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TOTAL COSTS OF WOVEN RING-YARN FABRIC - 2006

(In US\$ per metre of fabric)

COST ELEMENT	BRAZIL	CHINA	INDIA	ITALY	KOREA	TURKEY	USA
Waste	0.042 6%	0.053 7%	0.033 5%	0.043 4%	0.042 6%	0.045 6%	0.039 5%
Labour	0.037 5%	0.014 2%	0.017 3%	0.324 32%	0.123 17%	0.079 11%	0.222 27%
Power	0.063 9%	0.100 14%	0.119 19%	0.129 13%	0.076 10%	0.082 11%	0.057 7%
Auxiliary material	0.045 6%	0.053 7%	0.071 11%	0.074 7%	0.068 9%	0.081 11%	0.053 6%
Capital (depreciation & interest)	0.270 38%	0.177 24%	0.181 29%	0.185 18%	0.167 23%	0.172 24%	0.234 28%
Raw material	0.258 36%	0.342 46%	0.205 33%	0.249 25%	0.258 35%	0.270 37%	0.232 28%
Total fabric costs (per metre of fabric)	0.715	0.740	0.627	1.004	0.733	0.728	0.837
Index (Italy : 100)	(71)	(74)	(62)	(100)	(73)	(72)	(83)

Source : International Production Cost Comparison, 2006 , International Textile Manufacturers Federation (ITMF)