

Notice Regarding PFAS used in some Performance Coatings for Oil Resistance:

Q: What is PFAS?

A: The per-and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) are a group of chemicals used to make fluoropolymer coatings and products that resist heat, oil, stains, grease, and water. Fluoropolymer coatings can be in a variety of products. Also sometimes referred to as “forever-chemicals” they do not break down.

Q: Why are PFAS important to know about?

A: Multiple state and federal entities, including the EPA, are moving to prohibit the sale and use of PFAS products. (Some states like California and Maine have already signed laws with states like Colorado giving deadlines of 2025).

PFAS exist in some performance coatings applied to textiles wherever oil resistance is desired, however there are new developments for PFAS-Free stain resistant and water-resistant performance coatings. Oil resistance is not a characteristic of PFAS-Free performance coatings.

HBF is actively working to eliminate PFAS from our supply chain. All New Launches are PFAS-Free. Please see below for Pattern information regarding which textiles do not include those coatings:

Patterns Free of Added PFAS Performance Coatings

Afghan	Crafted Felt	Goosebumps	Moss	Smart
Against the Grain	Crew Cut	Grateful Grid	Moving Forward	Soft Angles 2.0
Air Mail	Crumpled Paper	Habu	Moving In	Stardust
All Terrain	Cuddle Up	Happy Camper	Notable Grain	Sweater
Aviator	Curtain Wall	Heartfelt	Parker	Tickled Herring
Beetle	Dashing	Here & There	Pearl	Timeless Twine
Blink	Denim Wash*	Hipster*	Pebbled	Upbeat
Bumpy	Digital Bloom 2.0	Inherent	Pepper Blend	Upper Crust
Bunny	Dot Grid	Intersection	Persuede	Upscale
Butterfly	Dot Structure	Italian Wool	Picnic Plaid	Upstart
Checkmate	Double Stitch	Knitwork	Polygone	Uptown
Chenille Striae	Dreamy	Landscape Blur	Poodle	Vault Lights
Chubby Baby	Eccentric	Laugh Lines	Poppy	Velvet Mix
Cloud	Enriched Boucle	Lava Rock	Quilted Comfort	Vivace II
Cloverleaf	Equation	Look-see	Roy’s Cords	Voyage
Clutch	Flirt	Madam Dottie	Rush	Wabi Sabi
Comfort Zone*	Folded Lines	Matriarch	Scribble XL	Walkabout
Complex	Foundation	Merci Boucle	Sideways	Well-Loved
Cork Cloth	Fourfold	Mirage	Sister Solid*	Wild West
Crafted Cloud	Free Way	Modern Patina	Skim Coat	Woven Memory
				Zippy

*Denotes: PFAS Being Phased Out Immediately and New Inventory is PFAS-Free.

Contact hbftextilesservice@hbf.com if you have patterns for a specific project to request PFAS-Free inventory.