

AVEBURY PLAINS & STRIPES CONSTRUCTION SPECIFICATION

		PLAIN	STRIPE
CONSTRUCTION		Loop Pile Tufted	Loop Pile Tufted
PILE CONTENT	BS4407	100% Wool	100% Wool
WIDTH	BS3655	4 metre & 5 metre	4 metre
SUITABILITY		Extra Heavy Domestic / Medium Contract	Extra Heavy Domestic / Medium Contract
ROLL SIZE		Standard 25m or 30m (Special sizes can be supplied, please allow extra time for delivery)	Standard 25m or 30m (Special sizes can be supplied, please allow extra time for delivery)
PRIMARY BACKING		Woven Polypropylene	Woven Polypropylene
SECONDARY BACKING		Woven Secondary	Woven Secondary
MACHINE GAUGE		5/32nd Loop	5/32nd Loop
PILE HEIGHT	BS 4223/ISO 8543	4.2mm	4.2mm
TUFT DENSITY	BS 4223/ISO 8543	79,359 tufts/m ²	79,359 tufts/m ²
PILE WEIGHT	BS 4223/ISO 8543	1254 gms/m ² (37 oz/yd ²)	1254 gms/m ² (37 oz/yd ²)
TOTAL CARPET WEIGHT	BS 4223/ISO 8543	2234 gms/m ² (66 oz/yd ²)	2234 gms/m ² (66 oz/yd ²)
TOTAL CARPET THICKNESS	BS 4051/ISO 1765	7.7 mm	7.7 mm
PATTERN REPEAT		N/A	Approx. 5cm
FLAMMABILITY			
HOT METAL NUT TEST	BS4790	Pass - low radius of ignition	Pass - low radius of ignition
METHENAMINE PILL TEST		Pass	Pass
COLOUR FASTNESS			
LIGHT FASTNESS		BS 1006 above Grade 4 on all colours	BS 1006 above Grade 4 on all colours
WET FASTNESS		BS 1006 above Grade 4/5 on all colours	BS 1006 above Grade 4/5 on all colours
SHAMPOO FASTNESS		BS 1006 above Grade 4/5 on all colours	BS 1006 above Grade 4/5 on all colours
BIOLOGICAL ATTACK		Mothproofing - Eulan Treated	Mothproofing - Eulan Treated
THERMAL RESISTANCE (Tog Value)	BS4745/ISO 5085-1	1.2 Tog	1.2 Tog
WIRA ABRASION RESISTANCE			
STATIC LOADING		Exceeds 11,000 rubs	Exceeds 11,000 rubs
DYNAMIC LOADING		19.5% Thickness Loss after 24 hours recovery	19.5% Thickness Loss after 24 hours recovery
TUFT ANCHORAGE		43.5% Thickness Loss after 1,000 impacts	43.5% Thickness Loss after 1,000 impacts
		Above 4.2kg	Above 4.2kg

All specifications are subject to normal manufacturing tolerances.

GENERAL INFORMATION

Installation

In all contract locations an 'all over' stick down method is recommended to BS 5325 (1983). If underlay is required it should be of a firm and unyielding type and where installed in larger contract areas the carpet should be power stretched. If exact colour matching is required for a quantity order, please state this point clearly when ordering.

Maintenance

Please note all pile carpets of any fibre type will flatten to some extent in traffic lanes although regular vacuuming will help to allay this. This 'flattening' is a normal reaction to localised traffic in both domestic and contract locations, and is not a manufacturing fault, therefore will not be accepted as the basis for any claim. Rubber soled shoes when used constantly in heavy traffic areas can sometimes act abrasively on the surface of the carpet, therefore it is recommended that their use is limited. Loop pile carpets should be vacuumed with a cylinder cleaner or suction head only. This carpet will be supplied with either a woven hessian or woven polypropylene backing depending on the availability of raw materials at the time of manufacture.

Matching

These samples may not be from the same production batch as current stock and therefore should be used as a guide and not as an exact match. Equally matching between 5 metre and 4 metre widths cannot be guaranteed.

Important

Joins in loop pile carpet can sometimes be visible, especially so in pattern loop pile. The use of a seaming cement is advisable. Minimum order length is 1.5 metres.

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