

Title (en)

THERMALLY BONDED FABRICS AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME

Title (de)

THERMISCH VERBUNDENE FASERVLIESTOFFE UND ZUGEHÖRIGE HERSTELLUNGSVERFAHREN

Title (fr)

TISSUS LIES THERMIQUEMENT ET PROCEDE DE FABRICATION DE CEUX-CI

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Abstract (en)

[origin: WO0248440A2] A method for producing a nonwoven fabric comprises passing a fiber web through a pair of rollers to obtain a thermally bonded fabric with a high percentage of bond areas. The high percentage of bond areas is formed by an engraved pattern on at least one of the rollers. The engraved pattern has a high percentage of bond point areas and wide bond point angles. The nonwoven fabric has increased tensile strength, elongation, abrasion resistance, flexural rigidity, and/or softness.

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