

Protective clothing — Mechanical properties — Determination of resistance to cutting by sharp objects

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