



# **CE Technical File – General Information & Rational**

The Coverco Anti-Static Spray Suit described in this technical file are certified by SAI Global (NB 2056) to EN 13034:2005 + Amend 1:2009 through the CE marking and certification scheme to the PPE directive 89/686/EEC as a Category III – Article 11A product and have had EC Certificate CEPPE20015 issued.



# EC CERTIFICATE of CONFORMITY

SAI Global Assurance Services Limited ("SAI Global") (Notified Body No: NB2056) has examined the product and the related technical documentation as presented and certifies that the product complies with the Directive(s) and Standard or Specification as below and on the appendixes included with the certificate.

Certificate holder: Coverco Australia Pty Ltd,

2756 Glenrowan Myrtleford Rd, Markwood, VIC 3678, Australia

Product Description: Protective Clothing – Anti-Static Spray Suit - (Category III)

Examined for compliance with: Directive PPE 89/686/EEC

Relevant Standard(s)/Technical Specification: EN 13034: 2005 + A1: 2009 - Protective clothing against liquid chemicals - Performance requirements for chemical protective clothing offering limited protective performance against liquid chemicals (Type 6 and Type PB[6] equipment)

Additional Information:

Date of issue: 07th April 2011

Certificate No: **CEPPE20015** 

Authorized Signatory Certification Chairman

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# APPENDIX 1

SAI Global Assurance Services Limited ("SAI Global") (Notified Body No: NB2056) has examined the product and the related technical documentation as presented and certifies that the product complies with the Directive(s) and Standard or Specification as below.

Product Description: Protective Clothing – Anti-Static Spray Suit - (Category III)

Model: Coverco Anti-Static Spray Suit – Model CFO

Examined for compliance with: Directive PPE 89/686/EEC (Article 10 & 11a)

Relevant Standard(s)/Technical Specification: EN 13034: 2005 + A1: 2009 - Protective clothing against liquid chemicals - Performance requirements for chemical protective clothing offering limited protective performance against liquid chemicals (Type 6 and Type PB[6] equipment)

Technical file Reference No: CEPPE20015 - CR10885

Additional Information:

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# **AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OF TECHNICAL FILE**

I, Glenn Forshaw, hereby authorize the Coverco Anti-Static Spray Suit – Model CFO described in this Technical File and certified by are certified by SAI Global (NB 2056) under Certificate No CEPPE20015A1 will be provided to Shaoxing Huanxin Imp & Exp Co Ltd, as SX Spray Suit labeled product.

No changes to the product other than model number and company name on the product will differ from that on the original Test Report and CE Certificate as referenced.

Coverco Australia Pty Ltd takes full responsibility for ensuring that the same QA procedures as employed in the manufacture of the product as referenced on the original CE Certificate No. **CEPPE20015A1** ensuring all products(s) supplied meet the relevant clauses of EN 13034:2005 + Amend 1:2009, against which the product has been assessed and certified.

Signed on behalf of Coverco Australia Pty Ltd

Signature:

Print Name: Glenn Forshaw

Title: Director

Date Signed: 08/04/2011

# Certification – Article 11A Testing Coverco Australia Pty Ltd

#### **Finished Product Testing**

### **Internal Testing**

The following are the internal testing rates on finished product:

100% Visual Inspection of all manufactured product.

All In-process testing and final batch release testing will be conducted in accordance with the Coverco Australia quality control procedures.

## External Testing - SAI Global

In addition to our internal inspection and testing procedures, Coverco Australia will ensure the C€ certified Coverall will be tested by SAI Global at a minimum rate of once every year in accordance with Article 11A. This test will be conducted to meet the requirements of EN 13034: 2005 + A1: 2009

Name: Mr Glenn Forshaw

Date: 04/04/2011

Title: Director

Mfg. Coverco Australia Pty Ltd

# Declaration of Conformity to Basic Requirements (89/686/EEC Annex II)

The manufacturer:

