



# **TEST REPORT - Shelves ANSI**

# Shelves 1100x890 mm

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Place: Troax Test Center



#### **TEST MATERIAL**

Shelf 1100x890, 300kg/m2 - ANSI Shelf 1100x890, 500kg/m2 - ANSI Shelf 1100x890, 800kg/m2 - ANSI Shelf 1100x890, 1000kg/m2 - ANSI

### **PURPOSE**

To document the strength and quality of our drop over mesh shelves using a static load test. The test will identify the failure point and deflection.

## **TEST PROCEDURE**

The test was conducted in accordance with ANSI MH26 testing standards with a distributed static load applied downwards on the shelf increasing at even increments.

The force is applied evenly at two points distanced by half the total span between the two folds on the

Each load test was conducted on identical shelves giving an average deflection value. The deflection value was obtained from four measuring points spread equally across the centre of the shelf giving an average reading.

#### **RESULTS**

Despite the multitude of tests all the welds within the mesh shelves retain their properties. The shelves did not reach their plastic limit and upon removing the load the shelves returned to their original position.

The total deflection of the shelves was:

ANSI 300Kg/m2 - 5,4 mm

ANSI 500Kg/m2 - 6,0 mm

ANSI 800Kg/m2 - 5,2 mm

ANSI 1000Kg/m2 - 4,9 mm

All shelves are in line with the ANSI maximum deflection of 1:165 and with safety factor 2.0.



