

The Global Organic Textile Standard (GOTS), owned and operated by non-profit Global Standard, is a voluntary standard for the processing of textiles made with certified organic fibres.

GOTS sets environmental and social requirements for textile processing and provides for traceability through the certified textile supply chain, from certified organic raw material through the processing and manufacturing stages to the finished GOTS-certified product. Compliance with applicable GOTS requirements is verified by independent third-party Certification Bodies.

Through defined requirements, certification and traceability, GOTS provides businesses and consumers with verifiable information about textiles certified to the standard.



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Global Standards gGmbH is the non-profit organisation behind the Global Organic Textile Standard (GOTS) and the Global Responsible Textiles Standard (GRTS).

GOTS sets environmental and social requirements for the processing of textiles made with certified organic fibres. GRTS applies a comparable certification framework to a broader range of fibre categories that meet the applicable GRTS requirements.

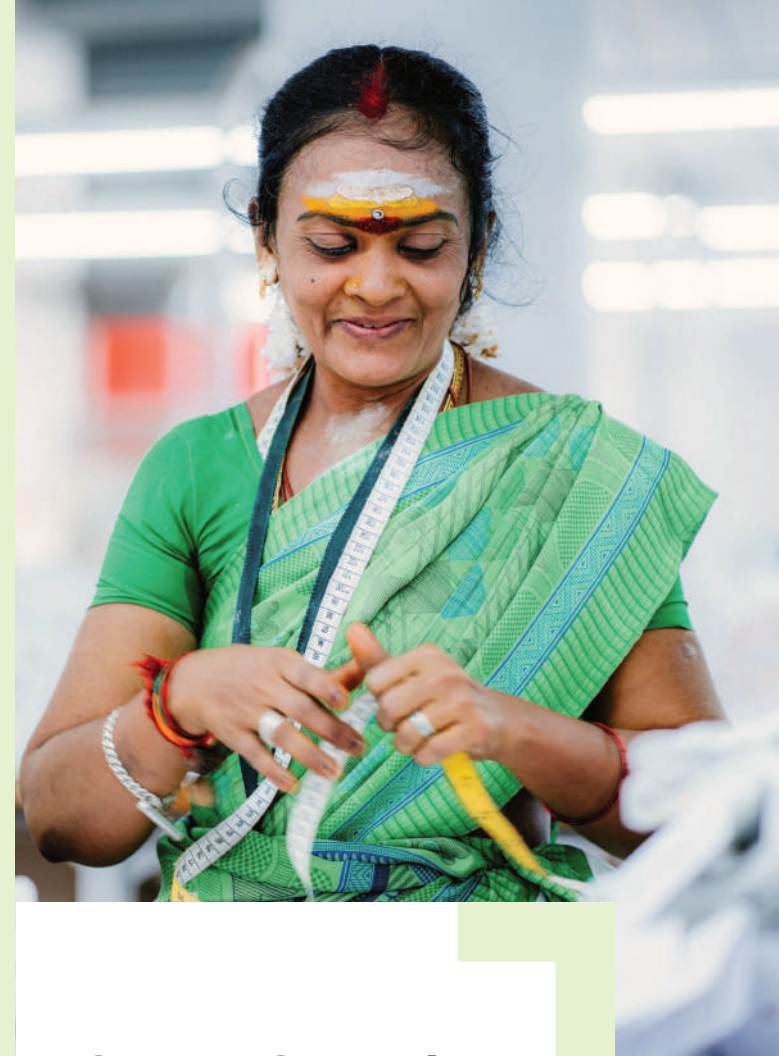
Global Standards develops and maintains voluntary textile standards covering environmental and social criteria, traceability and independent third-party certification.

Global Standards works towards a textile sector in which environmental and social considerations are addressed through defined, transparent and verifiable requirements.

Where to learn more

The Global Standards website provides news about GOTS and GRTS, answers to frequently asked questions and access to official Global Standards documents.

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The standard

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GOTS sets environmental and social requirements for textile processing, including criteria relating to human rights and working conditions. The requirements apply throughout the entire certified textile supply chain.



Licencing & labelling

Upon completion of GOTS certification, the certified entity acquires a licence that entitles it to participate in the GOTS programme, including use of the GOTS Signs on applicable certified goods in accordance with all requirements. Further details, including applicable licence fees and requirements for use of the GOTS Signs, are defined in the “Conditions for the Use of Signs” for GOTS



Certification

The Global Organic Textile Standard (GOTS) is recognised as the leading processing standard for textiles made from organic fibres worldwide. It sets environmental and social requirements for the relevant stages of the certified textile supply chain, including criteria relating to human rights and working conditions.



Public database

The GOTS public database is a practical tool that enables users to search for GOTS-certified entities, including information on their location, field of operation and GOTS-certified products.



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Learn more about GOTS environmental and social requirements for certified textile processing



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