

TEXTILE & FABRIC FINISHING MILLS INDUSTRY (NAICS 31331)

INDUSTRY DEFINITION AND RELATED INDUSTRIES

NAICS 31331: Textile & Fabric Finishing Mills.

This industry comprises (1) establishments primarily engaged in finishing of textiles, fabrics, and apparel, and (2) establishments of converters who buy fabric goods in the grey, have them finished on contract, and sell at wholesale. Finishing operations include: bleaching, dyeing, printing (e.g., roller, screen, flock, plisse), stonewashing, and other mechanical finishing, such as preshrinking, shrinking, sponging, calendering, mercerizing, and napping; as well as cleaning, scouring, and the preparation of natural fibers and raw stock.

Related Industries

- Yarn and Fiber Manufacturing
- Men's Apparel Manufacturing
- Women's Apparel Manufacturing
- Children's Apparel Manufacturing

U.S. Census Categories

NAICS 31331 – Textile & Fabric Finishing Mills is part of SIC 2231 – Weaving & finishing mills, wool and SIC 2261 - Finishing Plants, Cotton

Sub-Industries

Finishing plants, cotton	Dyeing cotton broadwoven fabrics
Printing of cotton broadwoven fabrics	Fire resistance finishing of cotton broadwoven fabrics
Plisse printing of cotton broadwoven fabrics	Decorative finishing of cotton broadwoven fabrics
Roller printing of cotton broadwoven fabrics	Embossing cotton broadwoven fabrics
Screen printing of cotton broadwoven fabrics	Napping of cotton broadwoven fabrics
Chemical coating or treating of cotton broadwoven fabrics	Refinishing cotton broadwoven cloth, for the trade
Bleaching cotton broadwoven fabrics	Sponging cotton broadwoven cloth, for the trade