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TOTAL COSTS OF KNITTED O-E YARN FABRIC - 2006

(In US\$ per metre of fabric)

COST ELEMENT	BRAZIL	CHINA	INDIA	ITALY	KOREA	TURKEY	USA
Waste	0.032 5%	0.044 5%	0.025 4%	0.031 4%	0.032 5%	0.034 5%	0.028 4%
Labour	0.011 2%	0.003 1%	0.005 1%	0.110 14%	0.029 4%	0.022 3%	0.072 11%
Power	0.033 5%	0.052 6%	0.062 11%	0.069 9%	0.039 6%	0.055 8%	0.030 4%
Auxiliary material	0.036 5%	0.033 4%	0.033 6%	0.042 5%	0.035 5%	0.035 5%	0.035 5%
Capital (depreciation & interest)	0.134 19%	0.084 10%	0.077 14%	0.095 12%	0.083 12%	0.072 10%	0.116 17%
Raw Material	0.458 65%	0.630 74%	0.365 64%	0.444 56%	0.462 68%	0.487 69%	0.405 59%
Total fabric costs (per metre of fabric)	0.704	0.846	0.568	0.791	0.679	0.705	0.685
Index (Italy : 100)	(89)	(107)	(72)	(100)	(86)	(89)	(87)

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