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# (PREVIEW)

# Indian Standard SPECIFICATION FOR HANDLOOM COTTON BANDAGE CLOTH, NON-STERILIZED

# 0. FOREWORD

- **0.1** This Indian Standard (Second Revision) was adopted by the Bureau of Indian Standards on 2 May 1988, after the draft finalized by the Handloom and Khadi Sectional Committee had been approved by the Textile Division Council.
- **0.2** This standard was first published in 1956 and revised in 1969. It has been again taken up for revision in order to align it with the specification laid down by Government of India for surgical dressings and notified and given at the Schedule F(II) in the Drugs and Cosmetics (First Amendment) Rules 1984. Other important changes carried out are as under:
  - a) Deletion of breaking load requirements since cotton yarn conforming to IS: 171-1985\* has been specified.
  - b) In order to determine conformity of

\*Specification for cotton and cotton regenerated cellulosic fibre blended grey yarn ( third revision ).

bandage cloth to the requirements of this standard, it is permitted to carry out conditioning and testing of samples in the prevailing atmospheric conditions. However, in all cases of disputes, conditioning and testing shall be carried out in standard atmospheric conditions as envisaged in the referred Indian Standards on test methods.

**0.3** For the purpose of deciding whether a particular requirement of this standard is complied with, the final value, observed or calculated, expressing the result of a test or analysis, shall be rounded off in accordance with IS: 2-1960\*. The number of significant places retained in the rounded off value should be the same as that of the specified value in this standard.

\*Rules for rounding off numerical values ( revised ).

### 1. SCOPE

1.1 This standard prescribes the constructional particulars, and other requirements for hand-loom cotton bandage cloth, bleached and non-sterilized.

form. The selvedge shall not be included in cut bandages. Both the extreme edges shall be straight and evenly cut with reasonable freedom from loose threads.