

# Abrasion Resistance of SuperFabric® materials from Lowest to Highest

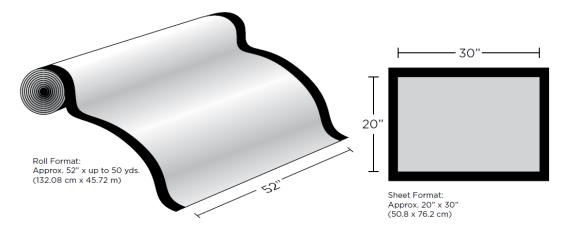
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700108-962	1500
700105-905	1600
600147-780	1650
700554-700	1700
700149-800	1800
601070-925	2000
700538-800	2000
700108-960	2050
601050-620	2200
700105-900	2250
700192-638	2300
600100-962	2400
600120-905	2400
600200-905	2500
601050-905	2500
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Item Number	Cycles
700149-700	2600
700810-935	2600
600100-960	2700
600200-900	2700
701020-905	2800
700665-780	2850
700690-720	2900
600107-905	3000
700665-720	3000
700300-722	3050
700305-722	3050
600195-960	3100
600195-962	3200
600107-900	3400
700665-620	3500
700665-920	3600
701020-900	3800
700590-701	3900
700665-930	4050
700665-953	4050
700670-620	4100
700665-910	4500

Abrasion test are performed using a Taber tester with an H18 wheel and 1000 gram load

### SuperFabric® material Formats:

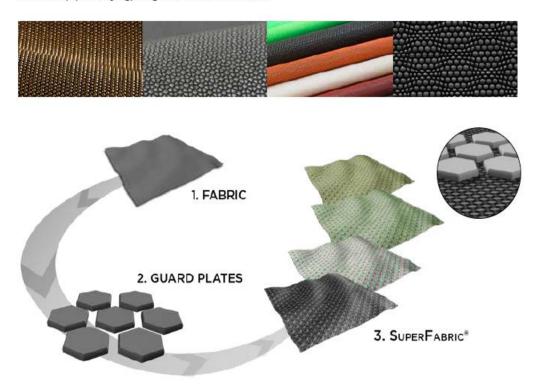
SuperFabric® materials are available in rolls or sheets. Item numbers that begin with 6 are roll items and item numbers that begin with 7 are sheet items. The measurements indicate the approximate areas of printed guard plates, not the sizes of the fabric they are printed on. Black edges indicate approximate areas of unprinted fabric.



### **GUARD PLATE COLORS**



SuperFabric® technology starts with a fabric and overlays it with tiny plates ("guard plates") in a specific arrangement. The gaps between guard plates allow complete flexibility. The geometry, thickness, and size of the guard plates, as well as the fabric, can be varied depending on the desired attributes. SuperFabric® materials are designed to deliver a range of performance features such as abrasion resistance, stain resistance, quick drying, weight reduction and more.



### **TECHNOLOGY**

The key to this remarkable material is the fact that locally, the guard plates are hard. Globally, the plates allow full motion which gives SuperFabric® a feel similar to traditional fabrics.



Side View: Small guard plates allow a high degree of flexibility while providing superior protection

Side View: Shows integration of guard plates, spacing, and fabric

# Benefits of SuperFabric® materials

### · QUICK-DRYING

SuperFabric® drying is the result of a 3-pronged system that quickly dries while keeping the elements on the outside and contents dry on the inside. Impervious guard plates, repellent fabric, and optional waterproof breathable membranes are part of the Speed Dry advantage.

Water

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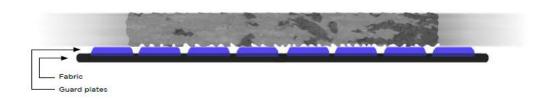
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### ABRASION RESISTANT

Air flow (around)

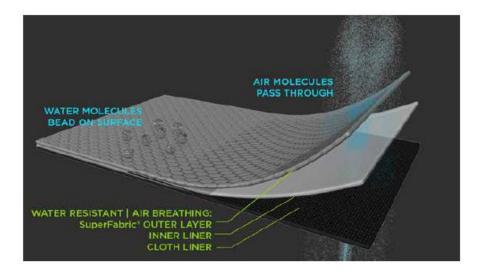
Speed Dry

The guard plates are ready to fend off rock, ice, brush, debris, scuffs, and scrapes. The guard plates don't just look pretty, they perform day in and day out. SuperFabric® materials won't snag like knit fabrics. SuperFabric® is used in demanding applications that require abrasion resistence, such as motorcycle apparel, ski and snowboard apparel, footwear, and more.



### • BREATHABLE AND WATER RESISTANT

Breathability: the ability of a fabric or material to transmit air and moisture. Lots of materials are, of course, breathable. However, being breathable while still being water resistant is a much taller order. By their inherent construction, SuperFabric® materials are both air breathing and water repellent.



### STAIN RESISTANT

SuperFabric® is highly resistant to stains from mud, dirt, grease, and liquids such as oil, sauces, and more. This ALTAI™ boot, made with SuperFabric® material, resists mud and is easy to rinse clean with a garden hose or under a running faucet.





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