

Received:08/26/2014	Completed:08/27/2014	Letter: Z	BG	P.O.#:	Test Report #:	3-03883-0-
---------------------	----------------------	-----------	----	--------	----------------	------------

Client's Identification | Style: Rosco Printed Fabric Backdrop. Content: 100% Cotton. Weight 280g/m². End Use: Film/TV Backdrops.

Tested For: Diane Ricci Rosco Laboratories, Inc. 52 Harbor View Avenue Stamford, CT 06902	Key Test: NFPA 701-2010 TM#1	205
	Tel: 1-(203)-708-8900	Ext: 229
	Fax: 1-(203)-708-8919	

PC: 0.5H DL/jd

TEST PERFORMED: NFPA 701 - Standard Methods of Fire Tests for Flame Propagation of Textiles and Films - 2010 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)
1	0	0	15.8
2	0	0	14.7
3	0	0	15.8
4	0	0	13.7
5	0	0	12.7
6	0	0	15.7
7	0	0	14.6
8	0	0	14.7
9	0	0	16.8
10	0	0	15.8
	Mean: 0	Mean: 0	15.0

STATISTICAL VALUES: SD = 1.2 3 SD = 3.6 Mean + 3 SD = 18.7

ABBREVIATIONS USED: SD = Standard deviation. NT = Not tested.

APPROXIMATE WEIGHT OF MATERIAL (as measured by Govmark): 329 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.

Received:08/26/2014	Completed:08/27/2014	Letter: Z	BG	P.O.#:	Test Report #:	3-03883-0-
Client's Identification	Style: Rosco Printed Fabric Backdrop. Content: 100% Cotton. Weight 280g/m ² . End Use: Film/TV Backdrops.					
Tested For: Diane Ricci			Key Test: NFPA 701-2010 TM#1		205	
Rosco Laboratories, Inc. 52 Harbor View Avenue Stamford, CT 06902			Tel: 1-(203)-708-8900 Fax: 1-(203)-708-8919		Ext: 229	

REMARKS:

- Flames did not project above the top of the specimen.
- Flames projected above the top of the specimen; Specimen #'s _____
- "+" = specimen's flaming drip extinguished by technician at noted time and when time of drip far exceeded acceptance criteria limit.
- Other: _____

FAILURE CRITERIA: As cited by NFPA 701 - 2010 Edition Test Method #1

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

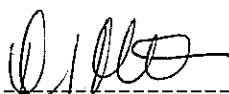
CONCLUSION: Based on the Results on page 1 and the above Failure Criteria cited by NFPA 701 - 2010 Edition Test Method #1, the item tested:

- 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.

** See "Discussion" on Page 3.

CERTIFICATION: I certify that the above results were obtained after testing specimens in accordance with the procedures and equipment specified by NFPA 701 - 2010 Edition Test Method #1.



AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE
THE GOVMARK ORGANIZATION, INC. / ec *q61*
MS. PHYLLIS PETTIT

AUG 28 2014

Received:08/26/2014	Completed:08/27/2014	Letter: Z	BG	P.O.#:	Test Report #:	3-03883-0-
Client's Identification	Style: Rosco Printed Fabric Backdrop. Content: 100% Cotton. Weight 280g/m ² . End Use: Film/TV Backdrops.					
Tested For: Diane Ricci			Key Test: NFPA 701-2010 TM#1			205
Rosco Laboratories, Inc. 52 Harbor View Avenue Stamford, CT 06902			Tel: 1-(203)-708-8900		Ext: 229	
			Fax: 1-(203)-708-8919			

** DISCUSSION:

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, in effect, Govmark is of the opinion that this "individual specimen criteria" has no meaning, since it cannot possibly result in a nonconformance.

(Page 3 of 3)

Client Name : Rosco Laboratories
Addendum to Test Report # : 3-03883-0
Test : NFPA 701

<u>Specimen #</u>	<u>Weight Before Test (g)</u>	<u>Weight After Test (g)</u>	<u>Percent Weight Loss</u>
1	20.20	17.00	15.8
2	20.40	17.40	14.7
3	20.20	17.00	15.8
4	20.40	17.60	13.7
5	20.40	17.80	12.7
6	20.40	17.20	15.7
7	20.60	17.60	14.6
8	20.40	17.40	14.7
9	20.20	16.80	16.8
10	20.20	17.00	15.8

Mean Percent Weight Loss : 15.0
Standard Deviation : 1.2
3 x Standard Deviation : 3.6
Mean + 3 x Standard Deviation : 18.7

AUG 28 2014 