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MANUFACTURING COSTS OF O-E YARN KNITTING - 2006

(In US \$ per metre of fabric)

COST ELEMENT	BRAZIL	CHINA	INDIA	ITALY	KOREA	TURKEY	USA
Labour	0.004 10%	0.001 3%	0.002 8%	0.047 52%	0.009 26%	0.006 21%	0.031 54%
Power	0.003 7%	0.004 13%	0.005 20%	0.006 7%	0.003 9%	0.005 17%	0.003 5%
Auxiliary material	0.009 22%	0.006 20%	0.006 24%	0.013 14%	0.007 20%	0.007 25%	0.006 10%
Depreciation	0.012 29%	0.017 55%	0.009 36%	0.017 19%	0.013 37%	0.008 27%	0.012 21%
Interest	0.013 32%	0.003 10%	0.003 12%	0.007 8%	0.003 9%	0.003 10%	0.006 10%
Total manufacturing costs (per metre of fabric)	0.041	0.031	0.025	0.090	0.035	0.029	0.058
Index (Italy : 100)	(46)	(35)	(28)	(100)	(39)	(32)	(64)

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