

Received: 04/13/2009	Completed: 04/24/2009	Letter: N	rb	P.O.#:	Test Report #:	2-78157-0
Client's Identification	Style: Polytex. Content: HDPE. Width: 150". Finish: None. Weight: 7 oz.sq.yd. End Use: Sun Shades/Tension Membranes.					
Tested For: Steve Morenberg	Poly Fab USA LLC 1601 N. Sepulveda Blvd., #392 Manhattan Beach, CA 90266				Key Test: NFPA 701-2004 TM#1	165
				Tel: 1-(440)-503-9056	Ext:	
				Fax: 1-(310)-626-9639		

PC: 0.5H

TEST PERFORMED: NFPA 701 - Standard Methods of Fire Tests for Flame Propagation of Textiles and Films - 2004 Edition - Test Method #1

PRODUCT CONFIGURATION: Single Layer; Multi Layer

RESULTS REPORTED: Initially; After 3 dry cleanings; After 5 launderings @ 160°F

RESULTS:

Specimen #	Afterflame* (seconds)	Flaming Drip (seconds)	Weight Loss (percent)	Flame Projects Above Top Of Specimen (yes/no)
1	0	0	1.3	No
2	0	0	0.7	No
3	0	0	0.7	No
4	0	0	1.3	No
5	0	0	2.6	No
6	0	0	0.6	No
7	0	0	2.1	No
8	0	0	1.3	No
9	0	0	3.3	No
10	0	0	2.0	No
	Mean: 0	Mean: 0	Mean: 1.6	

STATISTICAL VALUES: SD = 0.9 3 SD = 2.7 Mean + 3 SD = 4.3

ABBREVIATIONS USED: SD = Standard deviation.

APPROXIMATE WEIGHT OF MATERIAL (as measured by Govmark): 292 g/m²

PRECONDITIONING: 0.5 hr @ 220°F (Standard)
 24 hrs @ 68±9°F (Alternate: Material shrinks/distorts @ 220°F)

CONVERSION FACTOR: g/m² ÷ 28.35 x .835 = oz/yd²

NOTE:
1. All specimens prepared in the length direction.
2. See addendum for individual specimen weights.

REMARKS: None.

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FAILURE CRITERIA: As cited by NFPA 701 - 2004 Edition Test Method #1 (see Comments on page 3)

Afterflame	Flaming Drip (Mean)	Weight Loss (percent)	
		Mean	Individual Specimen
*	Exceeds 2 seconds	Exceeds 40%	Exceeds Mean + 3 SD

CONCLUSION: Based on the Results on page 1 and the above Failure Criteria cited by NFPA 701 - 2004 Edition Test Method #1, the item tested:

Passes; Fails; Requires testing of 10 additional specimens
 i.e. only one individual specimen failure was noted

REVISED FAILURE CRITERIA (see Comments on page 3):

Afterflame	Flaming Drip (Mean)	Weight Loss		Flame Height (Individual Specimen)
		Mean	Ind. Spec.	
*	Exceeds 2 seconds	Exceeds 40%	Exceeds 50%	Projects above top of specimen

CONCLUSION: Based on the Results on page 1 and the above Revised Failure Criteria, the item tested:

Passes; Fails; Requires testing of 10 additional specimens
 i.e. only one individual specimen failure was noted

* Afterflame is required to be recorded; however, the NFPA document does not factor it into the Failure Criteria reporting requirements. It should be noted that excessive afterflames (15 seconds or more) could be cause for rejection by local fire authorities performing "match" field tests.

CERTIFICATION: I certify that the above results were obtained after testing specimens in accordance with the procedures and equipment specified by NFPA 701 - 2004 Edition Test Method #1 with additional recording of flame height.

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COMMENTS:

The Govmark Org., Inc. has determined to establish failure criteria over and above the criteria spelled out in the NFPA document. The rationale for the "revised" criteria is as follows:

Weight Loss - Individual Specimen Failure:

 The NFPA 701 document, as written, provides for a statistical calculation which provides for retest and a potential failure if any individual value exceeds the mean by three standard deviations. Govmark is of the opinion that this cannot mathematically occur, i.e. no individual result is mathematically capable of exceeding the mean plus three standard deviations. Therefore, Govmark has established 50% as the absolute number for individual specimen criteria.

