MECHANICAL TESTS



MARTINDALE WEAR RESISTANCE

ISO 12947-2, EN 14465



Principle

Martindale test – assesses fabric's resistance to abrasion. The fabric sample is placed in the Martindale machine and tested for abrasion.

The fabric sample is assessed at certain intervals to identify yarn breakages and appearance changes (example: loss of pile or pilling).

The test is completed when the fabric sample reaches a specified number of broken threads or when the appearance of the fabric has substantially changed.



Results

This is the general classification

Light domestic	
General domestic	
Severe domestic	
Severe contract	

≥ 15,000 rubs
≥ 20,000 rubs
≥ 30,000 rubs
≥ 40,000 rubs







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40,000 rubs

Application Standards

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