

The GreenShield<sup>®</sup> Company

## **Technical Information**

GreenShield® C6XL fabric finish

Nanoparticle based water and oil repellant finish for textiles

### 1 Properties

Chemical Character fluoropolymer silica mixture in

water

Concentration 14 - 18%

Appearance off-white dispersion

pH 4-6

Dilutability Miscible with water

Effect on hand and color None

Storage Can be stored for a year or more at

normal conditions. Should not be

frozen.

#### 2 Application Properties

GreenShield® fabric finish provides excellent stain resistance and oil and water repellency to fabrics using 6-10 times lower fluorochemicals relative to competitive fabric finishes. Green-Shield can be used on many fabrics, including polyester, cotton, polypropylene, nylon, rayon, and blends of these and other fabrics. Fabrics treated with GreenShield retain their properties through 25 for more washing cycles.

# 3 Application

GreenShield can be applied to fabrics using conventional coating methods, such as roll coating, padding, spray coating, or foaming. Typically GreenShield is diluted to 1-5% in water, although this depends on fabric type, weight, pre-treatment, and various factors. Typical drying and curing temperatures range from 120C to 175C, depending on the type of fiber and the process.

### 4 Treatment examples

The following fabrics were treated with 3% concentrations of GreenShield C6XL fabric finish.

The treated materials exhibited excellent water and oil repellency and spray results, as shown below.

Description	Water drop	Oil drop	Spray test
			(%)
100% Polyester	6A	10A	100
100% Polypropylene	6A	9A	100

Results will vary depending on fabric treatment, color, weave, weight, GreenShield, concentration, cure temperature, etc.

Water repellency per AATCC 193

Oil repellency per AATCC 118

Spray test per AATCC 22

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