Individual Specimen - Flame Projects Above Top of Specimen:

 When NFPA introduced the weight loss criteria, this was hailed as a more objective measure of product performance over previous editions, which relied on visual measurements of fire degradation. Unforeseen were those products which are composed of finishes over substantially non burning substrates. Intense flaming of the finishes occurs without substantially reducing the total weight of the specimen that was tested. It is believed that similar behavior of the intensely burning surface finishes on products made from such material could result in the ignition of nearby combustibles.

Client Name : PolyFab USA
Addendum to Test Report # : 2-78157-0
Test : NFPA 701

<u>Specimen #</u>	<u>Weight Before Test (g)</u>	<u>Weight After Test (g)</u>	<u>Percent Weight Loss</u>
1	15.10	14.90	1.3
2	14.80	14.70	0.7
3	14.90	14.80	0.7
4	15.40	15.20	1.3
5	15.10	14.70	2.6
6	15.50	15.40	0.6
7	14.60	14.30	2.1
8	15.20	15.00	1.3
9	15.10	14.60	3.3
10	15.30	15.00	2.0

Mean Percent Weight Loss : 1.6
Standard Deviation : 0.9
3 x Standard Deviation : 2.7
Mean + 3 x Standard Deviation : 4.3

Received: 04/08/2009	Completed: 04/17/2009	Letter: G	rb	P.O.#:	Test Report #:	2-78101-0-
Client's Identification	Polytex. A Superior Fire Rated Knitted HDPE Shade Fabric Designed For Use In Modular Shade Structures And Shade Sails. 7 oz/sq.yd					
Tested For: Steve Morenberg	Poly Fab USA LLC 1601 N. Sepulveda Blvd., #392 Manhattan Beach, CA 90266			Key Test: ASTM E 84 (BLDG)	825	
				Tel: 1-(440)-503-9056	Ext:	
				Fax: 1-(310)-626-9639		

PC: ME /jd

TEST PERFORMED: ASTM E 84 - Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials *

PRODUCT CATEGORY: Textile Type Product
 Vinyl Type Product
 Other than Textile Type or Vinyl Type Product:

* Note: Textile or expanded vinyl wallcoverings classified by this procedure are limited to use in sprinklered areas in certain public occupancies. If textile or expanded vinyl wallcoverings are used in non-sprinklered areas, a room/corner fire test is mandated, such as NFPA 265 for textiles and NFPA 286 for expanded vinyls.

NFPA 286 test method standard applies not only to expanded vinyls, but also to all non-textile products. Therefore, it should be considered for all interior finish applications in non-sprinklered areas.

SPECIMEN MOUNTING:

Adhered: The test specimen was bonded to three 1/4" IRC (Inorganic Reinforced Cement) boards (a cement asbestos substitute) to form a test specimen the face of which was 23" ± 1" x 24'.

Unadhered: The 23" ± 1" x 24' specimen was not adhered to any substrate. Instead, it was laid over a 2" hexagonal wire mesh screen and 1/4" rods.

RESULTS:

Flame Spread Index: 15

Smoke Developed: 25

REMARKS: None.

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CONCLUSION: Based on the above Results and Code Classification System the item tested is assigned a:

Class I or A rating
 Class II or B rating
 Class III or C rating
 Unrated

DATA SUMMARY:

Time to Ignition: 0.03 minutes
 Maximum Flame Spread "Distance": 2.98 feet
 Maximum Flame Spread "Time": 1.52 minutes

CODE CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM:

	Flame Spread Index	Smoke Developed
Class I or A:	0 - 25	450 or less
Class II or B:	26 - 75	450 or less
Class III or C:	76 - 200	450 or less

- BUILDING CODE CITATION FOR THE CLASSIFICATION SCHEME:
- (1) 2006 edition, NFPA 101 Life Safety Code, para. 10.2.3.4
 - (2) 2006 edition, NFPA 5000 Building Construction & Safety Code, para. 10.3.2
 - (3) 2006 edition, International Building Code, para. 803.1

CERTIFICATION: I certify that the above results were obtained after testing specimens in accordance with the procedures and equipment specified by ASTM E 84.

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