Coverco Australia Pty Ltd, 2756 Glenrowan Myrtleford Rd, Markwood, VIC 3678, Australia Telephone +61 3 57271235 Fax +61 3 57271595

has considered all the requirements as found in Annex II of the directive as determined applicable to the device described below and assures the conformity of the device to same by utilizing Annex ZA of the applicable harmonized standard EN 13034:2005 + A1:2009

PART NUMBERS: Coverco Anti-Static Spray Suit - Model CFO

Done at

Coverco Australia Pty Ltd, 2756 Glenrowan Myrtleford Rd, Markwood, VIC 3678, Australia

Name: Mr Glenn Forshaw

Date: 04/04/2011

Title: Director

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# EC Directive 89/686/EEC Annex VI

## **Declaration of Conformity**

The manufacturer or his authorized representative established in the Community:

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declares that the new PPE described hereafter

#### Coverco Anti-Static Spray Suit - Model CFO

is in conformance with the provisions of Council Directive 89/686/EEC and, where such is the case, with the harmonized standard EN 13034:2005 + A1:2009 and is identical to the PPE which is the subject of EC certificate of conformity No.CEPPE20015 as issued by:

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United Kingdom
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This product is subject to the procedures as set out in Article 11A of EC Directive 89/686/EEC.

Name: Mr Glenn Forshaw

Date: 04/04/2011

Title: Director

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# Suppliers Declaration of Compliance/Letter of Guarantee (for all critical raw materials/ parts)

**Vendor Information:** 

Vendor Name:	Coverco Australia Pty Ltd
Vendor Address:	2756 Glenrowan Myrtleford Rd, Markwood, VIC 3678, Australia
Vendor Representative:	Mr Glenn Forshaw
Telephone:	+61 3 57271235
Fax:	+61 3 57271595
Email Address:	glenn.forshaw@coverco.com.au

We, Coverco Australia Pty Ltd certify that all products will comply with the below requirements:

A. All products are in compliance with EN 13034: 2005 + A1: 2009 certified specifications.

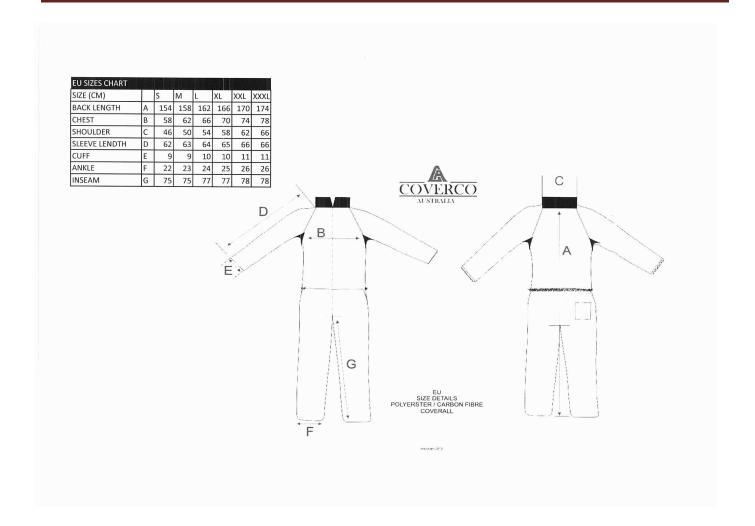
Glenn Forshaw

Date: 04/04/2011

Signature:

Position: Director

Company Name: Coverco Australia Pty Ltd





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#### **CARE INSTRUCTIONS**

Coverco Antistatic Spray Suit

#### **CARE INSTRUCTIONS**

 Designed and recommended for spray paint application with in appropriate spray painting booths

#### **WASHING INSTRUCTIONS**

- Fasten Front, Before Washing
- Warm Hand Or Warm Machine Wash Only
- Do Not Iron
- Do Not Tumble Dry
- Do Not Dry Clean

