

GLOBAL ORGANIC TEXTILE STANDARD



The Global Organic Textile Standard (GOTS) is the leading processing standard for textiles made from certified organically produced raw materials. It includes strict environmental and social criteria for operations along the entire textile supply chain.

FIELD TO FASHION

Why GOTS delivers sustainability

GOTS is a unique standard, dealing with both social and environmental issues at every stage of processing from the field to the fashion product. So farmers, workers and the environment reap the benefits associated with GOTS.

On the Farm



- Farmers are free to save seeds and choose what they grow
- Soil is nurtured, making it viable for the long term
- Organic cotton is grown alongside food which feeds the farmers
- Hazardous pesticides are banned in organic cotton production, making it safer for growers
- Less energy and water use
- Farming methods lock CO2 into the soil
- Growing organic cotton produces up to 94% less greenhouse gas emissions

At The Factory

- All factories are regularly inspected and certified to strict social criteria, meaning no forced labour and no child labour.
- With certification to the Global Organic Textile Standard (GOTS) the use of hazardous chemicals is prohibited, and all waste water is treated, protecting workers and water supplies. All chemicals must meet strict toxicity and biodegradability criteria

On Your Skin



- Certification covers all stages – from field to fashion
- Allergenic, carcinogenic or toxic chemical residues are not allowed in GOTS certified clothes

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GOTS is a voluntary standard, managed by a not for profit organisation. GOTS is endorsed by IFOAM-Organics International and recognised by the U.S. government.