

## Additional Information for Cotton Fabrics

Per 19 CFR 141.89 the following should be present on the invoice or some other document accompanying the entry paperwork, order to determine the appropriate classification and rate of duty:

Cotton fabrics classifiable under the following HTSUS headings: 5208, 5209, 5210, 5211, and 5212:

- (1) Marks on shipping packages;
- (2) Numbers on shipping packages;
- (3) Customer's call number, if any;
- (4) Exact width of the merchandise;
- (5) Detailed description of the merchandise; trade name, if any; whether bleached, unbleached, printed, composed of yarns of different color, or dyed; if composed of cotton and other materials, state the percentage of each component material by weight;
- (6) Number of single threads per square centimeter (All ply yarns must be counted in accordance with the number of single threads contained in the yarn; to illustrate: a cloth containing 100 two-ply yarns in one square centimeter must be reported as 200 single threads);
- (7) Exact weight per square meter in grams;
- (8) Average yarn number use this formula:

$100 \times (\text{Total Single Yarns Per Square Centimeter}), \text{ then divide by } (\text{Number of Grams Per Square Meter})$

- (9) Yarn size or sizes in the warp;
- (10) Yarn size or sizes in the filling;
- (11) Specify whether the yarns are combed or carded;
- (12) Number of colors or kinds (different yarn sizes or materials) in the filling;
- (13) Specify whether the fabric is napped or not napped; and
- (14) Specify the type of weave, for example, plain, twill, sateen, oxford, etc., and
- (15) Specify the type of machine on which woven: if with Jacquard (Jacq), if with Swivel (Swiv), if with Lappet (Lpt.), if with Dobby (Dobby).

Also refer to the Chapter notes and provide any other information that may be needed for classification purposes, such as, *but not limited to*:

- \*number of single threads in the warp
- \*number of single threads in the weft
- \*whether any of the yarns are multiple (folded) or cabled yarns