

TEST REPORT

DATE: 03/04/2010 TEST NUMBER: 127044

CLIENT	Masland Carpets
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TEST METHOD CONDUCTED	Aachen - (Dimensional Stability Evaluation)
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DESCRIPTION OF TEST SAMPLE				
IDENTIFICATION	T432 Particle			
COLOR	04422			
ROLL	1000032781			
CONSTRUCTION	Loop Pattern			
FIBER	Antron ® Legacy Nylon			
BACKING	Vinyl			
REFERENCE				

GENERAL PRINCIPLE

This test is designed to examine dimensional changes in textile floor coverings due to various conditions of heat and moisture. Measurements are taken in the length and cross directions of the test sample after each treatment. A change in the dimension of the test sample is calculated as a percentage of the original preconditioned sample measurement. Shrinkage is indicated by a negative quotation while expansion is indicated by a positive quotation.

TEST RESULTS

	Measurement	Percent		Measurement	Percent
M ₀	24.0090		C ₀	24.0330	
M _{T1}	24.0020	-0.029%	C _{T1}	24.0310	-0.008%
M _{T2}	24.0115	+0.010%	C _{T2}	24.0295	-0.015%
M _{T3}	24.0040	-0.021%	Стз	24.0340	+0.004%
M _{T4}	24.0025	-0.027%	C _{T4}	24.0275	-0.023%

Original measurement in machine direction Co Original measurement in cross direction

Two hours in drying oven at 60° C T₁

Two hours submerged in 0.1% detergent solution at 20°C T_2

Twenty four hours in drying oven at 60°C T_3

Forty eight hours conditioning at 20°C and 65% relative humidity

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AVERAGE CHANGE MACHINE DIRECTION -0.004 Inch AVERAGE CHANGE CROSS DIRECTION -0.003 Inch

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