

Purpose: To review status of current Marlex tracked per matrix/table we assembled last few months.

We also used this meeting to review the effects of three inputs/outputs:

1. New Finish goods end sales date will be completed in next few days with updated Marketing numbers for sales. Current end date is expected to move out a few months.
2. Allowing use of the current material on the Biologic and Atlas programs: AL has requested we review impact on current material if we use on these programs. Some discussion has been held over past few weeks on this.

**ACTION ITEM # 1:** Charlie will work with Jim Goddard, team leaders, and George to insure inputs are loaded in table to calculate the effect of materials on hand. The effect will then be reviewed again by Al/George to determine if we should complete request.

3. Use of the 34,000 lbs. procured from China distributor: Material testing will be completed by end of month with drafted report expected to be in place. What additional testing will be needed was discussed. It was agreed to complete additional run of material through production. Based upon volume and processes it was determined we will use the Pinnacle family.

**ACTION ITEM #2:** Charlie will work with Mitch and current Team under Joe to have material moved through extrusion to final assembly via a protocol. Upon completion of

report release into production can be completed/accessed in addition to the material testing.

Thks

Charlie