#### RECOMMENDATIONS

- The Antistatic Properties within the Garment (Carbon Fibre Thread) can deplete Over a Period of Time; it is Recommended the Garment Should is replaced after 50 Washes or 3 Months of wear or whatever comes first, this is to ensure the highest Antistatic properties are achievable
- Keep Away From Sharp Objects
- Zips Must Be Closed Fully Whilst In Use
- Always Wear Head Cover (Hood) If Applicable
- Avoid chemical / Paint spillages directly onto garment
- Breathable
- Washable

#### This model is certified by:

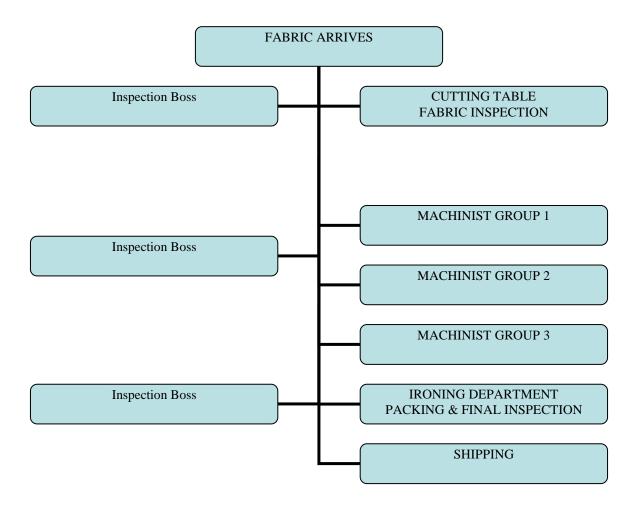
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# Certification - Production Quality Plan Coverco Australia Pty Ltd

# **Quality Control Brief**

- 1. Fabric is inspected for faults as is been laid out on cutting table, No garment is manufactured with faulty fabric, the fabric construction is 99% Polyester, 1% Carbon Fibre, it is critical the technical specification of the fabric is in excellent condition, prior to cutting. Colour is checked for appropriate job.
- 2. Patten layout is inspected for correct yardage, as and all fabric is cut in the correct direction.
- 3. Garments are manufactured is sizing groups, to ensure all sizing remain constant with production order
- 4. All cutting and manufacturing equipment is inspected prior to cutting to make sure all equipment is in good operational working order, all machines are checked at the start of each working day
- 5. Each machinist is given a brief on the garment they are manufacturing. Before any job starts,
- 6. When a machinist finishes the first few seams, their checked for correct sizing, prior to production
- 7. All accessories are inspected prior to installation to garments. After installation, seems of accessories are checked, before they move to the next department
- 8. All machinists' work is visually inspected buy following, to insure last Machinist work is correct. All machinists are responsible to ensure threads are trimmed as required, If any faults, correction boss will advise worker to fix or discard
- 9. Inspection boss also checks random garments, before next machinists receives job, Including, seams, seam strength, thread strength, there's no gathering of fabric under seams, over locking stitching is correct, all finished end seams are tied off, and measuring.
- 10. Finish garments are randomly measured, to ensure correct sizing
- 11. Final Inspection is done by garment finishing workers, who will inspect every garment, trim excess threads, fasten all zips, and prepare for Ironing and packing department.
- 12. Packing department will go over each garment as its being Ironed and packed before shipping.

# **QUALITY FLOW CHART**





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Client: COVERCO AUSTRALIA Pty Ltd.

PO Box 389 Moorabbin

Vic 3189

**AUSTRALIA** 

Job Title: Tests on one coverall

Client's order no:

Date of receipt: 24<sup>th</sup> January 2011 Date of test start: 27<sup>th</sup> January 2011

Description of sample(s): Three coveralls and three additional meters of woven material,

identified as follows, were received for testing:

Coverall - 99% Polyester, 1% Carbon Fibre with Teflon Coating

Work requested: We were asked to make the following tests as specified in EN

14325: 2004, "Protective clothing against chemicals – Test methods and performance classification of chemical protective clothing materials, seams, joins and assemblages", and as required by EN 13034: 2005 + A1: 2009, "Protective clothing against liquid chemicals – Performance requirements for chemical protective clothing offering limited protective performance against

liquid chemicals (Type 6 and Type PB [6] equipment).

