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Standard Method of Test for
Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials

ASTM E 84-06

Washi / TEMPERANCE

Report Number 07-01048

Test Number 3854-4925

January 4, 2007

Lori Weitzner Design, Inc.
New York, New York

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mechanism. This method of sample preparation is described in Appendix X1 of the E 84 standard, Guide to Mounting Methods, Section X1.9.3.

TEST RESULTS

The test results, calculated on the basis of observed flame propagation and the integrated area under the recorded smoke density curve, are presented below. The Flame Spread Index obtained in E 84 is rounded to the nearest number divisible by five. Smoke Developed Indices are rounded to the nearest number divisible by five unless the Index is greater than 200. In that case, the Smoke Developed Index is rounded to the nearest 50 points. The flame spread and smoke development data are presented graphically on Page 4 of this report.

Test Specimen	Flame Spread Index	Smoke Developed Index
Fiber-Reinforced Cement Board, Grade II	0	0
Red Oak Flooring	100	100
Washi	15	5

OBSERVATIONS

Specimen ignition over the burners occurred at 0.60 minute. Surface flame spread was observed to a maximum distance of 3.96 feet beyond the zero point at 2.27 minutes. The maximum temperature recorded during the test was 618°F.

CLASSIFICATION

The Flame Spread Index and Smoke Developed Index values obtained by ASTM E 84 tests are frequently used by code officials and regulatory agencies in the acceptance of interior finish materials for various applications. The most widely accepted classification system is described in the National Fire Protection Association publication NFPA 101 *Life Safety Code*, where:

- Class A 0 – 25 Flame Spread Index 0 – 450 Smoke Developed Index
- Class B 26 – 75 Flame Spread Index 0 – 450 Smoke Developed Index
- Class C 76 – 200 Flame Spread Index 0 – 450 Smoke Developed Index

Class A, B, and C correspond to Type I, II, and III respectively in other codes such as SBCCI, BOCA, and ICBO. They do not preclude a material being otherwise classified by the authority of jurisdiction.

ASTM E 84 TEST DATA

Client: Lori Weitzner Design, Inc.

Test Number: 3854-4925

Material Tested: Washi

Date: January 4, 2007

Test Results:

Time to Ignition = 00.60 minutes
Maximum Flamespread Distance = 03.96 feet
Time to Maximum Spread = 02.27 minutes

Flame Spread Index = 15
Smoke Developed Index = 5

