

# SHATNEZ LABORATORY **CONSUMER ALERT**

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## **Why do wool sweaters need to be tested?**

Linen threads are used on occasion to reinforce the seams of sweaters. The linen threads are easily removed and the sweater is then non-shatnez.



**For Example:** A 100% Wool **Giordano** Lady's sweater (Hong Kong) was found to contain a linen thread in its seams (as seen in the picture above).

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