SHATNEZ LABORATORY CONSUMER ALERT Series Number: 086 Date: May '10 Shatnez in a Cotton Sweater

A cotton sweater does not require testing unless it has attachments or trimmings.



However, the lower pin's black and white striped fabricis a linen blend, while the light blue yarnin the center of the flower is a wool blend.

Even cotton and acrylic sweaters can contain shatnez in attachments, appliqués and trimmings.

A lady's **Moth** (China) sweater with a contents label listing 94% Cotton 6% Other Fibers, has two decorative flower pins as shown in the picture at the left. Though the upper pin was comprised of different fabric pieces, it was not shatnez.



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