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# Professional technical textiles

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## Innovation serving the needs of today's professionals

Awning fabric is often put to the test on restaurant terraces and building façades. Urban pollution, tobacco smoke and other sources of dirt are virtually omnipresent.

Specifically designed for professionals, Dickson® has developed two technical fabric ranges with incomparable attributes, not available anywhere else on the market. Packed with the latest textile innovations, they offer an effective solution for today's most demanding business- and home-owners. Easy maintenance, long-lasting colours, water-proof... all these smart assets make it possible for Dickson® to offer a 10-year warranty on these amazing fabrics.

# Orchestra Max

THE SELF-CLEANING WATERPROOF FABRIC

Multi-purpose Orchestra Max is particularly well suited for permanent installations with constant exposure to pollution and ever-changing weather.

It's primarily designed for shops, hotels and restaurants but also provides a state-of-the-art solution for the most demanding home-owners. With its 12 new references, Orchestra Max is playing the decorative card, betting on solids in bold colours like pink and denim, balanced with simple, elegant stripes.

## Self-cleaning fabric made with nano-particles

Inspired by the unique characteristics of the Lotus leaf, which remains clean and dry at all times despite its wet, muddy surroundings, the Orchestra Max range is completely covered with a special treatment called PERMACLEAN®. Developed by Dickson®, this treatment is formulated with nano-particles that make water bead up and roll right off the surface, taking dirt right along with it before it has a chance to settle in. As a result, all you need to do is spray the fabric with water to keep it looking clean as new.

## Water-repellent, anti-UV fabric

Coated on one side with an anti-fungal, UV-resistant acrylic resin, Orchestra Max is perfectly waterproof, so people can take full advantage of outdoor terraces all year long, even when it rains.

Since it blocks out heat as well, Orchestra Max has the added advantage of keeping the temperature down to avoid the greenhouse effect which otherwise can occur under an awning in full sun.

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SOURIS 8396



PINK U170



FLANELLE U104



CERISE 6435



TOAST 8891



BLUE JEAN U225



SIENNE D100



DENIM U141

## Certified by a renowned European research organisation

Orchestra Max was awarded the Selfcleaning – Inspired by nature certificate by the most highly reputed German textile research centre, the ITV Denksdorf.

This label guarantees the new Permaclean® applied to all Orchestra Max fabric is 100% effective.

100% SOLUTION-DYED ACRYLIC - COATED ON ONE SIDE -  
WEIGHT: 330G/SQ.M. - SCHMERBER: 1,200 MM - 31 REFERENCES  
(INCLUDING 20 SOLIDS) - WIDTH: 120 CM - 10-YEAR WARRANTY

# Alto Fr

THE HIGHLY DEMANDING  
FIREPROOF FABRIC

Today's terraces are flooded with smokers, candles and gas or electric heaters. Countless dangers against which business owners must protect their customers. Alto FR, classified as M1, feels like genuine textile, and yet guarantees optimum safety.

In addition to its technical performance, Alto FR undeniable aesthetic appeal. Available in a range of 11 trendy coloured solids, it fits beautifully with the visual identity of the most modern brand names.



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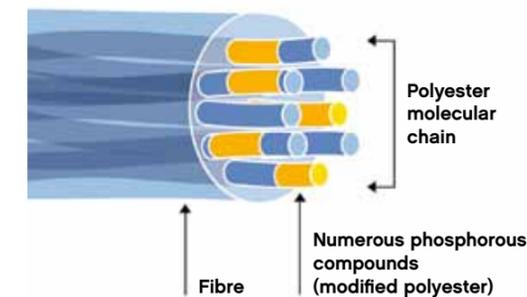
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## Fire-proof fabric with technical ingenuity that's never been seen before

In keeping with the latest fire prevention standards, it is made with fibres that resist burning, right down to the core and thus ensure maximum safety. This high level of protection makes Alto FR the reference for cafés, restaurants, hotels, and even hospitals.



FIRE-PROOF STRUCTURE



TO BE TRULY FIRE-PROOF, THE FIBRE'S MOLECULAR CHAIN NEEDS TO BE MODIFIED. PHOSPHORUS BONDS ARE ADDED SO THAT RIGHT DOWN TO THEIR CORE, THE FIBRES WON'T BURN, EVER.

In addition to its fire-proof advantages, Alto FR benefits from the Dickson® know-how to guarantee up to 95% less glare and block out 90% to 100% of the UV rays, depending on the colour. It provides incomparable shade to prevent the greenhouse effect. It also boasts incomparable stain resistance and water-repellence thanks to the Cleangard® treatment developed by Dickson®.

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| M1 | FRANCE<br>NF P 92 503/504/505 |
| B1 | GERMANY<br>DIN 4102           |
| C1 | ITALY<br>UNI 9176             |
| M1 | SPAIN<br>UNE 23.727-90        |

## Top of the line solar protection



Alto FR is also the ideal solution for professionals in search of high quality, long lasting fabric. This 100% solution-dyed polyester fabric is coated on one side to keep it extra water-repellent and looking new for years! UV-absorbers added to the fibres boost the fabric's physical durability and minimize its wear due to sun exposure. Alto FR has a 5-year warranty.

# The Dickson<sup>®</sup> group

The Dickson-Constant<sup>®</sup> technical expertise is the happy outcome of the 1969 merger between Dickson<sup>®</sup>, located in Dunkirk since 1836, and Constant, located in Lille since 1913.

In 1998, Dickson-Constant<sup>®</sup> joined the American group, Glen Raven<sup>®</sup>. The alliance between these two outdoor technical textile leaders enabled Dickson<sup>®</sup> to make a real name for itself, establishing its brand as THE reference for top-quality outdoor fabrics.

**250,000** REELS OF YARN  
HANDLED MONTHLY

DISTRIBUTED  
IN MORE THAN  
**110**  
COUNTRIES

**11,000**  
SQUARE METRES  
OF LOGISTICS SPACE

**27,500**  
SQUARE METRES OF  
MANUFACTURING SPACE

**110**  
LOOMS

**25,000,000**  
M<sup>2</sup> MANUFACTURED ANNUALLY

**3,500 EMPLOYEES**  
WORK FOR THE GLEN RAVEN<sup>®</sup> GROUP  
(600 EMPLOYEES WORK DIRECTLY FOR DICKSON<sup>®</sup>)

**75%**  
EXPORT SALES

## 14 SUBSIDIARIES WORLDWIDE

SPAIN, ITALY, GERMANY, SWEDEN, UK, BELGIUM, NETHERLANDS, POLAND,  
GREECE, SOUTH AFRICA, AUSTRALIA, CHINA, USA, ARGENTINA, ETC.

**100,000** SQUARE METRES OF FABRIC  
MANUFACTURED DAILY



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