



# Outdoor Cover Fabric Guide

Our goal is to offer the widest range of fabrics to meet the needs and target cost of our customers. **Use the chart below to help select which custom pattern fabric is best suited for the protection needs of the vehicle.** Consider where the cover will be used and how often. Remember that by using a cover you are protecting BOTH the exterior and interior of a vehicle.

OUTDOOR Use ⇨	Good	Good	Better	Best	Best	INTENSE SUN		
INDOOR Use ⇨	Better	Better	Better	Best	Best			
FABRIC ⇨	Multibond® Block-It® 200 Series	Deluxe Block-It® 380 Series	Technalon® Evolution® Block-It®	NOAH® Block-It®	WeatherShield®HP a Covercraft exclusive	Ultra'tect™ a Covercraft exclusive	Sunbrella®	WeatherShield®HD a Covercraft exclusive
COST	\$	\$\$	\$\$\$	\$\$\$\$	\$\$\$\$\$	\$\$\$\$	\$\$\$\$\$	\$\$\$\$\$
Custom Fabric Code -	SG	TT	BK / GK / TK	NH	P-	U-	D1 - D8	HG
PERFORMANCE -								
All -Weather Protection	FAIR	GOOD	BETTER	BEST	BEST	BETTER	BETTER	BEST
Resists:								
Rain	FAIR	BETTER	BETTER	BEST	BEST	BETTER	GOOD	BEST
Snow	FAIR	GOOD	BETTER	BEST	BEST	BETTER	POOR	BEST
Acid Rain	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Dirt / Dust	FAIR	GOOD	BETTER	BEST	BEST	BETTER	FAIR	BEST
UV (sun) Damage	GOOD	GOOD	BEST	BETTER	BETTER	BETTER	BEST	BETTER
Bird Droppings	GOOD	BETTER	BEST	BEST	BEST	BEST	BETTER	BEST
Tree Sap	GOOD	BETTER	BEST	BEST	BEST	BEST	GOOD	BEST
Breathability	BEST	GOOD	GOOD	GOOD	GOOD	GOOD	BEST	GOOD
Heat Insulation	GOOD	BETTER	BEST	BEST	GOOD	GOOD	GOOD	GOOD
"Soft" Touch	GOOD	BETTER	BETTER	BETTER	BEST	BETTER	GOOD	BETTER
Ding Protection	MINIMAL	GOOD	BEST	BETTER	MINIMAL	MINIMAL	BETTER	FAIR
Ease of Handling in Wind	FAIR	FAIR	GOOD	GOOD	FAIR	GOOD	BETTER	FAIR
Storage Space Required	medium	medium	large	large	smallest	small	medium	medium
Mildew / Rot Resistant	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES	YES
Cleaning / Care								
Wash -	Commercial	Commercial	Commercial	Commercial	Home*	Home*	Commercial	Commercial
Dry -	Air	Air	Air	Air	Medium Heat	Medium Heat	Air	Low Heat

**\*Smaller covers can be washed at home but commercial washers provide the best cleaning & rinse**

Limited Warranty *	2 years	3 years	4 years	4 years	4 years	4 years	5 years	5 years
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\* Warranty is for defects in material and workmanship & against the fabric becoming unserviceable. We will repair or replace any defective panels after factory inspection.

## Definitions of "Performance" list -

**RAIN** - How well does the fabric resist rain? Best fabrics will shed water, but in extended rain storms even the best fabrics will absorb varying amounts of moisture.

**SNOW** - How well does the fabric resist snow? Snow on the surface of a cover will eventually melt. On the best covers minimal amounts of moisture will seep through the cover.

**ACID RAIN** - Will the cover hold out the contaminants suspended in acid rain?

**DIRT / DUST** - Will the cover prevent dirt and dust, which settles on a cover, to sift through over time?

**UV (sun) DAMAGE** - How good is the fabric at blocking UV rays from the vehicles surface and interior? Best fabrics provide 100% UV protection.

**BIRD DROPPINGS** - Best fabrics will not allow bird droppings to permeate the material and get on the exterior of the vehicle.

**TREE SAP** - Tree sap is difficult to remove from exterior surfaces. The best fabrics will prevent most types of tree sap from reaching the paint finish.

**BREATHABILITY** - How easily can moisture, condensation and heat escape from under the cover?

**HEAT INSULATION** - Is the fabric thick enough to offer any insulating properties to reduce the vehicle temperature on hot days?

**SOFT TOUCH** - How soft to the touch is the fabric? Best fabrics provide a soft, silky finish against the paint surface.

**DING PROTECTION** - Based on the thickness of the fabric, will it provide some ding protection for the vehicle while parked?

**EASE OF HANDLING IN THE WIND** - How easy is the cover to install and remove in windy conditions? Generally, fabrics with higher weight per square yard are easier to handle.

**STORAGE SPACE REQUIRE** - How much trunk space is required for a stored, folded cover?

**MILDEW/ROT RESISTANT** - All Covercraft fabrics are treated with inhibitors to minimize mold and mildew.