



## Color fastness to water

### Objective

This test is used to evaluate the staining (transfer) from leather via contact with various types of fabric in the presence of water.

### Principle

The leather and a standard multi-fibre fabric are immersed in demineralised water, and are then pressed against each other at 37°C for 3 hours; after which, the deterioration and staining are evaluated against greyscale.

Type: [Physical and mechanical test](#)

Standard: [EN ISO 11642](#)

Product: [Leather](#)

Criteria: [Color fastness](#)



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