

Changes in 2024 Manual of International Test Methods and Procedures

The following AATCC standards have been developed, revised, or reaffirmed since publication of the 2023 volume of the Manual of International Test Methods and Procedures. In accordance with AATCC M13, Rules of Procedure for AATCC Test Method and Technology Committees, all technical changes are unanimously approved by the responsible research committee and the Technical Committee on Research (TCR) before publication.

AATCC TM16.1-2023, Test Method for Colorfastness to Light: Outdoor. Revised in 2023 to align to AATCC style guide.

AATCC TM16.2-2023, Test Method for Colorfastness to Light: Carbon-Arc. Revised in 2023 to align to AATCC style guide.

AATCC TM20A-2021e, Test Method for Fiber Analysis: Quantitative. Editorially revised in 2023 to update numbering in section 17.

AATCC TM43-1952e6(2018)e3, Test Method for Wetting Agents for Mercerization. Editorially revised in 2023 to move the History section.

AATCC TM61-2013e(2020)e2, Test Method for Colorfastness to Laundering: Accelerated. Editorially revised in 2023 to update designation and History section.

AATCC TM79-2010e2(2018)e3, Test Method for Absorbency of Textiles. Editorially revised in 2023 to move History section.

AATCC TM88B-2018te, Test Method for Seam Smoothness in Fabrics after Home Laundering. Editorially revised in 2023 to add History section.

AATCC TM88C-2018te, Test Method for Crease Retention in Fabrics after Home Laundering. Editorially revised in 2023 to add History section.

AATCC TM96-2012e3, Test Method for Dimensional Changes in Commercial Laundering of Woven and Knitted Fabrics Except Wool. Withdrawn

AATCC TM107-2022e, Test Method for Colorfastness to Water. Editorially revised in 2023 to correct misspellings.

AATCC TM111-2023, Test Method for Weather Resistance of Textiles: Exposure to Daylight and Weather. Revised in 2023 to align with the AATCC style guide.

AATCC TM124-2018te, Test Method for Smoothness Appearance of Fabrics after Home Laundering. Editorially revised in 2023 to add History section.

AATCC TM142-2016e, Test Method for Appearance of Flocked Fabrics after Home Laundering and/or Coin-Op Drycleaning. Withdrawn

AATCC TM143-2018te, Test Method for Appearance of Apparel and Other Textile End Products after Home Laundering. Editorially revised in 2023 to change History section.

AATCC TM149-2023, Test Method for Chelation Value of Aminopolycarboxylic Acids and Their Salts: Calcium Oxalate. Revised in 2023 to clarify and align with prescribed AATCC style guidelines.

AATCC TM161-2023, Test Method for Color Change of Disperse Dyes Caused by Metals, with and without Chelating Agent. Revised in 2023 to clarify and align with prescribed AATCC style guidelines.

AATCC TM163-2013(2020)e4, Test Method for Colorfastness to Storage: Dye Transfer. Editorially revised in 2023 to update history.

AATCC TM168-2023, Test Method for Chelation Value of Polyaminopolycarboxylic Acids and Their Salts: Copper PAN. Revised in 2023 to clarify and align with prescribed AATCC style guidelines.

AATCC TM174-2022e, Test Method for Antimicrobial Activity of New Carpets. Editorially revised in 2023 to correct section formatting.

AATCC TM179-2023, Test Method for Skew Change in Fabrics After Home Laundering. Revised in 2023 to add that optionally, the direction of skew may be reported.

AATCC TM186-2023, Test Method for Weather Resistance: UV Light and Moisture Exposure. Revised in 2023 for clarity and to align with style guidelines.

AATCC TM190-2010e2(2016)e2, Test Method for Colorfastness to Home Laundering with Activated Oxygen Bleach Detergent: Accelerated. Withdrawn

AATCC TM192-2023, Test Method for Weather Resistance of Textiles: Sunshine-Arc Lamp Exposure with and Without Wetting. Revised in 2023 to align to the AATCC style guide.

AATCC TM193-2023, Test Method for Aqueous Liquid Repellency: Water/Alcohol Solution Resistance. Revised in 2023 to add History section and clarity.

AATCC TM194-2023, Test Method for Anti-House Dust Mite Properties of Textiles under Long-Term Test Conditions. Revised in 2023 to add dust mite food source and to align with the AATCC Style Guide.

AATCC TM214-2022, Test Method for Measuring Condensation on Textiles in a Humid Microclimate. New – Developed in 2022 by AATCC Committee RA63.

AATCC TM215-2023, Test Method for Soil Release: Household Soils. New – Developed in 2023 by AATCC Committee RA56.

AACC EP7-2021e, Evaluation Procedure for Instrumental Assessment of the Change in Color of a Test Specimen. Editorially revised to update a reference in Section 2: Principle, and to place the history in correct order.

AATCC EP10-2018e2, Evaluation Procedure for Multifiber Adjacent Fabrics. Editorially revised 2023 to clarify the Notes section and to move the History section.

AATCC EP14-2021e2, AATCC Evaluation Procedure for Small Color Differences. Editorially revised in 2023 to correct a typo.

AATCC LP4-2023, Laboratory Procedure for Synthetic Soil. New – Developed in 2023 by AATCC Committee RA57.

AATCC LP5-2023, Laboratory Procedure for Home Laundering with Bleach. New – Developed in 2023 by AATCC Committee RA88.

AATCC M3-2008(2021)e2, Monograph of High Efficiency Washers in North America. Withdrawn. Superseded by AATCC LP5.

Committee RA31, Antimicrobial Activity – Committee Scope updated.