



Product Compliance Laboratory Confirmation of Product Compliance

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Coalesse Joel seating 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 X5.4-2012 – Lounge and Public Seating Tests

In addition to ANSI/BIFMA Standards the Joel seating products have been tested and found to be in compliance with the following standards:

California Technical Bulletin 117-2013: Requirements, Test Procedure and Apparatus for Testing the Smolder Resistance of Materials Used in Upholstered Furniture (Steelcase Standard Fabrics only)

California Technical Bulletin 133-1991: Flammability Test Procedure for Seating Furniture for Use in Public Occupancies ^{1,2}

LOAD LIMITS

Joel series seating products have been tested to increased loads and forces that exceed the ANSI/BIFMA X5.4 Standard. This testing ensures that all Joel seating will support users weighing up to 300 lbs with no loss of performance.

¹ When Fire Code Seating (FCS) construction and fabrics are specified.

² This test specification is outside our Scope of Accreditation. This testing was performed by an accredited independent lab.

Steelcase/Coalesse 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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