Abrasion resistance EN 530 Method 2 Trapezoidal tear resistance EN ISO 9073-4

Tensile strength EN ISO 13934-1 Puncture resistance EN 863 Repellency to liquids EN 368

Resistance to penetration by liquids EN 368

Seam strength EN ISO 13935-2

\*Resistance to penetration by liquids EN ISO 17491-4

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Sample was identified as follows:

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#### **Laboratory Work**

Where appropriate, the tests were made in Standard Atmosphere (65  $\pm$  4% relative humidity at 20  $\pm$  2°C) the sample having been freely and continuously exposed to that atmosphere for at least 24 hours prior to testing. Specimens have been taken from the sample as described in the specified standards, except where indicated otherwise.

NOTE - The tests were made as specified in EN 14325: 2004, "Protective clothing against chemicals",

#### Pre-conditioning

Prior to all testing, the samples were subjected to five cycles of cleaning in accordance with the manufacturers instructions. (Simulated wand wash at 40°C with line drying).

#### Abrasion resistance

Abrasion resistance was carried out in accordance with EN 530: 2010, Method 2.

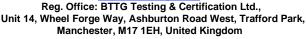
The Martindale Abrasion tester was employed in the inverted mode, i.e. the test specimen was placed on the abradant table and the abradant was mounted in the test-piece holder. Testing was carried out on the face of the specimens.

Four specimens were mounted over woven felt base-pads and abraded under a test head pressure of 9kPa using grade 00 abrasive cloth for a pre-determined number of cycles or until failure occurred.

It was not possible to assess the performance of the fabric using the pressure pot, as required by EN 14325, therefore, the end-point was determined using visual assessment as specified in EN 530: 2010.

Specimen breakdown in woven fabrics is when two separate threads are completely broken.











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#### Trapezoidal tear resistance

Trapezoidal tear resistance was measured in accordance with EN ISO 9073-4: 1997.

Five specimens were prepared in each direction as described in the standard. A force was applied, to steadily extend a cut in the test specimen. The mean average tear resistance is given in Newtons.

The performance of the material was classified using the mean result according to the performance levels given in Table 4.

#### **Tensile Strength**

Tensile strength was measured in accordance with EN ISO 13934-1: 1999.

Five specimens were prepared in each direction, each having an effective width of 50mm and long enough to enable a gauge length of 200mm to be used. The tests were made on a Testometric C.R.E. machine fitted with flat faced jaws operating at a rate of extension of 100 mm per minute. A pre-tension of 2 Newtons was employed.

Results are reported as required by the standard.

The performance of the material was classified using the mean result according to the performance levels given in Table 6.

#### Puncture resistance

Puncture resistance was measured in accordance with EN 863: 1995.

Four specimens were tested with the outer face of the fabric to the probe. The maximum force required to push the spike through the specimen is recorded as puncture resistance.

The mean value is rounded to the nearest whole number, as required by the standard.

The performance of the material was classified using the mean result according to the performance levels given in Table 7.







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#### Repellency to liquids and resistance to penetration by liquids

The tests were made in accordance with EN ISO 6530: 2005 (supersedes EN 368: 1992 which is withdrawn) against the following chemicals. The chemical was applied to the outer face.

Delivery rate: 10ml in 10±1s Delivery temperature: 20°C

Chemical 1: 30% H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>
Chemical 2: 10% NaOH
Chemical 3: o-Xylene
Chemical 4: Butan-1-ol

The sample was classified according to the performance levels given in Table 10 and Table 11 using the lowest single value.

#### Resistance to Ignition

Resistance to Ignition tests were made in accordance with EN 13274-4 Method 3.

The performance of the material was assessed according to Table 11.

#### Seam strength

Seam strength was measured in accordance with EN ISO 13935-2: 1999.

