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Test Report no. A 473738-1

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Kvadrat A/S, Lundbergsvej 10, 8400 Ebeltoft	
Test material: Upholstery fabric, Metric by Maharam	
Design:	Received: 23-03-2012 Completed: 27-03-2012
Fibre content: 51 % post-industrial recycled polyester, 49% polyester (Manufacturer's information)	Sample no.: 473738-1
Care label: (Not given)	Your ref.: Lone Henriksen

Test Methods	Results
Determination of fabric propensity to surface fuzzing and to pilling	<u>Assessment stage</u> <u>Number of rubs</u> <u>Pilling grade</u>
EN ISO 12945-2:2000	1 500 4-5
Modified Martindale method	2 1000 4
1-5 scale, 5 best rating	3 2000 4
Number of test specimens:	4 5000 4
Number of observers: 2	Final grade 4
Pre-treatment: none	The final grading at 2000 rubs relates to fuzzing
Abradant: Wool abradant fabric	
Loading mass: 415 g	

The test has been performed according to the attached conditions, which are according to the guidelines laid down by DANAK (The Danish Accreditation). The testing is only valid for the tested specimen. The test report may only be extracted, if the laboratory has approved the extract.

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