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TEST REPORT No. 6572s

Requested by:	Gerflor Australasia P/L 17 Cato St Hawthorn East
	VIC 3123
on (date):	11 February 2013
Manufacturer:	Gerflor Germany
Product Desc.:	Product MIPOLAM SYMBIOZ size of sample 1x0.5m, Coating EVERCARE
Sampling details:	
Where:	Delivered

Where:	Delivered
Date:	11 February 2013
By whom:	Courier
How (methods):	N/A
	Courier

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This test report consists of 3 pages

	SUMMARY OF SLIP RESISTANCE TESTS PERFORM	ED:	
		Result	Class
AS/NZS 4586:2004	Slip resistance classification of new pedestrian surface materials, Appendix D: OIL-WET Ramp		
	Mean overall acceptance angle:	10.0°	R 10 [LOW*]
* = CSIRO classification			

In order to interpret the classifications, please refer to Standards Australia Handbook 197, An Introductory Guide to the Slip Resistance of Pedestrian Surface Materials, which recommends minimum classifications for a wide variety of locations.

It is important to realise that test results obtained on unused factory-fresh samples may not be directly applicable in service, where proprietary surface coatings, contamination, wear and subsequent cleaning all influence the behaviour of the pedestrian surface.



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SLIP RESISTANCE CLASSIFICATION OF NEW PEDESTRIAN SURFACE MATERIALS

OIL-WET RAMP TEST METHOD

TEST CARRIED OUT IN ACCORDANCE WITH AS/NZS 4586:2004 (Appendix D)

Test Date: 20 February 2013

Location: Slip Resistance Laboratory
Sample Fixed
Joint width: 0 mm
Surface structure: [] Smooth [X] Profiled [] Structured
RESULTS
Mean overall acceptance angle: 10.0 °
Displacement space: not tested
CLASSIFICATION:
Slip Resistance Assessment Group: R 10 [LOW*]
Displacement Space Assessment Group: -
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*CSIRO recommended classification of Slip Resistance as determined from: AS/NZS 4586: 2004 Slip Resistance Classification of New Pedestrian Surface Materials (Appendices A & D).

Wet Pendulum Class	BPN 4S Rubber	CSIRO Class LOW	CSIRO Class MEDIUM	CSIRO Class HIGH
V	>54	54-57	58-61	>61
W	45-54	45-48	49-51	52-54
Х	35-44	35-38	39-41	42-44
Y	25-34	25-28	29-31	32-34
Z	<25	<18	18-21	22-25
Oil Wet Ramp Class	Angle (degrees)	CSIRO Class LOW	CSIRO Class MEDIUM	CSIRO Class HIGH
R9	≥6 to <10	≥6 to 7.5	7.6 to 9	9.1 to 9.9
R10	≥10 to <19	≥10 to 12	12.1 to 15	15.1 to 18.9
R11	≥19 to <27	≥19 to 21	21.1 to 24	24.1 to 26.9
R12	≥27 to <35	≥27 to 29	29.1 to 32	32.1 to 34.9
R13	≥35	≥35 to 36	36.1 to 38	≥38.1

AS/NZS 4586 Slip Resistance Classification of New Pedestrian Surface Materials (Appendices A & D).

CSIRO has categorized the AS4586 classifications into sub-groups Low, Medium & High. The slip resistance test classification is still determined according to AS 4586 Australian Standard (Appendices A & D). The added information of Low, Medium and High allows professionals to make a better judgement of pedestrian floor requirements.