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Protective clothing - Protection against chemicals - Determination of resistance of protective clothing materials to permeation by liquids and gases (ISO 6529:2001)

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This document (ISO 6529:2001) has been prepared by Technical Committee ISO/TC 94 "Personal safety - Protective clothing and equipment" in collaboration with Technical Committee CEN/TC 162 "Protective clothing including hand and arm protection and lifejackets", the secretariat of which is held by DIN.

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<u>Publication</u>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>EN</u>	<u>Year</u>
ISO 139	1973	Textiles - Standard atmospheres for conditioning and testing	EN 20139	1992
ISO 2286-2	1998	Rubber- or plastics-coated fabrics - Determination of roll characteristics - Part 2: Methods for determination of total mass per unit area, mass per unit area of coating and mass per unit area of substrate	EN ISO 2286-2	1998
ISO 2286-3	1998	Rubber- or plastics-coated fabrics - Determination of roll characteristics - Part 3: Method for determination of thickness	EN ISO 2286-3	1998
ISO 5084	1996	Textiles - Determination of thickness of textiles and textile products	EN ISO 5084	1996

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Foreword

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Draft International Standards adopted by the technical committees are circulated to the member bodies for voting. Publication as an International Standard requires approval by at least 75 % of the member bodies casting a vote.

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Introduction

Workers involved in the production, use, transportation, and emergency response with liquid and gaseous chemicals can be exposed to numerous compounds capable of causing harm upon contact with the human body. The deleterious effects of these chemicals can range from acute trauma such as skin irritation and burn to chronic degenerative disease, such as cancer. Since engineering controls may not eliminate all possible exposures, attention is often placed on reducing the potential for direct skin contact through the use of protective clothing that resists permeation, penetration and degradation.

These test methods are normally used to evaluate the barrier effectiveness of materials used for protective clothing and specimens from finished items (see Note 1) of protective clothing against permeation of either liquid or gaseous chemicals. Options are provided for conducting this testing under both conditions of continuous or intermittent contact with the chemicals.

These test methods provide various options for reporting test results in terms of breakthrough time, permeation rate and cumulative permeation to allow a comparison of protective clothing material permeation resistance. These parameters are key measures of the effectiveness of a clothing material to act as a barrier to the test chemical. Such information is used in the comparison of clothing materials during the process of selecting clothing for protection from hazardous chemicals. Long breakthrough detection times and normalized breakthrough detection times as well as low permeation rates are characteristic of the best barriers.

Resistance to penetration by liquid chemicals should be determined by using ISO 6530 while resistance to penetration by liquid chemicals under pressure should be determined by using ISO 13994. These International Standards are listed in the Bibliography.

It has been assumed in the drafting of this International Standard that the execution of its provisions is entrusted to appropriately qualified and experienced people for whose guidance it has been prepared and that appropriate precautions will be taken to avoid injury to health and contamination of the environment.

NOTE 1 Finished items of protective clothing include gloves, arm shields, aprons, suits, hoods, boots, etc. The phrase "specimens from finished items" encompasses seamed and other discontinuous regions as well as the usual continuous regions of protective clothing items.

NOTE 2 At present, no quantitative information exists about acceptable levels of dermal contact. Therefore, the data obtained using this test method cannot be used to infer safe exposure levels.

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Protective clothing — Protection against chemicals — Determination of resistance of protective clothing materials to permeation by liquids and gases

1 Scope

This International Standard describes laboratory test methods that enable a determination of the resistance of materials used in protective clothing to permeation by liquid or gaseous chemicals under the conditions of either continuous or intermittent contact.

Method A (see 8.3) is applicable to the testing of liquid chemicals, either volatile or soluble in water, expected to be in continuous contact with the protective clothing material.

Method B (see 8.4) is applicable to the testing of gaseous chemicals expected to be in continuous contact with the protective clothing material.

Method C (see 8.5) is applicable to the testing of liquid chemicals, either volatile or soluble in water, expected to be in intermittent contact with the protective clothing material.

These test methods are only suitable for the testing of air-impermeable protective clothing materials. They assess the permeation resistance of the protective clothing material under laboratory conditions in terms of breakthrough time, permeation rate, and cumulative permeation. These test methods also enable observations to be made of the effects of the test liquid on the protective clothing material under test.

These test methods address only the performance of materials or certain material constructions (e.g. seams) used in protective clothing. These test methods do not address the design, overall construction and components, or interfaces of garments or other factors which may affect the overall protection offered by the protective clothing.

It is emphasized that these tests do not necessarily simulate conditions to which clothing materials are likely to be exposed in practice. The use of test data should therefore be restricted to broad comparative assessment of such material according to their permeation-resistance characteristics.

2 Normative references

The following normative documents contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this International Standard. For dated references, subsequent amendments to, or revisions of, any of these publications do not apply. However, parties to agreements based on this International Standard are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the normative documents indicated below. For undated references, the latest edition of the normative document referred to applies. Members of ISO and IEC maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.

ISO 139, *Textiles — Standard atmospheres for conditioning and testing*

ISO 2286-2, *Rubber- or plastics-coated fabrics — Determination of roll characteristics — Part 2: Methods for determination of total mass per unit area, mass per unit area of coating and mass per unit area of substrate*

ISO 2286-3, *Rubber- or plastics-coated fabrics — Determination of roll characteristics — Part 3: Method for determination of thickness*