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Textiles — Assessment of the ignitability of bedding items

Part 2: Ignition source: match-flame equivalent (ISO 12952-2:2010)

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The limited range of ignition sources contained in BS EN ISO 12952-1:1998 and BS EN ISO 12952-3:1998 do not encompass a sufficient range of severity to enable determination of performance across the range of hazard categories used within the UK. Additional testing is required to verify the performance of fabrics to the higher levels of hazard category set, other than those listed within this standard.

Additional testing is required using the wooden crib based larger ignition sources when testing, to determine the performance of fabrics to Medium Hazard category (Ignition Source 5), High Hazard category (Ignition Source 7), Very High Hazard category (Ignition Source 7, and any additional higher ignition sources).

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