

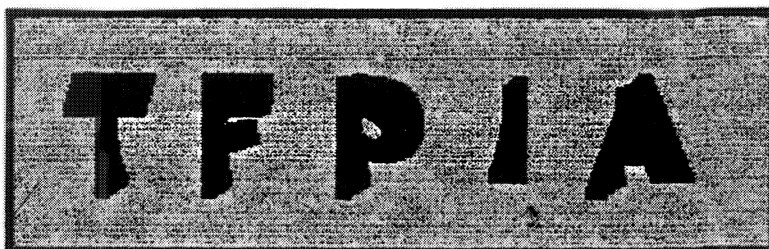


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FIBER CLASSIFICATIONS**

These categories include the fibers most recognized and used by consumers.

A. Natural Fibers

1. Cellulose-based
 - cotton
 - flax (linen)
 - ramie
 - jute
2. Protein-based
 - wool
 - silk
 - specialty hair fibers such as angora, mohair, cashmere, and vicuna
3. Rubber
4. Asbestos

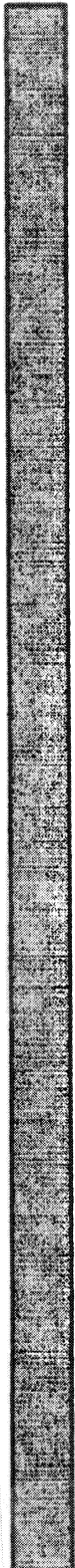


B. Man-Made Cellulose Fibers (Manufactured)

<u>Generic Name</u>	<u>Trade Names</u>
1. rayon	
cuprommonium	Bemberg
viscose	
• regular and high tenacity	Coloray, Fibro
• high-wet modulus	Avril, Prima, Zantrel
2. acetate	Celanese, Chromspun, Estron

C. Synthetic Fibers (Manufactured)

<u>Generic Name</u>	<u>Trade Names</u>
1. acrylic	Creslan, Orlon, Zefran
2. aramid	Kevlar, Nomex
3. modacrylic	SEF, Kanekalon
4. novoloid	Kynol
5. nylon	Anso, Antron, Qiana
6. nytril	(none in the United States)
7. olefin	Herculon, Marvess, Vectra
8. polyester	Dacron, Fortrel, Kodel
9. saran	Rovan
10. spandex	Lycra
11. vinyl	Kuralon, Mewlon
12. vinyon	Avtex, Rhovyl



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