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**Amendment No. 1**  
**to**  
**AS/NZS 2111.19.2:1996**  
**Textile floor coverings—Tests and measurements**  
**Method 19.2: Colourfastness tests—Shampoo solution**

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**REVISED TEXT**

The 1996 edition of AS/NZS 2111.19.2 is amended as follows; the amendment(s) should be inserted in the appropriate place.

**SUMMARY:** This Amendment applies to Clause 9 Item (f)

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**Page 3 Clause 9, Item (f)**

*Delete* the existing Item and *replace* with the following:

- '(f) Remove the dish or the perspirometer from the oven. Remove the composite specimen from the dish or perspirometer and separate the specimen from the undyed cloths. Rinse specimen under warm, running tap water with a temperature of 20°C to 25°C for 30 s. Hydroextract to remove excess liquor, and dry specimen and undyed cloths apart in air not exceeding 60°C.
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# Australian/New Zealand Standard®

## Textile floor coverings—Tests and measurements

### Method 19.2: Colourfastness tests—Shampoo solution

#### PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee TX/9 on Carpets. In Australia, the Standard supersedes AS 2111.19.2—1983 *Methods of test for textile floor coverings, Method 19.2: Colourfastness tests—Shampoo solution*.

There are no technical changes to the 1983 Australian edition; the revision has been undertaken to provide a joint Standard.

#### METHOD

**1 SCOPE** This Standard sets out a method for determining the colourfastness of a textile floor covering to the action of a specified shampoo solution.

**2 APPLICATION** This method applies to textile floor coverings and to yarns, loose fibres and tufts extracted from textile floor coverings.

**3 REFERENCED DOCUMENTS** The following documents are referred to in this Standard:

AS

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|-----------|--------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2001      | Methods of test for textiles                                 |
| 2001.1    | Part 1: Conditioning procedures                              |
| 2001.4    | Colourfastness tests                                         |
| 2001.4.1  | Method 4.1: Definitions and general requirements             |
| 2001.4.17 | Method 4.17: Determination of colourfastness to perspiration |
| 2454      | Textile floor coverings—Terminology                          |

**4 DEFINITIONS** The definitions given in AS 2454 apply.

**5 PRINCIPLE** A specimen of the textile floor covering, yarn, loose fibre or tufts, in contact with specified undyed cloths is immersed under pressure in a test solution for a stated time. Following this treatment, the specimen is dried by holding it at 40°C for 1.5 h between two flat glass or acrylic plates under pressure, applied either by means of a spring loaded apparatus (Perspirometer Test Method A) or a dead weight (Dish Test Method B). After drying, the change in colour of the specimen and the staining of the undyed cloths is assessed.

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