

Title (en)

LEATHER WITH SELF-CLEANING PROPERTIES AND RESISTANCE TO HEAT/FIRE AND METHOD OF OBTAINING THEREOF

Title (de)

LEDER MIT SELBSTREINIGENDEN EIGENSCHAFTEN UND BESTÄNDIGKEIT GEGEN WÄRME/FEUER SOWIE VERFAHREN ZU SEINER HERSTELLUNG

Title (fr)

CUIR DOTÉ DE PROPRIÉTÉS AUTONETTOYANTES ET RÉSISTANTES À LA CHALEUR/AU FEU ET PROCÉDÉ D'OBTENTION DE CELUI-CI

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Abstract (en)

The invention relates to leather for furniture and automotive upholstery and protective footwear, surface finished with titanium dioxide nano particles doped with 10% silica with an average particle size of 46 nm and with self-cleaning properties and improved resistance to heat transmission and combustion. The process for obtaining leather with self-cleaning properties and resistance to heat/fire consists in applying the base coat containing 0.05-10% titanium dioxide nano particles (% relative to the amount of binder) doped with 10% of silica which are dispersed in an equal amount of polyethylene glycol 600 and, according to another variant, 0.01-15% sodium polyacrylate, by mechanical stirring for 10 minutes, followed by sonication for 5 minutes, with pigment paste based on macro titanium dioxide, water and acrylic binder. This composition is applied by spraying in successive coats with intermediate drying and final pressing at 110°C and 20 kgf, followed by fixation with nitrocellulose lacquer in successive coats, with intermediate drying and final pressing in the same conditions. Self-cleaning properties are provided through photocatalytic degradation of organic dirt under the influence of ultraviolet and visible light and resistance to heat transfer and combustion.

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