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Application

Determination of colour fastness to chlorinated water according to EN ISO 105-E03.

Test material

"rhino + rhino II + rhino III"

Material used in testing was anonymized for laboratory purposes. A detailed sample list is contained in the report.

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1 Order

1.1 Chronology

Date	Received	Order
06.09.2016	07.09.2016	Determination of colour fastness to chlorinated water according to EN ISO 105-E03.

1.2 Samples

Nr.	Received	Sample Identification
1	07.09.2016	"Rhino II" – M1644 (red)
2	07.09.2016	"Rhino II" – M1167 (beige)

(Unless otherwise stated samples are provided by the customer.)

1.3 Information by the applicant

According to the applicant, the articles "rhino", "rhino II" and "rhino III" are articles with the same construction and structure only in different colors.

2 Findings / Tests performed

2.1 Description of the specimen

Description of the specimen according to DIN 60 000

Test results

Tested sample: 1

Type of fibre according to DIN 60 001 part 1 and DIN ISO 2076	88% PVC 8% Polyester 4% Cotton (declaration by the applicant)
Technological description	Coated knitted fabric

2.3 Determination of colour fastness to chlorinated water

Test conditions

According to: EN ISO 105 E03

Use quantity of active chlorine: 50 mg/l

Temperature: $27 \pm 2^\circ \text{C}$

Exposure time: 1 h

Test results

Tested sample: 1

Change in colour: Fastness-rating **4-5**

Tested sample: 2

Change in colour: Fastness-rating **4-5**

2.4 Comment on assessment of colour fastness

The assessment of change of colour is based on the extent of the visible contrast between treated and untreated specimen. This difference in coloration will be visually compared with the contrasts defined by the five pairs of neutral grey colour on the grey scale „Change in colour“ according to ISO 105-A02. Each step of the grey scale corresponds to a fastness-rating, starting with numerical rating 5 (no contrast) up to numerical rating 1 (maximum contrast).

The visual colour evaluation is performed by examiners with a normal colour vision (colour vision test according to Prof. Dr. Ishihara) and excellent colour discrimination (colour vision test according to Farnsworth-Munsell).

3 Remarks

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