Cloth **Ermenegildo Zegna**





Un'esperienza di successo Protecting the natural beauty of wool



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HUNTSMAN Textile Effects



 Leading global textile chemicals, dyes and inks business

Sales of approximately 0.8billion \$ into more than 90 countries

- 6 primary manufacturing facilities worldwide in 6 countries (China, Germany, India, Indonesia, Mexico and Thailand)
- Best in class innovation
- Pioneering a sustainable textile industry



Global manufacturing footprint





- > 50% of projects are related to Environmental Sustainability
- More than 1,000 patents
- 25% of products are less than 5 years old
- 5% of annual sales revenue is spent on innovation/product compliance
- 4 R&D Centers:
 - Basel Switzerland
 - Langweid Germany Mumbai India

 - Panyu China

Commitment to wool





Innovation Milestones Dyes



1904	ERIOCHROM®	- Chrome dyes
1919	NEOLAN®	- 1:1 metal complex dyes
1951	IRGALAN®	- 1:2 metal complex dyes
1962	LANACRON® S	- mono-sulpho 1:2 mc dyes
1966	LANASOL®	 wool reactive dyes
1983	LANASET®	- wool dyeing at isoelectric point
1987	NEOLAN® P	- modified 1:1 mc dyes
1997	LANASOL® CE	 to replace Chrome dyes
2001	NEOLAN® P OPTIFLOW	 special granular form
2007	LANASOL® Deep Black CE-R	- strongest Black in the market

withdrawal of Chrome dyes

2009....

LANASOL range enlarging



Innovation Milestones Auxiliaries



1939	MITIN® FF	durable moth and beetle proofing
1966	ALBEGAL® B	for LANASOL® reactive wool dyes
1978	MIRALAN® HTW	wool protecting agent for PES/WO
1983	ALBEGAL® SET	leveler for LANASET® system
1988	ALBEGAL® PLUS	for NEOLAN® P system
1990	UV-FAST® W	UV absorber for wool
2000	ALBEGAL® CE	leveler for LANASOL® CE dyes
2002	ALBATEX®	AB45 & AB55 – buffer systems
2007	ALBATEX® PS-35	pH slider (acid donor)

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Focus on Wool Care

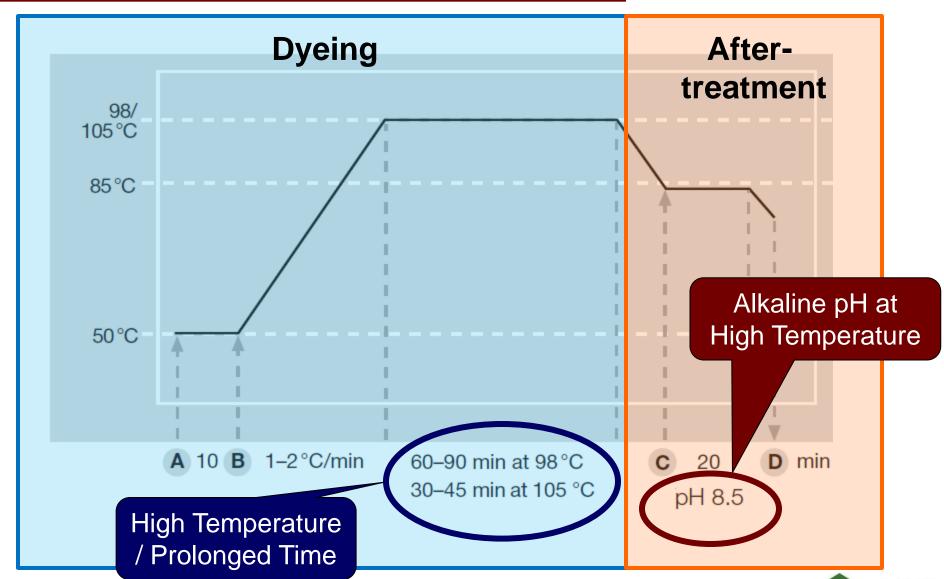


Latest developments for Wool protection



Traditional LANASOL® dyeing process







MIRALAN® LTD

LANASOL® Low Temperature Dyeing process



MIRALAN® LTD - Wool care



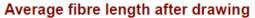
- First and only low temperature dyeing auxiliary for LANASOL® dyes
- Combines perfect fiber and surface levelness with the feature of low temperature dyeing
- Guarantees best exhaustion and fixation of LANASOL® dyes at 85-90°C
- Low temperature dyeing process with MIRALAN® LTD to minimize wool fiber damage

