

Product Compliance Laboratory Confirmation of Product Compliance

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Steelcase Garland products have been designed, engineered, and manufactured, to meet or exceed all applicable ANSI / BIFMA (American National Standards for Office Furnishings) requirements for safety and performance.

Samples representative of current production have been tested and found to be in compliance with the following ANSI / BIFMA Test Requirements:

ANSI / BIFMA X5.9 Storage Units Tests
ANSI / BIFMA X5.5 Desk /Table Products Tests

Desks
Pedestals
Credenzas
Tables
Service Modules
Storage Cabinets
Bookcases

In addition to the ANSI / BIFMA standards the Answer product has been tested and found to be in compliance with the following standards.

UL 1286 Standard for Safety of Office Furnishings¹ (including the flammability requirement of)

Flame Spread Index (FSI) less than 200

Smoke Developed Index (SDI) less than 450 (unless labeled “Smoke Developed Index Over 450”)

When tested to UL 723 Surface Burning Characteristic of Building Materials^{1,2} (ASTM E 84 or NFPA 255 test methods)

¹ This specification is not included in the scope of accreditation.

² Where applicable compliance to the UL Standards is evidenced by UL labels affixed to the product.

Steelcase uses its own ISO 9001 registered and ISO 17025 accredited laboratories, and accredited independent laboratories, to verify compliance to the Standards and requirements listed. A list of accredited independent laboratories is available upon request.

Sincerely,



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