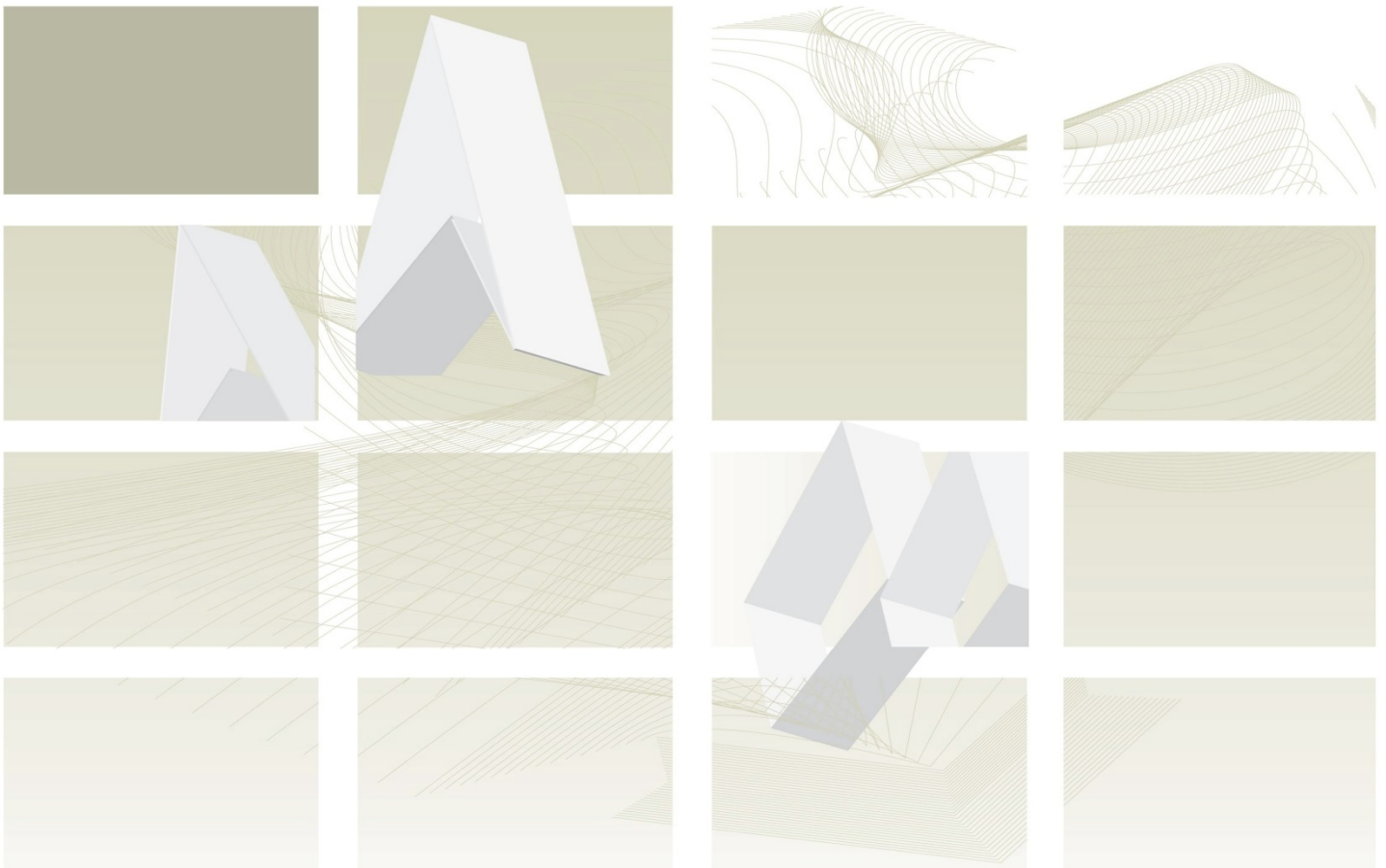




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PROPOSAL FOR CHANGES

Comment Number	1		
Date Received	25/06/2013	Lab Name	AHVLA Penrith
Section	Page 12, <i>Dermatophilus congolensis</i> culture		
Comment			
AHVLA use Haalstra's method for improved isolation of <i>D. congolensis</i> , as suggested in the OIE manual. Haalstra, RT (1965) Isolation of <i>D. congolensis</i> from skin lesions in the diagnosis of streptothricosis. Vet Rec (77) 824-825.			
Evidence			
Improved isolation rates in AHVLA labs over conventional culture of scab directly onto solid media.			
Recommended Action	ACCEPT This recommendation has been added to the document for completeness.		