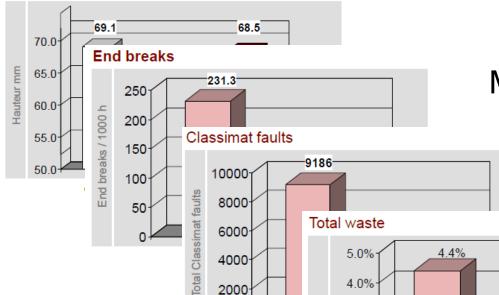
Permits dyeing at 85-90°C with LANASOL® and LANASOL® CE



MIRALAN® LTD - Wool care







Improves productivity

Minimize Wool fiber damage

Gives better spinnability

Preservation of Wool quality

3.6%

LANASOL®



Chrome

3.0%

2.0%

1.0%

0.0%



ERIOPON® LAN

Neutral After-treatment of LANASOL® dyes





- Gentle and neutral after-treatment process
- Washing-off at lower pH with similar or even improved wet fastness properties
- Better and consistent wet rubbing fastness, particularly for deep and black shades
- Resulting in improved wool quality (reduced wool damage)
 - the gentle after-treatment process helps provide a softer fabric handle
 - improved combing and spinning processing with higher yields

Supports the wash-off of unfixed LANASOL® dyes under neutral conditions





Method: ISO 105-X12

Deep black shade dyed with:

Rubbing dry wet

Chrome dyes	3	3/4
LANASOL® After-treated 20 min. at pH 8.5	3/4	3
LANASOL® After-treated with ERIOPON® LAN at pH 7.3	4	4

Improvement in rubbing fastness obtained ERIOPON® LAN at lower pH

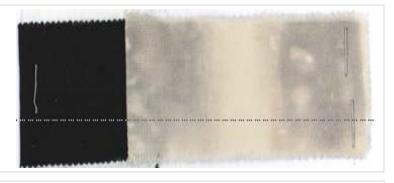




Method: ISO 105-X07

Cross dyeing with Acetic Acid

After-treatment at pH 7.5 for 20 min. at 85°C



After-treatment at pH 7.5 for 20 min. at 85°C with **ERIOPON®** LAN



ERIOPON® LAN provides excellent cross-dyeing performance even at lower pH





Reduction in wool damage

Blind dyeing without dyestuff to demonstrate negative influence of high pH on wool

Yellow Index*

Conventional after-treatment pH 8.5



31.7

After-treatment at pH 7.5 with ERIOPON® LAN



29.2

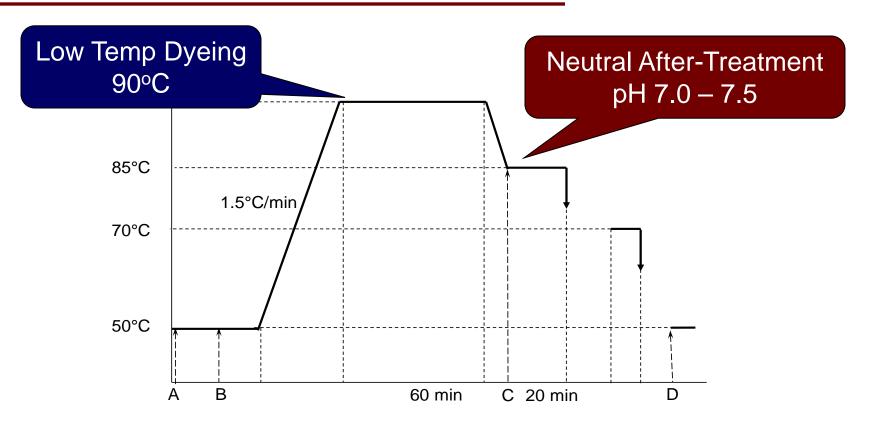
*Higher yellowing is an indication of higher wool damage

The new gentle process along with **ERIOPON® LAN** supports improved Wool quality



MIRALAN® LTD & ERIOPON® LAN application





A: 0.5 g/l ALBAFLOW® UNI-01

2.0 g/l MIRALAN® Q-01

1-2. % MIRALAN® LTD

x % Acetic / Formic acid

B: y % LANASOL® dyes

C: z % soda ash

1-3% ERIOPON® LAN

D: 0.5 % Formic acid 85%





