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Job reference: FWT0206271/1230/Z/a

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Samples received: 26th July 2012

Attention of: Chutipa Laoprasertsiri

Testing completed: 9th August 2012

TECHNICAL SERVICES REPORT

Subject: Evaluation of toe puff material

Sample reference: Vantage 15 1ME

Tests requested

SATRA TM 1 1992 Thickness of leather and insole materials

The samples were stored in a standard controlled environment of $20 \pm 2^\circ\text{C}/65 \pm 2\%\text{RH}$ for at least 24 hours prior to testing and testing was carried out in this atmosphere.

SATRA TM 83 2009 (2012) Measurement of the area shape retention and collapsing load of formed toe puff and stiffener materials

The samples were stored in a standard controlled environment of $20 \pm 2^\circ\text{C}/65 \pm 2\%\text{RH}$ for at least 24 hours after forming. Testing was carried out in a conditioned atmosphere of $23 \pm 2^\circ\text{C}/50 \pm 2\%\text{RH}$.

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Report signed by: Kala Tidball-Wykes
Footwear Consultant
Footwear Technology - Testing
On behalf of SATRA Technology Centre Ltd

RESULTS

Reference:		Vantage 15 1ME					
Type:		Thermoplastic					
Activation conditions:		95°C for 8.5 minutes					
Test Method	Property	Result	Hardness categories and related performance levels				Category
			Very hard	Hard	Medium	Soft	
SATRA TM 1 1992	Thickness (mm)	0.44	-	-	-	-	-
SATRA TM 83 2009 (2012)	Initial collapsing load (N)	3	>130	130-81	80-31	30 or less	Soft
	Resilience ⁽¹⁾ (%)	100	Min 25	Min 30	Min 40	Min 50	Satisfactory
Properties not related to hardness			SATRA performance levels			Category	
			A	B	C		
SATRA TM 83 2009 (2012)	Moisture resistance ⁽²⁾ (%)	100	Min 80	Min 65	Min 50	A	
	Dry area shape retention (%)	Initial	101	60-80 ⁽³⁾		See note 3	
		After 10 collapses	102	Min 50		Satisfactory	

- Note: 1 Resilience is percentage retention of initial collapsing load after ten collapses.
 2 Moisture resistance is percentage retention of initial dry collapsing load after 1 hour immersion.
 3 Puffs giving values above this level may lead to a conspicuous discontinuity at the back edge. This is likely to be most serious with hard puffs, light uppers and plain vamp styles. For materials, constructions and styles where there is little risk of the back edge of the puff showing this upper limit can be disregarded.

COMMENTS

This material falls into the soft category and, as such, the resilience is satisfactory. Overall, the properties not related to hardness meet our recommendations for Performance Level A for the most demanding footwear applications, however we draw your attention to note 3 above.

This material should be suitable for use as a toe puff in leisure shoes with soft uppers, indoor footwear, slippers and some sports footwear eg soccer boots.

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Signed:

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