Fort Worth, Texas 76106



## Standard Test Method ASTM D3806 SPECIMENS 1/4" thick recycled rubber mat flooring

Three coats Flame Safe Fire Poly FPCC applied to specimen at 250 sq. ft /gallon (final coverage rate 83.33 sq.ft / gallon) or 12 mils.

## CALCULATION:

Calculate the experimental flame-spread rating using the following equation (ASTM D3806 Test Method):

$$F_{SE} = \frac{(L_s - L_a)}{L_R - L_a} \quad X F_{SR}$$

where:

 $F_{SE}$  = flame spread of specimen,

 $L_s$  = mean of three flame advance readings of specimen, inches, (9.5, 9.0, 9.0) = 9.166.

 $L_a$  = mean of three flame advance reading of zero flame-spread standard, inches, (8.5, 8.5, 8.5) = 8.5 (Cement Board)

 $L_R$  = mean of three flame advance readings of rated standard, inches, (16.5, 16.5, 16.5, 16.5) = 16.5 (Red Oak) and  $F_{SR}$  = flame-spread rating of rated standard =100

To Calculate Projected ASTM E84 Flame Spread Rating (based on the ASTM D3806 Test Method) use the following equation:

 $F_{SE} + 4.8 \text{ x} .95 = FS_{84}$  (Round to Nearest Whole Number)

$$F_{SE} = \frac{(9-8.5)}{16.5 - 8.5} = \frac{.5}{8}$$
 X  $100 = 6.25 + 4.8$  X  $.95 = 10$  Round to nearest whole number

Predicted E84 Flame Spread is 10 Optical Smoke Density estimated at 150

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## Notation:

The ASTM E84 Class A (UL723, Type 1) standard for Surface Burning Characteristics of Materials requires a flame spread rating of less than 25 and an optical smoke density of less than 450.