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**Textiles - Quantitative chemical analysis - Part 26: Mixtures of melamine and cotton or aramide fibres (method using hot formic acid) (ISO 1833-26:2013)**

Textiles - Analyse chimique quantitative - Partie 26:  
Mélanges de fibres de mélamine et de fibres de coton ou d'aramide (méthode à l'acide formique chaud) (ISO 1833-26:2013)

Textilien - Quantitative chemische Analyse - Teil 26:  
Mischungen aus Melamin und Baumwolle oder Aramidfasern (Verfahren mit heißer Ameisensäure) (ISO 1833-26:2013)

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## Foreword

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# Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis —

## Part 26:

## Mixtures of melamine and cotton or aramide fibres (method using hot formic acid)

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### 1 Scope

This part of ISO 1833 specifies a method using hot formic acid to determine the percentage of melamine fibres after removal of non-fibrous matter, in textiles made of binary mixtures of melamine fibres with cotton or aramid fibres.

### 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 1833-1, *Textiles — Quantitative chemical analysis — Part 1: General principles of testing*

### 3 Principle

The melamine fibre is dissolved out from a known dry mass of the mixture with hot formic acid (90 % by mass). The residue is collected, washed, dried and weighed; its mass, corrected if necessary, is expressed as a percentage of the dry mass of the mixture. The percentage of the second constituent is obtained by difference.

### 4 Reagents

#### 4.1 General

Use the reagents described in ISO 1833-1, together with those specified in 4.2 and 4.3.

#### 4.2 Formic acid (90 % mass fraction, relative density at 20 °C: 1,204 g/ml)

Dilute 890 ml of 98 to 100 % mass fraction formic acid (relative density at 20 °C: 1,220 g/ml) to 1 l with water.

**SAFETY PRECAUTIONS** — The harmful effects of this reagent shall be borne in mind, and full precautions shall be taken during use.

#### 4.3 Ammonia, dilute solution

Dilute 80 ml of concentrated ammonia solution (relative density at 20 °C: 0,880 g/ml) to 1 l with water.