Three specimens were prepared as described in the standard. The tests were made on a Testometric M500 C.R.E. machine fitted with 25 mm grab jaws, set 100mm apart and operating at a constant rate of extension of 50 mm per minute. No pretension was used.

The mean result is reported as required by the standard.

The performance of the material was assessed using the result according to the performance levels given in Table 13.

#### Resistance to penetration by liquids

The tests were made following the EN ISO 17491-4: 2008, method A (low-level spray) procedure.

An aqueous spray, containing a fluorescent or visible dye tracer, is directed under controlled conditions at the chemical protective clothing worn by a human test subject. Inspection of the inside surface of the clothing and the outside surface of the absorbent overall worn under the test garment allows any points of inward leakage to be identified.

The results of all tests completed to date given in the tables on the following pages.

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ABRASION	ABRASION RESISTANCE			
Class	Number of Cycles	]		
6	>2 000	]		
5	>1 500	]		
4	>1 000	]		
3	>500	1		
2	>100	]		
1	>10	1		
Specimen Number	Number of Cycles	Class		
1	>2000			
2	>2000	6		
3	>2000			
4	>2000	]		
Lowest single result	>2000			









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TRAPE	]		
Class	Tear Re	sistance	]
6	> 1	150	
5	> 1	100	ĺ
4	>	60	]
3	>	40	1
2	>	]	
1	>	10	1
Specimen Number	Tear through Warp	Tear through Weft	Class
1	228.55	79.63	
2	223.51	67.33	]
3	231.67		
4	217.18	4	
5	258.89	77.47	1
Mean	231.96	81.08	1







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Class	Tensil	e Strength		
6	>	1 000	]	
5	>	500		
4	>	250	]	
3	>	100		
2	;	]		
1	;	> 30		
Specimen Number	Warp	Weft	Class	
1	1395.60	722.10		
2	1400.00	706.50	]	
3	1387.50 708.10		5	
4	1353.10	]		
5	1367.90			
Mean	1400	720		









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PUNCTURE R	PUNCTURE RESISTANCE (N)		
Class	Puncture Resistance		
6	> 250		
5	> 150		
4	> 100		
3	> 50		
2	> 10		
1	> 5		
Specimen Number		Class	
1	57.31		
2	56.19		
3	57.37	3	
4	54.04		
Mean	56		







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**RESULTS** 

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REPELLENCY TO LIQUIDS & RESISTANCE TO PENETRATION BY LIQUIDS 30% Sulphuric Acid (H SQ )						
Specimen	Specimen 1 <sup>n̂</sup> 2 <sup>n̂</sup> 3 <sup>n̂</sup> 4 <sup>⊕</sup> 5 <sup>⊕</sup> 6 <sup>⊕</sup>					
Repellency, %	<b>Repellency, %</b> 98.3 98.7 97.6 98.5 98.9 98.5					
Penetration, %	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

REPELLENCY TO LIQUIDS & RESISTANCE TO PENETRATION BY LIQUIDS  10% Sodium Hydroxide (NaOH)						
1 <sup>m̂</sup> 2 <sup>m̂</sup> 3 <sup>m̂</sup> 4 <sup>⊕</sup> 5 <sup>⊕</sup> 6 <sup>⊕</sup>						
Repellency, %	<b>Repellency, %</b> 98.7 99.6 99.5 98.7 99.4 99.4					
Penetration, %	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.1

REPELLENCY TO LIQUIDS & RESISTANCE TO PENETRATION BY LIQUIDS* o-Xvlene (undiluted)						
Specimen 1 <sup>♠</sup> 2 <sup>♠</sup> 3 <sup>♠</sup> 4 <sup>↔</sup> 5 <sup>↔</sup> 6 <sup>↔</sup>						
<b>Repellency, %</b> 92.4 94.7 95.5 93.9 95.0 94.1						
Penetration, %	3.6	3.5	2.7	4.0	2.8	2.2

