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Foreword

This Mauritian Standard was drawn up by the Textiles, Footwear & Paper Standards Committee through its Subcommittee on Blankets and approved by the Standards Council on 19 December 2005. It was notified in the Government Gazette on 18 February 2006 *.

This standard cancels and replaces **MS 77:1988** which has been technically revised. This second edition includes an informative annex for classification of bed blankets.

In preparing this standard, assistance has been derived from the following standards:

EN 14	<i>Dimensions of bed blankets</i>
BS 6189	<i>Glossary of terms relating to fabrics and associated fibres, yarns and processes.</i>
BS 5866:Part 1	<i>Blankets suitable for use in the public sector. Part 1. Specification for wool and wool/polyamide blankets.</i>
BS 5866:Part 2	<i>Blankets suitable for use in the public sector. Part 2. Specification cotton leno cellular blankets</i>
BS 5866:Part 3	<i>Blankets suitable for use in the public sector. Part 3. Specification for synthetic fibre cellular blankets.</i>

Acknowledgement is made for the use of information from the above publications.

Bed blankets - Specifications

1 Scope

This Mauritian Standard specifies the requirements for bed blankets manufactured from cotton, wool, man-made fibres/synthetic fibres and their blends.

This standard deals only with the manufacture, make up, dimensions, physical requirements and colour fastness of the blankets.

This standard does not specify the other indeterminable characteristics like general appearance, feel, finish and shade of the bed blankets.

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 105	<i>Textiles – Tests for colour fastness</i>
ISO 105 – B02 Amd 1 : 1998, Amd 2 : 2000	<i>Textiles – Tests for colour fastness – Part B02: Colour fastness to artificial light: Xenon arc fading lamp test.</i>
ISO 105 – C06 Cor 1 : 2002, Cor 2 : 2002	<i>Textiles – Tests for colour fastness – Part C06: Colour fastness for domestic and commercial laundering.</i>
ISO 105 – E04 Cor 1:2002	<i>Textiles – Tests for colour fastness – Part E04: Colour fastness to perspiration.</i>
ISO 105 – X12	<i>Textiles – Tests for colour fastness – Part X12: Colour fastness to rubbing.</i>
ISO 1833/ Amd 1	<i>Textiles - Binary fibre mixtures – Quantitative chemical analysis</i>
ISO 3074	<i>Wool – Determination of dichloromethane - soluble matter in combed sliver.</i>
ISO 5088	<i>Textiles – Ternary fibre mixtures – Quantitative analysis</i>
ISO 6330	<i>Textiles – Domestic washing and drying procedures for textile testing</i>
ISO 13934:Part 1	<i>Textiles - Tensile properties of fabrics – Part 1: Determination of maximum force and elongation at maximum force using the strip method.</i>
BS 3870:Part 1	<i>Stitches and seams, Classification and terminology of stitch types</i>
BS 3870:Part 2	<i>Stitches and seams, Classification and terminology of seam types</i>
BS 6189	<i>Glossary of Terms relating to fabrics and associated fibres, yarns and processes.</i>
MS ISO 139	<i>Textiles - Standard atmospheres for conditioning and testing</i>