



A BETTER, FASTER & MORE COMPETITIVE SOFTLINES TESTING SERVICE HERE IN THE UK ...

Why it's never been a better time to choose Bureau Veritas ...

As a supplier of Softlines products, in these difficult economic times you need to be sure that you're able to reduce your costs wherever possible to remain competitive while still maintaining product quality, protecting your brands and meeting your customers' high expectations when it comes to quality assurance and compliance. It's a difficult challenge but one that Bureau Veritas can help you to meet.

We've spent the last year consolidating our UK Softlines quality assurance and testing services into a world class UKAS accredited laboratory in Warrington, Cheshire. As a result of this we are able to offer a truly unbeatable range of fabric, textiles and garment testing / quality assurance services at very competitive prices. The standard and range of technical services we can offer is truly exceptional as is the speed of service - with a standard test turnaround of less than three days* and an option of next day service.

A TRULY EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE

» World class technical facilities – 'one stop shop'...

Our UKAS accredited Warrington lab offers one of the most comprehensive range of quality assurance and testing services in the UK, meaning that whatever your requirements we can offer a truly 'one stop shop' to make your life that much easier in getting products to market.

» Fast Test Turnaround ...

With a **standard turnaround in less than 3 days*** for most tests and the option of a next day service we can meet the tight deadlines that your customers require.

» Great Customer Service ...

Bureau Veritas is known for the high level of customer service offered to those using our service and a recent customer survey resulted in **90% of our customers rating our overall service as Good or Very Good.**

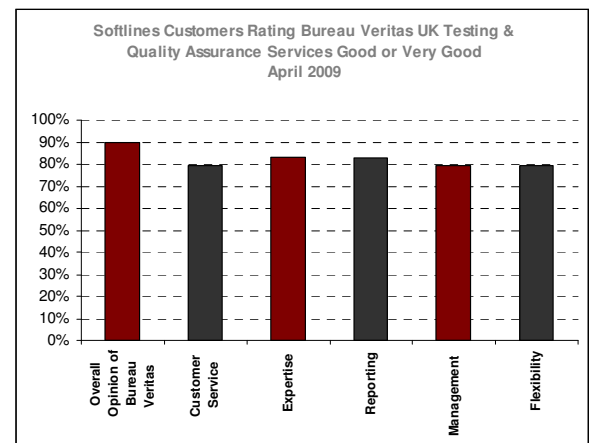
» Very Competitive Prices ...

When comparing the UK test list prices against our biggest competitors Bureau Veritas is often **more than 20% cheaper** for a range of services.

» Wide range of services available...

- Wide range of major retailer test accreditations
- Product evaluation and development
- Technical support network to answer questions and interpret results
- Defect analysis of complaint items or manufacturing defects
- Design evaluations regarding design concerns or regulatory requirements

See how our Softlines customers rated us in a recent customer survey...



results taken from a survey of over 300 Softlines customers in April 09



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For great service and fast turnaround on all your Softlines testing needs



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WE'RE ALSO MORE COMPETITIVE ON PRICE ...

To illustrate some of the savings you could be making by using our world class facilities in Warrington here is a comparative price list against one of our biggest competitors that shows how you really could be saving money by using our Softlines testing services.

See below some typical examples of how we can often save you more than 20% off certain testing costs

Woven Fabric Testing	Our Price *	Competitor Price *	Saving You
Dimensional Stability to Washing	£15.50	£17.95	16%
Dimensional Stability to Dry Cleaning	£15.50	£17.50	12%
Seam Slippage/Seam Strength	£25.00	£28.00	19%
Abrasion	£15.00	£17.50	17%

Colour Fastness Testing	Our Price *	Competitor Price *	Saving You
Colour Fastness to Washing	£12.00	£13.00	8%
Colour Fastness to Water	£9.00	£12.95	44%
Colour Fastness to Rubbling	£8.50	£11.55	36%
Colour Fastness to Light	£10.00	£12.00	20%

Knitted Fabric Testing	Our Price *	Competitor Price *	Saving You
Dimensional Stability to Washing	£15.50	£17.95	16%
Spirality	£8.00	£9.95	24%
Burst Strength	£10.75	£12.95	20%
Residual Extension	£26.00	£27.45	6%

THE BEST OF SERVICES FOR A BETTER PRICE ...

Of course it's not all about price even in these economic conditions you also need to work with a partner that has the technical expertise, resources and facilities to deliver.

Working with Bureau Veritas you can be sure of the very best quality assurance, test and conformity solutions for all your Softlines testing – and all at a very competitive price.

Call us today on 0845 4596201 for a quote on your testing and quality assurance needs.

If you're not already it really is time to try our new Softlines Laboratory in Warrington ...



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*Price comparison uses the list prices for Softlines testing services published by one of our major competitors in 2009 in comparison to the published list price of Bureau Veritas Warrington Laboratory.

*Less than 3 day turnaround assumes a working week Mon-Fri and that samples arrive in our Warrington Lab before 12.00 noon on day one - thereafter results will be despatched by email less than 72 hours later