
**Textiles — Determination of fabric
propensity to surface pilling, fuzzing
or matting —**

**Part 3:
Random tumble pilling method**

*Textiles — Détermination de la propension des étoffes au boulochage,
à l'ébouriffage ou au moutonnement en surface —*

*Partie 3: Méthode d'essai de boulochage par chocs aléatoires dans
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