
Question 13 — Properties and Performance of Textiles (10 marks)

(a) Outline the process of digital printing.

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This is by applying patterns, picture or whatever onto a fabric through printers. eg. getting a picture off internet and printing it on to fabric.

(b) What are the advantages and disadvantages of using digital printing in fabric design?

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You can use this in designs to show pictures and it appears neat yet the disadvantage is that you can not use any material or printers to do so eg. netting is no good.

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- (c) How have the characteristics of washable webs led to a greater variety of products being available? 5

Washable webs are environmentally sustainable therefore many products used in everyday life are produced eg washing rags, (chucks), shopping bags.

because they are environmentally sustainable people prefer these products and they ~~are~~ are cheap manufacturer therefore prices are cheap.

Also because people demand environmentally friendly products it is demanded to have a large variety of wash-able web products available.

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