## **Product Specification**

## **DMT Test Dirt | A1.1**

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1. General description:	In accordance with the American standard ASTM F 608, DMT test dirt A1.1 is used to evaluate the dust absorption of neck stop and industrial vacuum cleaners on carpets. The test dirt A1.1 forms a mixture of 90 % DMT quartz sand A1.2 and 10 % DMT talc test dust A1.3.
2. Composition:	The test dirt A1.1 forms a mixture of 90 % DMT quartz sand A1.2 and 10 % DMT talc test dust A1.3.
3. Transport and Storage:	Partial segregation may occur during transport and storage. It is therefore recommended to homogenize the DMT Test Dirt   A1.1 before use, which can be achieved by mixing with a laboratory tumbler mixer. Please store in a dry and airtight original container.
4. Quality ensurance:	In order to achieve reproducible quality, the raw materials and production are strictly controlled. The following quality controls are carried out:
	Monitoring the particle size distribution of raw materials  Monitoring the particle size distribution of the end product



**5. Specification:** Name: DMT Test Dirt | A1.1

Standard: ASTM F 608

**Title of Standard:** Standard Test Method for Evaluation of Carpet Embedded Dirt

Removal Effectiveness of Household/Commercial Vacuum Cleaners

Composition: Quartz-hydrated magnesium silicate-mixture

Material: Quartz-Talcum-Mixture largest particle size (μm): 600

Apperance : solid
Hardness (Mohs): Colour : grey/brown