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MANUFACTURING COSTS OF TEXTURED YARN KNITTING - 2006

(In US \$ per metre of fabric)

COST ELEMENT	BRAZIL	CHINA	INDIA	ITALY	KOREA	TURKEY	USA
Labour	0.005 6%	0.001 2%	0.002 4%	0.061 42%	0.012 18%	0.008 15%	0.041 44%
Power	0.004 5%	0.006 9%	0.007 14%	0.007 5%	0.004 6%	0.006 11%	0.003 3%
Auxiliary material	0.019 23%	0.012 19%	0.013 25%	0.027 18%	0.016 24%	0.015 28%	0.014 15%
Depreciation	0.027 32%	0.038 59%	0.021 41%	0.036 25%	0.029 43%	0.018 33%	0.025 27%
Interest	0.029 35%	0.007 11%	0.008 16%	0.015 10%	0.007 10%	0.007 13%	0.011 12%
Total manufacturing costs (per metre of fabric)	0.084	0.064	0.051	0.146	0.068	0.054	0.094
Index (Italy : 100)	(58)	(44)	(35)	(100)	(47)	(37)	(64)

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