
Textiles — Care labelling code using symbols

Textiles — Code d'étiquetage d'entretien au moyen de symboles



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Foreword

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