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## JAPANESE INDUSTRIAL STANDARD

### Testing method for clothing leathers

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### 1. Scope

This Japanese Industrial Standard specifies testing methods for cowhide, horsehide, goat leather, sheep leather, and other leathers to be used for clothing.

Remarks: The units and numerical values given in { } in this Standard are based on the International System of Units (SI) and are appended for informative reference.

### 2. Test items

Test items specified in this Standard shall be as follows.

- (1) Tensile test
- (2) Tear test
- (3) Submerged heating shrinkage temperature test
- (4) Test for variation of submerged heating shrinkage temperature
- (5) Testing method for colour fastness

### 3. Sample and test piece sampling method

Cut a sample of a 100 × 240 mm size out from a part as given in Fig. 1, and sample each test piece from this sample in accordance with Fig. 2. Take a HT line as a dorsal line, an OT line as a line which passes a mamma part O and cuts the dorsal line at right angles, and a PR line as a line which passes the joint of a fore-leg part and is parallel to the dorsal line. Sample the sample so that the center N of the long side of the sample conforms to the center of a RT line.

Fig. 1

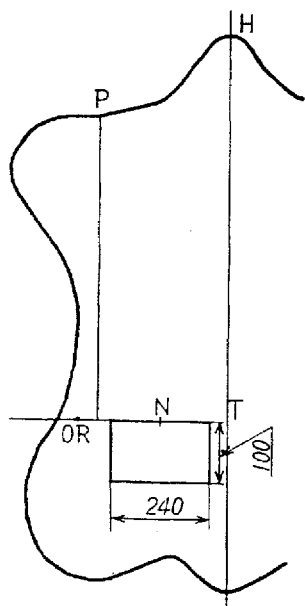
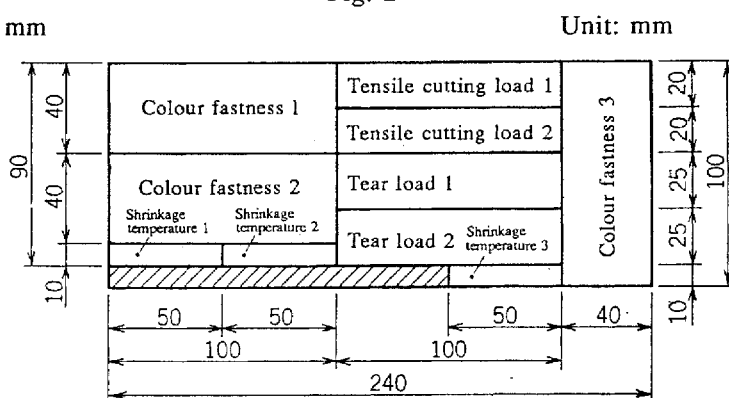


Fig. 2



Colour fastness 1 and shrinkage temperature 1 are used for comparison.

Colour fastness 2 and shrinkage temperature 2 are used for the wet cleaning method.

Colour fastness 3 and shrinkage temperature 3 are used for dry cleaning A method or dry cleaning B method.

- Remarks 1. In the case where flaws or the like exist in a sample part, the sampling position shall be suitably shifted. In that case, said point is annexed.
2. In the case where a sample can not be sampled as given in Fig. 1, the procedure shall be determined as agreed upon between the parties concerned with delivery.

Applicable Standards and Reference Standard: See page 5.