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## PT. Asia Pacific Fibers TBK is the first manufacturer in Indonesia to receive the UV STANDARD 801 certification



PT. Asia Pacific Fibers Tbk. are a leading integrated global polyester player. They manufacture and market polyester chips, staple fibres, filament yarns and fleece fabrics along with captive PTA (Purified Terephthalic Acid).

According to their expert on polyester production, they are able to cater to the ever-changing demands in apparel, furnishing and industrial textiles. They have evolved into Indonesia's most progressive, flexible and fully integrated polyester producer, ranking among some of the best in the world.

With their outstanding profile, PT Asia Pacific Fibers Tbk. has become the first manufacturer in Indonesia to have achieved UV STANDARD 801 certification for its polyester woven fabric for awnings. This achievement provides the high confidence to compete in the global market for the best awnings with beneficial advantage of UV protection.

The UV STANDARD 801 is a certification system for clothing and shading textiles. It provides reliable sun protection for consumers and has the world's strictest testing standard for sun-protective garments and textiles. The testing procedure determines the UPF (Ultraviolet Protection Factor) of textiles. The UV STANDARD 801 also ensures that textiles are tested in both a new and used condition to represent realistic conditions of use (stretched, wet, mechanical wear and tear and laundering).

About PT Asia Pacific Fibers TBK, Indonesia

Facility size and type: Woven fabric for Awnings, art. 8104, 8107

Products: 100% Polyester (draw textured yarn with UV finished), Greige/Undyed

Location: Semarang, Indonesia

Website: [www.asiapacificfibers.com](http://www.asiapacificfibers.com)

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