Spinneybeck

Technical Data Sheet

Forte (FE)

Upholstery Leather	Technical Data
Leather Specifications	
Style	Forte (FE)
Description	Full grain, aniline dyed leather
	GREENGUARD Certfified
Thickness	1.0–1.1 mm
Weight	2.50–2.75 oz. per sq. ft.
Average Hide Size	50–55 sq. ft.
Finish	Durable, breathable, highly protective finish
Performance Characteristics	Tests
Light Fastness (AATCC Method 16, Option E, 72 Hours)	Class 4
Crocking (ASTM D5053)	Dry: Class 4-5 Wet: Class 4
Abrasion (ASTM D7255)	4,000+ cycles (CS-10 wheels)
	300+ cycles (H-18 wheels)
Flex (ASTM D2097)	70,000 flexes
Tongue Tear (ASTM D4704)	6.5 lbs.
Slit Tear (ASTM D2212)	15 lbs.
Tearing Strength, Double Hole (ASTM D4705)	25 lbs.
Breaking Force (ASTM D2208)	150 lbs.
Elongation (ASTM D2211)	30-50% at 50 lbs.
Flammability	Passes the following flammability tests
California Technical Bulletin 117	Complies
Boston Fire Dept. BFD IX-1	Complies (with flame treatment)
Cigarette Ignition Resistance (NFPA-260)	Class I (with flame treatment)
Surface Burning Characteristics of Bldg. Materials (ASTM E84)	Class I (with flame treatment)
IMO Resolution A.652 (16)	Complies
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*Successfully used in CAL 133 applications with Fire	gard F187 fire backer material or equivalent.
Aviation Flammability	Flame Treated to pass the following flammability tests
FAR 25.853(a), Amendment 25-100,	
Appendix F, Part I (a)(1)(i)	60 Second Vertical Burn
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Appendix F, Part I (a)(1)(ii)	12 Second Vertical Burn
FAR 25.853(c), Amendment 25-100,	
Appendix F, Part II $(a)(4)$ and (5)	Oil Burner (Fire Block)
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Dust regularly. Minor spots can be washed off using lukewarm water and mild soap. Do not soak. Never clean with abrasive solvents, alcohol, or wax-based products.

Approved maintenance products are available from Spinneybeck.