

SLIP RESISTANT TESTING OF STAIR TREADS

Latham Australia Pty Ltd has had independent testing carried out by a NATA accredited laboratory in Accordance with AS 4586-2013 Slip resistance classification of new pedestrian surface materials – Appendix A.

Classification of Pedestrian Surface Materials According to the AS 4586 Wet Pendulum Test

Class	Pendulum SRV (see note 1)	
	Slider 96	Slider 55
P5	>54	>44
P4	45-54	40-44
Р3	35-44	35-39
P2	25-34	20-39
P1	12-24	<20
P0	<12	

Notes:

Adapted from AS 4586-2013 Table 2

- 1. While slider 96 or slider 55 rubbers may be used, the test report shall specify the rubber that was used.
- 2. It is expected that these surfaces will have greater slip resistance when dry.
- 3. SDV may be calculated by using the tables that are given in Appendix F, and the minimum SRV that is considered appropriate for a level surface (see examples given in Appendix F).

To comply with the National Construction Code (NCC) Slip Resistance Requirements, the test results of the 'Wet Pendulum Test' must achieve the values P3 or above for the surface when dry and P4 or above for the surface when wet. More information on the NCC available in SA HB 198:2014.

The established results are detailed as follows:

Latham Suregrip Silicon Carbide Mineral Insert Treads and Nosings

- Slip Resistance Value (SRV) Slider 55: 75
- Classification according to Appendix A: P5

Latham Supagrit Silicon Carbide Mineral Insert Treads and Nosings

- Slip Resistance Value (SRV) Slider 55: 57
- Classification according to Appendix A: P5

Latham Rufazel Slip Resistant Tread and Plate

- Slip Resistance Value (SRV) Slider 55: 64
- Classification according to Appendix A: P5







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Classification of Pedestrian Surface Materials According to the Oil-Wet Inclining Platform Test

Classification	Angle, Degrees	
No Classification	<6	
R9	≥6<10	
R10	≥10<19	
R11	≥19<27	
R12	≥27<35	
R13	≥35	

Adapted from AS 4586-2013 Table 5

To comply with the National Construction Code Slip Resistance Requirements, the test results of the 'Oil-Wet Inclining Platform Test' must achieve the values R10 or above for stair tread nosings when dry and R11 or above for stair tread nosings when wet.

The established results are detailed as follows:

Latham Suregrip Silicon Carbide Mineral Insert Treads and Nosings

- Corrected Mean Overall Acceptance Angle 34^o
- Classification according to Appendix D: R12

Latham Supagrit Silicon Carbide Mineral Insert Treads and Nosings

- Corrected Mean Overall Acceptance Angle 29^o
- Classification according to Appendix D: R12

Latham Rufazel Slip Resistant Tread and Plate

- Corrected Mean Overall Acceptance Angle 33^o
- Classification according to Appendix D: R12







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