

Uster textile laboratory testing

Full range of services

Uster offers textile testing for fibers, sliver and rovings, staple fiber yarns and filaments. Furthermore, customer can request special tests for clearing limits optimization.

Proceeding

- Customers send samples of the requested size to Uster (see last page for postal information) including complete contact details of the sender (company name, address, contact person, phone and e-mail address).
- Samples should be packed and identified properly and required tests must be clearly specified.
- After receiving the samples, it takes two working days for sample conditioning.

- Testing time depends on the number of tests (one to two hours per sample and per test).
- Reporting time is subject due to the report's complexity and take up to three days. Please allow five to ten days for all mentioned service steps. Test reports will be sent by e-mail right after completing the order.

As a further service, trainings are provided for Uster testing and monitoring instruments as included in the list below.

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Item	Test Description	International Standards	Sample volume	No. of required sub samples	No. of tests per sub sample	Price (CHF)
1	Uster HVI 1000 bundle fiber testing					
	Determination of fiber fineness, maturity index, fiber length and length uniformity, fiber strength, fiber elongation, colour, trash and leaf code	ISO 2403, ASTM-D1445, -D1447-07, -D5867-12	300 g	1	10 length/strength, 10 color/trash 5 fineness/maturity	150
2	Uster AFIS Pro 2 single fiber testing					
	Determination of fiber and seed coat neps, fiber length, short fiber content, maturity, trash and dust	ASTM D5866-12	50 g (tuft, sliver, roving)	10	1	250
3	Uster LVI 920 single fiber testing					
	Determination of neps and nep size	ASTM D5866-12	50 g (tuft, sliver, roving)	10	1	150

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4	Uster LVI 930 bundle fiber testing Determination of fiber length and length uniformity	ASTM D1447-07	100 g	1	10	100
5	Uster LVI 975 micronaire testing Determination of fiber fineness	ISO 2403	100 g	1	5	100
6	Uster Tester 6-S sliver and roving Determination of sliver or roving evenness	ASTM D1425	10 roving bobbins	10	1	150
7	Uster Tester 6-S short and long staple yarns Determination of yarn evenness, imperfections, hairiness, diameter, shape, density, trash and dust	ISO 2060, ISO 16549, ASTM-D1425	10 full bobbins or small cones	10	1	150
8	Uster Tester 6-S slub yarn testing Determination of slub length, slub distance, mass increase, slub scatter plot, slub classification, slub sequence, etc.	-	10 full bobbins or small cones	10	1	200
9	Uster Tensorapid 5 staple yarns Determination of yarn strength and elongation, test speed 500 mm/min, 5000 mm/min, 20 second tests or according to specific requirements, fiber cohesion tests (sliver), fabric tests, etc.	ISO 2062, ASTM D1578-93, -D2256, D2612-99, -D4964-96	10 full bobbins or small cones	10	20	150
10	Uster Tensojet 5 staple yarns Determination of yarn strength and elongation, detection of weak places, test speed 400 m/min	-	10 full bobbins or small cones	10	1000	150

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11	Determination of seldom yarn faults like thin and thick places, count variation and foreign fibers, polypropylene, YARN BODY™/dense area comparison, outliers and quality comparison, etc.	-	Total at least 200 km yarn 10 cones	10		300
12	Uster Autosorter 6 Determination of yarn count	ISO 2060	10 full bobbins or small cones	10	1	50
13	Uster Tester 6-C filament yarns Determination of filament evenness and interminglings	ASTM D1425/1425M, ISO 16549	minimum 5 cones	5	1	200
Uster Tensorapid 5 filament yarns						
14	Determination of filament strength and elongation, cycle tests, hysteresis tests, test speed 500 mm/min or according to requirements	ISO 2062, ASTM D2256	minimum 5 cones	5	20	200

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