

Tweed

Back ground:

Tweed is a rough, woollen fabric, of a soft, open, flexible texture, resembling cheviot or homespun, but more closely woven. It is usually woven with a plain weave, twill or herringbone structure. Colour effects in the yarn may be obtained by mixing dyed wool before it is spun.

Material used:

The material used for their weaving is pure wool of count 9 Nm - 2/40 Nm in warp and weft. It is generally used for Coat, Blazer, Shirts and muffler for winter season.

Technique applied:

It is generally woven on frame loom. The weave used is Plain, Mat, Twill and Herringbone weave.

How to distinguish genuine Tweed

- It's medium-to-heavy weight fabric.
- Rough in surface texture, and produced in a great variety of colour and weave effects
- Weave designs used in Tweed includes herringbones, diamonds, chevrons, cross twills, and checks.
- Most tweeds are colour woven from dyed yarns, but some are piece-dyed.

