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## ANNEX VIII

### Methods for the quantitative analysis of binary and ternary textile fibre mixtures

(referred to in Article 19(1))

#### CHAPTER 1

#### I. Preparation of laboratory test samples and test specimens to determine the fibre composition of textile products

##### 6. SAMPLING FABRIC

6.1. From a laboratory bulk sample consisting of a single cutting representative of the cloth Cut a diagonal strip from one corner to the other and remove the selvages. This strip is the laboratory test sample. To obtain a laboratory test sample of  $x$  g, the strip area shall be  $x10^4/G$   $\text{cm}^2$ , where  $G$  is the mass of the cloth in  $\text{g/m}^2$ .

Subject the laboratory test sample to the pre-treatment and then cut the strip transversely into four equal lengths and superimpose them. Take test specimens from any part of the layered material by cutting through all the layers so that each specimen contains an equal length of each layer.

If the fabric has a woven design, make the width of the laboratory test sample, measured parallel to the warp direction, not less than one warp repeat of the design. If, with this condition satisfied, the laboratory test sample is too large to be treated as a whole, cut it into equal parts, pre-treat them separately, and superimpose these parts before selection of the test specimen, taking care that corresponding parts of the design do not coincide.

6.2. From a laboratory bulk sample consisting of several cuttings

Treat each cutting as described in 6.1, and give each result separately.

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