# Textiles you can trust



The original safety standard: For everyday confidence.

Setting the standard for textile safety, from yarn to finished product. Every item bearing the OEKO-TEX® STANDARD 100 label is certified as having passed safety tests for the presence of harmful substances.

The STANDARD 100 certification includes optional testing for:



**GMO** (genetically modified organisms)



**Recycled materials** 



Footwear



**Special Articles** 



PPE

# What advantages does OEKO-TEX® STANDARD 100 offer?

#### ✓ Compliance:

OEKO-TEX® STANDARD 100 satisfies global regulations, including the REACH directive, and the ECHA-SVHC candidate list.

#### Consumer trust:

STANDARD 100 is one of the world's best-known labels with over 30 years market experience. Using the OEKO-TEX® label check the certification can be verified at any time.

#### Modular System:

The testing costs for the finished product are waived if all the components have already been successfully tested according to STANDARD 100. If OEKO-TEX® ECO PASSPORT certified chemicals are used, the test effort and therefore the costs can be reduced. In addition, STANDARD 100 creates the basis for OEKO-TEX® MADE IN GREEN.

#### ✓ Quality assurance:

All components of a product bearing the label have been laboratory tested against a list of over 1,000 harmful substances and fall within strict limit values.

#### ✓ Strong Network:

Over 21,000 companies make it easy to select materials which already have been STANDARD 100 certified. Our network supports you in finding trustworthy business partners along the textile chain.

#### ✓ Reputation:

You can check and compare STANDARD 100 on ITC standard maps and Siegelklarheit. The STANDARD 100 certification is also recognized by Amazon Climate Pledge Friendly.

# STANDARD 100: A modular system

Textiles and footwear can be tested and certified at any stage of processing, including the manufacturing of accessories.

The recognition of pre-certificates can save testing costs for subsequent certifications.



Raw materials, fibres, filaments



Assembled finished products



Yarns



Textile and non-textile accessories



**Textile fabrics** 



Footwear

## For effective protection: 4 product classes

The OEKO-TEX<sup>®</sup> STANDARD 100 laboratory tests for harmful substances are based on the intended use of the textiles and materials. Stricter human ecology requirements must be met, the more intensive the skin contact and the more sensitive the skin is.

#### **Product Class 1**

This includes products for babies and toddlers and has the strictest requirements and limit values.

#### **Product Class 3**

This includes products without direct skin contact such as jackets.

#### **Product Class 2**

This includes products with direct skin contact such as bed linen or underwear.

#### **Product Class 4**

This includes home textiles and other decoration materials such as tablecloths.



## Get certified



#### 1. Application

Complete the application form and submit a material sample



#### **4. On-site visit** Inspection and evaluation of your company



#### 2. Verification

The application and the material sample get verified

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5. Report Delivery of a detailed test report



**3. Definition & analytics** Definition of test and measurement criteria, development of an individual measurement plan, testing of the material sample

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6. Certificate Issue of certificate for one year

# Official OEKO-TEX® STANDARD 100 labels can include the following elements:



# Questions?

Learn more about all our **OEKO-TEX®** products at oeko-tex.com



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