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Source and ID: Straw Sandals Project China 13

Style: Sandal attached to foot by tie system

Attachment of sole to vamp (upper): Continuous

Sole front toe-loops: 0

Sole side-toe loops: 2 asymmetrical

Sole mid-sole loops: 0

Sole side heel-loops: 2 symmetrical

Sole back heel-loops: 2 symmetrical

Tie-system technique: Crisscross system

Attached decorative element: None

Decoration: None

Sole warp or passive element: Fine, fibrous, rounded element

Sole weft or active element: Coarse, fibrous, rounded element

Sole bundle: Does not apply (no bundle used)

Sole warp or passive element yarn ply: 2 ply

Sole warp or passive element yarn twist: S-twist

Sole weft or active element yarn ply: 2 ply

Sole weft or active element yarn twist: Z-twist

Sole front edge finishing technique (selvage): Simple (produced from elements already in the sole)

Sole back edge finishing technique (selvage): Simple (produced from elements already in the sole)

Sole side edge finishing technique (selvage): Simple (produced from elements already in the sole)

Sole construction technique: 1 by 1 weft faced plainweave (warps and wefts used)

Sole warp material: Spun fibers

Sole weft material: Spun fibers

Sole solid (non-woven) material: Does not apply (sole not made of solid material)

Upper (vamp + quarter) warp or passive element: Fine, fibrous, rounded element

Upper (vamp + quarter) weft or active element: Coarse, fibrous, rounded element

Upper (vamp + quarter) bundle: Does not apply (no bundle used)

Upper (vamp + quarter) warp or passive element yarn ply: 2 ply

Upper (vamp + quarter) warp or passive element yarn twist: S-twist

Upper (vamp + quarter) weft or active element yarn ply: 2 ply

Upper (vamp + quarter) weft or active element yarn twist: Z-twist

Upper (vamp + quarter) edge finishing technique (selvage): Simple (produced from elements already in the sole)

Upper (vamp + quarter) construction technique: 1 by 1 weft faced plainweave (warps and wefts used)

Upper (vamp + quarter) warp material: Spun fibers

Upper (vamp + quarter) weft material: Spun fibers

Upper solid (non-woven) material: Does not apply (vamp not made of solid material)

Structure of upper: Vamp and quarter

Overall sole shape: Asymmetrical

Additional information: China 13 is made of a hemp unique to south China. The sandal appears to be custom made as it is unusually long and narrow. It is not as soft and fine as Da Zhu hemp. It has a straw-like texture.

The code for describing this specimen is

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3	1	1	7	5	-9	2	2	2	3	2	2
2	2	1	1	-9	7	5	-9	2	2	2	3
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