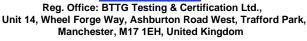
REPELLENCY TO LIQUIDS & RESISTANCE TO PENETRATION BY LIQUIDS*  Butan-1-ol (undiluted)						
Specimen 1th 2th 3th 40% 50% 60%						
Repellency, %	<b>Repellency, %</b> 92.3 94.0 91.4 86.2 85.9 78.9					
Penetration, %	5.0	4.1	6.5	10.2	7.7	13.5

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REPELLENCY TO LIQUIDS	•			
Class	Repellency index (%) Penetration Index (%)			
3	>95	<1		
2	>90	<5		
1	>80	<10		
Chemical	Results	Result	Class	Class
	(lowest values)	(poorest values)	Repellency	Penetration
30% Sulphuric Acid (H SQ )	97.6	0.0	3	3
10% Sodium Hydroxide (NaOH)	98.7	0.6	3	3
o-Xylene	92.4	4.0	2	2
Butan-1-ol	78.9	13.5	None	None







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SEAM S	TRENGTH (N)	]
Class	Seam Strength	1
6	> 500	]
5	> 300	1
4	> 125	]
3	> 75	1
2	> 50	]
1	> 30	]
Seam Type		Class
1	270	4







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Product Standard: EN ISO 13634: 2009 Standard EN ISO 17491 4: 2008, Me hot AA T D D T A Standard EN ISO 17491 4: 2008, Me hot AA T D D T A Standard EN ISO 17491 4: 2008, Me hot AA T D D T A STANDARD EN ISO 17491 4: 2008 Me hot AA T D D T A STANDA

Test Liquid: Aqueous solution with dye water-soluble, with surface tension of 52 ± 7.5 x N/2m

Undergarment: White with hood (Nonwoven fabric)

Spray pressure: 3 bar Flow: 0.47 ± 0.05 l/min

Type of hydraulic nozzle: hollow-cone

Preliminary test: Execution sequence of movements (7 steps)

Pre-treatment: Yes Stain sample: 1cm

Maximum area of stains: 3 x 1cm

Size: XL

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Height of wear r: 13 Infidential Report Chest of wearer. 33cm

Additional protective accessories: latex gloves, mask, hood, waterproof overalls

PENETRATION BY SPRAY				
	Total Number of Peneration Spots 11 Total Area of Penetration Spots (cm )			
Test 1	0	0		
Test 2	0	0		
Test 3	0	0		

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Sample was identified as follows:

Coverall - 99% Polyester, 1% Carbon Fibre with Teflon Coating

#### **Laboratory Work**

Where appropriate, the tests were made in Standard Atmosphere (65  $\pm$  4% relative humidity at 20  $\pm$  2°C) the sample having been freely and continuously exposed to that atmosphere for at least 24 hours prior to testing. Specimens have been taken from the sample as described in the specified standards, except where indicated otherwise.

NOTE - The tests were made as specified in EN 14325: 2004, "Protective clothing against chemicals",

#### Pre-conditioning

Prior to all testing, the samples were subjected to five cycles of cleaning in accordance with the manufacturers instructions. (Simulated wand wash at 40°C with line drying).

#### Abrasion resistance

Abrasion resistance was carried out in accordance with EN 530: 2010, Method 2.

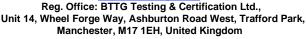
The Martindale Abrasion tester was employed in the inverted mode, i.e. the test specimen was placed on the abradant table and the abradant was mounted in the test-piece holder. Testing was carried out on the face of the specimens.

Four specimens were mounted over woven felt base-pads and abraded under a test head pressure of 9kPa using grade 00 abrasive cloth for a pre-determined number of cycles or until failure occurred.

It was not possible to assess the performance of the fabric using the pressure pot, as required by EN 14325, therefore, the end-point was determined using visual assessment as specified in EN 530: 2010.

Specimen breakdown in woven fabrics is when two separate threads are completely broken.











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#### Trapezoidal tear resistance

Trapezoidal tear resistance was measured in accordance with EN ISO 9073-4: 1997.

Five specimens were prepared in each direction as described in the standard. A force was applied, to steadily extend a cut in the test specimen. The mean average tear resistance is given in Newtons.

