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TEST REPORT

Client : Charles Parsons & Co Pty Ltd
Level 2
191 - 193 Cleveland Street
Redfern NSW 2016

Test Number : 16-002127
Issue Date : 05/05/2016
Print Date : 5/05/2016

Sample Description Clients Ref : "Caracas, Seraphina, Provence"
Woven fabric Base cloth Caracas with digital print
Colour : Multi
End Use : Drapery
Nominal Composition : 100% Polyester
Nominal Mass per Unit Area/Density : 127g/m2
Nominal Thickness : Approx: 0.5mm

AS 1530.2-1993

Methods for Fire Tests on Building Materials, Components and Structures. Part 2: Test for Flammability of Materials

Date Tested		28/04/2016
Flammability Index		10
	Length	Width
Spread Factor	9	6
Heat Factor	1	1
Maximum height (d)		
Mean	7.1	5.8
Coefficient of Variation	30.2	9.1 %
Heat (a)		
Mean	5.6	4.5 °C.min
Coefficient of Variation	35.3	10.7 %
Number of Specimens Tested	9	6
Observation	Smoking, melting and flaming debris	

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Methods for Fire Tests on Building Materials, Components and Structures Part 3: Simultaneous Determination of Ignitability, Flame Propagation, Heat Release and Smoke Release

Face tested:	Face		
Date tested:	04/05/2016		
	Standard Error		Mean
Ignition time	Nil		Nil min
Flame propagation time	Nil		Nil sec
Heat release integral	Nil		Nil kJ/m ²
Smoke release, log d	0.0290		-1.9475
Optical density, d			0.0114 / metre
No of samples which did not ignite			6
Number of specimens tested:			6
Regulatory Indices:			
Ignitability Index			0 Range 0-20
Spread of Flame Index			0 Range 0-10
Heat Evolved Index			0 Range 0-10
Smoke Developed Index			1 Range 0-10

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Ignition is initiated by a pilot flame that is held near, but does not touch the specimen. A material that does not ignite during the standard test may ignite if contacted with a pilot flame during the test.

To allow free movement of sample during testing all corners were folded away from the clamps.

The specimens were mounted to simulate use in an unsupported or free hanging mode. The results may be significantly different when mounted to simulate a wall cladding or upholstery application.

Each test specimen was sandwiched between two layers of galvanised welded square mesh made from wire of nominal diameter 0.8mm and nominal spacing 12mm in both directions, stapled through at four points, each 100mm from the centre of the sample and the assembly clamped in four places.

These results only apply to the specimen mounted, as described in this report. The result of this fire test may be used to directly assess fire hazard, but it should be recognised that a single test method will not provide a full assessment of fire hazard under all fire conditions.

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