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[54] **ANTIMICROBIAL PAPER**

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[57] **ABSTRACT**

An antimicrobial additive is incorporated into the binding agent of a heavy-duty, kraft-type paper having the characteristics of substantial density, air impermeability, and improved printability. The antimicrobial additive migrates from within the binding agent onto the paper fibers to substantially eliminate growth of microorganisms thereon.

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