The performance of the material was classified using the mean result according to the performance levels given in Table 4.

#### **Tensile Strength**

Tensile strength was measured in accordance with EN ISO 13934-1: 1999.

Five specimens were prepared in each direction, each having an effective width of 50mm and long enough to enable a gauge length of 200mm to be used. The tests were made on a Testometric C.R.E. machine fitted with flat faced jaws operating at a rate of extension of 100 mm per minute. A pre-tension of 2 Newtons was employed.

Results are reported as required by the standard.

The performance of the material was classified using the mean result according to the performance levels given in Table 6.

#### Puncture resistance

Puncture resistance was measured in accordance with EN 863: 1995.

Four specimens were tested with the outer face of the fabric to the probe. The maximum force required to push the spike through the specimen is recorded as puncture resistance.

The mean value is rounded to the nearest whole number, as required by the standard.

The performance of the material was classified using the mean result according to the performance levels given in Table 7.







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#### Repellency to liquids and resistance to penetration by liquids

The tests were made in accordance with EN ISO 6530: 2005 (supersedes EN 368: 1992 which is withdrawn) against the following chemicals. The chemical was applied to the outer face.

Delivery rate: 10ml in 10±1s Delivery temperature: 20°C

Chemical 1: 30% H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>
Chemical 2: 10% NaOH
Chemical 3: o-Xylene
Chemical 4: Butan-1-ol

The sample was classified according to the performance levels given in Table 10 and Table 11 using the lowest single value.

#### Resistance to Ignition

Resistance to Ignition tests were made in accordance with EN 13274-4 Method 3.

The performance of the material was assessed according to Table 11.

#### Seam strength

Seam strength was measured in accordance with EN ISO 13935-2: 1999.

Three specimens were prepared as described in the standard. The tests were made on a Testometric M500 C.R.E. machine fitted with 25 mm grab jaws, set 100mm apart and operating at a constant rate of extension of 50 mm per minute. No pretension was used.

The mean result is reported as required by the standard.

The performance of the material was assessed using the result according to the performance levels given in Table 13.

#### Resistance to penetration by liquids

The tests were made following the EN ISO 17491-4: 2008, method A (low-level spray) procedure.

An aqueous spray, containing a fluorescent or visible dye tracer, is directed under controlled conditions at the chemical protective clothing worn by a human test subject. Inspection of the inside surface of the clothing and the outside surface of the absorbent overall worn under the test garment allows any points of inward leakage to be identified.

The results of all tests completed to date given in the tables on the following pages.

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ABRASION	ABRASION RESISTANCE		
Class	Number of Cycles	]	
6	>2 000	]	
5	>1 500	]	
4	>1 000	]	
3	>500	1	
2	>100	]	
1	>10	1	
Specimen Number	Number of Cycles	Class	
1	>2000		
2	>2000	6	
3	>2000		
4	>2000	]	
Lowest single result	>2000		









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TRAPE	]		
Class	Tear Re	sistance	]
6	> 1	150	
5	> 1	100	ĺ
4	>	60	]
3	>	40	
2	>	20	]
1	>	10	
Specimen Number	Tear through Warp	Tear through Weft	Class
1	228.55	79.63	
2	223.51	67.33	]
3	231.67 83.09		4
4	217.18 97.86		1 4
5	258.89	]	
Mean	231.96	81.08	1







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Class	Tensil	e Strength		
6	>	1 000	]	
5	>	500	]	
4	>	250	]	
3	>	100	1	
2	;	> 60	]	
1	;	> 30		
Specimen Number	Warp	Weft	Class	
1	1395.60	722.10		
2	1400.00	706.50	]	
3	1387.50 708.10		5	
4	1353.10 732.90		]	
5	1367.90	]		
Mean	1400	720	]	









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PUNCTURE R	PUNCTURE RESISTANCE (N)		
Class	Puncture Resistance		
6	> 250		
5	> 150		
4	> 100		
3	> 50		
2	> 10		
1	> 5		
Specimen Number		Class	
1	57.31		
2	56.19		
3	57.37	3	
4	54.04		
Mean	56		







