

REGULATIONS HARMONISED AT EUROPEAN LEVEL

TEXTILE PRODUCTS

SCOPE

Textile products mean any raw, semi-worked, worked, semi-manufactured, manufactured, semi-made-up or made-up products that are exclusively composed of textile fibres, regardless of the mixing or assembly process employed.

Textile fibre means :

- a) A unit of matter characterised by its flexibility, fineness and high ratio of length to maximum transverse dimension, which render it suitable for textile applications ;
- b) Flexible strips or tubes, of which the apparent width does not exceed 5 millimetres, including strips cut from wider strips or films, produced from the substances used for the manufacture of other non-natural fibres ;

The following are also subject to this regulation :

- a) Products containing at least 80% by weight of textile products ;
- b) Furniture, umbrella and sunshade coverings containing at least 80% by weight of textile components; similarly, the textile components of multi-layer floor coverings, of mattresses and camping goods, and warm linings of footwear and handwear ;
- c) Textiles incorporated in other products and forming an integral part thereof where their composition is specified.

REGULATIONS

- [Regulation \(EU\) No 1007/2011](#) on textile fibre names and related labelling and marking of the fibre composition of textile products

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