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(57) A blended yarn comprises 20 to 50 percent by weight of a hygroscopic fiber and 50 to 80 percent by weight of a non-hygroscopic fiber, the yarn having a moisture-absorbing extent at the equilibrium of 15 percent or smaller at 20 °c at a relative humidity of 65 % and that of 35 % at 29.5 ° at a relative humidity of 96 %. It is suitable for clothing having a moisture conditioning. In the examples, the hygroscopic fiber is chosen from polyvinylalcohol and carboxymethylated viscose.

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