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**RESULTS** 

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REPELLENCY TO LIQUIDS & RESISTANCE TO PENETRATION BY LIQUIDS 30% Sulphuric Acid (H SQ )						
Specimen	1 <sup>ft</sup>	<b>2</b> m	3 <sup>n</sup>	<b>4</b> <sup>0</sup> ≽	5 <sup>⊖≽</sup>	6 <sup>0</sup> ≯
Repellency, %	98.3	98.7	97.6	98.5	98.9	98.5
Penetration, %	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

REPELLENCY TO LIQUIDS & RESISTANCE TO PENETRATION BY LIQUIDS  10% Sodium Hydroxide (NaOH)						
Specimen	1 <sup>n</sup>	2億	3⋒	<b>4</b> <del>0</del> ≽	5 <del>0</del> ≽	6 <del>0</del> ≫
Repellency, %	98.7	99.6	99.5	98.7	99.4	99.4
Penetration, %	0.1	0.1	0.1	0.6	0.4	0.1

REPELLENCY TO LIQUIDS & RESISTANCE TO PENETRATION BY LIQUIDS* o-Xvlene (undiluted)						
Specimen	1 <sup>ft</sup>	2億	3⋒	, 4 <del>0</del> ≫	5 <sup>0</sup> ≫	6 <del>0</del> ≫
Repellency, %	92.4	94.7	95.5	93.9	95.0	94.1
Penetration, %	3.6	3.5	2.7	4.0	2.8	2.2

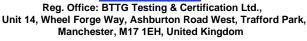
REPELLENCY TO LIQUIDS & RESISTANCE TO PENETRATION BY LIQUIDS*  Butan-1-ol (undiluted)						
Specimen 1 <sup>th</sup> 2 <sup>th</sup> 3 <sup>th</sup> 4 <sup>⊕</sup> 5 <sup>⊕</sup> 6 <sup>⊕</sup>					6 <sup>⊖</sup> ⊁	
Repellency, %	92.3	94.0	91.4	86.2	85.9	78.9
Penetration, %	5.0	4.1	6.5	10.2	7.7	13.5

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REPELLENCY TO LIQUIDS	•			
Class	Repellency index (%)	Penetration Index (%)		
3	>95	<1		
2	>90	<5		
1	>80	<10		
Chemical	Results	Result	Class	Class
	(lowest values)	(poorest values)	Repellency	Penetration
30% Sulphuric Acid (H SQ )	97.6	0.0	3	3
10% Sodium Hydroxide (NaOH)	98.7	0.6	3	3
o-Xylene	92.4	4.0	2	2
Butan-1-ol	78.9	13.5	None	None







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SEAM S	TRENGTH (N)	
Class	Seam Strength	
6	> 500	
5	> 300	
4	> 125	
3	> 75	
2	> 50	
1	> 30	
Seam Type		Class
1	270	4







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Product Standard: EN ISO 13034: 2009 Standard: EN ISO 17491-4: 2008, Method A

Test Equipment: Turn-table and system of hydraulic nozzles with angle spray at 75°

Test Liquid: Aqueous solution with dye water-soluble, with surface tension of 52 ± 7.5 x N/2m

Undergarment: White with hood (Nonwoven fabric)

Spray pressure: 3 bar Flow: 0.47 ± 0.05 l/min

Type of hydraulic nozzle: hollow-cone

Preliminary test: Execution sequence of movements (7 steps)

Pre-treatment: Yes Stain sample: 1cm

Maximum area of stains: 3 x 1cm

Size: XL

Height of wearer: 183cm Chest of wearer: 93cm

Additional protective accessories: latex gloves, mask, hood, waterproof overalls

	PENETRATION BY SPRAY				
	Total Number of Penetration Spots Total Area of Penetration Spots (cm )				
Test 1	0	0			
Test 2	0	0			
Test 3	0	0			

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