

ADMISSION CRITERIA

HOW SUSTAINABLE ARE YOU?



All exhibitors at Beyond Fashion Berlin must meet our minimum criteria in the area of fibre origin. These apply to the entire range of products at the fair.

- At least 75% of the cotton used must come from controlled organic cultivation (kbA).
- At least 50% of the sheep's wool used must come from controlled organic animal husbandry(kbT).
- Any other natural fibres used, such as hemp, linen, silk or alpaca, must have a certificate of origin relating to the country of origin in which the fibres were obtained.
- At least 30% of the regenerated fibres (viscose, lyocell, etc.) must be of sustainable origin. This means that the raw materials for fibre production must not be genetically modified. They must come from organic or waste material or be certified according to a programme for sustainable forestry.
- At least 30% of the man-made fibres must be recycled.
- At least 50% of the leather must be certified chrome-free tanned.

If the above minimum criteria cannot be met at present, it is possible to apply for a special permit. This includes an explanation why the requirements cannot be met at present. Furthermore, the exhibitor should state to what extent the collection implements sustainability.

We want to ensure that buyers can rely on the sustainability of the collections exhibited. In addition, fairness between brands is important to us. Therefore, please note that we will ask for proof (certificates, invoices, delivery notes) of your claims. Please have these ready at the fair, we will carry out random checks.

OVERVIEW MINIMUM CRITERIA

COTTON	>75% ORGANIC
SHEEP'S WOOL	>50% ORGANIC
OTHER NATURAL FIBRES	PROOF OF ORIGIN
REGENERATED FIBRES	>30% OF SUSTAINABLE ORIGIN
MAN-MADE FIBRES	>30% RECYCLED
LEATHER	>50% CHROME FREE

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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

All Beyond Fashion Berlin exhibitors are required to complete the minimum criteria form. Only after receipt and verification can participation in the fair be confirmed. We reserve the right to check compliance with the criteria and ask all exhibitors to have any certificates and receipts ready for inspection during the fair.

MINIMUM CRITERIA SHEET

Please indicate below the total percentage of each fibre in the collection and the percentage of sustainably sourced fibres.

FIBRE	SHARE OF COLLECTION IN %	SHARE OF SUSTAINABLY SOURCED FIBRES IN %
NATURAL FIBRES PLANT BASED		
<input type="text" value="Cotton"/>		kbA:
.. please add other fibres that you use, such as spandex		
NATURAL ANIMAL FIBRES		
<input type="text" value="Sheep's wool"/>		kbT:
.. please add other fibres that you use, such as spandex		
REGENERATED FIBRES		
<input type="text" value="Viscose"/>		
<input type="text" value="Lyocell"/>		
.. please add other fibres that you use, such as spandex		
MAN-MADE FIBRES		
<input type="text" value="Polyester PINEAPPLE LEATHER"/>		
.. please add other fibres that you use, such as spandex		

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LEATHER

SHARE OF
COLLECTION IN %

PROPORTION OF
CHROME-FREE TANNED
LEATHER IN %

**INDICATE THE COUNTRIES OF ORIGIN OF THE NATURAL FIBRES
(EXCLUDING COTTON AND SHEEP'S WOOL).**

FIBRE

ORIGIN

APPLICATION FOR SPECIAL APPROVAL

Our trade fair range cannot currently meet the minimum criteria, therefore we are applying for a special permit. In addition, we submit the required declaration

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THE 5P

BEYOND FASHION SUSTAINABILITY COMMUNICATION TOOL

As a new trade fair format that focuses on sustainable brands, we attach great importance to communicating your fair and ecological commitment to the trade fair visitors in a transparent and understandable way. For this purpose, we have developed the **5P** approach. This is made up of five main criteria:

1. FIBRE PRODUCTION, 2. PLANET, 3. PRODUCT, 4. PEOPLE AND 5. BRAND PERFORMANCE

These are followed by five further indicators that cover the respective criteria.

With the help of the **5P**, *beyond Fashion* would like to offer all exhibitors the opportunity to communicate their commitment along the supply chain clearly and quickly to the trade fair visitors. For this purpose, the various main criteria are assigned to appropriate symbols and filled in proportionally, according to the respective fulfilment of the sub-criteria.

The symbol 1st Fibre Production will be used for each booth, as it covers, among other things, the minimum criteria for participation in the fair.

1. FIBRE PRODUCTION

- 1.1 organic fibres
- 1.2 recycled fibres
- 1.3 fibre origin
- 1.4 animal welfare
- 1.5 innovative fibres

2. PLANET

- 2.1 chemical inputs
- 2.2 water consumption
- 2.3 water pollution
- 2.4 energy consumption
- 2.5 wastemanagement

3. PRODUCT

- 3.1 quality/ longlife
- 3.2 biodegradability/ recycability
- 3.3 packaging
- 3.4 residues
- 3.5 circularity

4. PEOPLE

- 4.1 human rights
- 4.2 wages and working hours
- 4.3 health and safety
- 4.4 workers rights
- 4.5 equality

5. PERFORMANCE OF THE BRAND

- 5.1 fair business relations
- 5.2 development projects
- 5.3 vegan
- 5.4 due diligence system,transparency and risk management
- 5.5 local production



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In order to ensure uniform and transparent communication during the fair, we ask all exhibitors to provide information on the 5P. This information can be provided below in our questionnaire. Please note that if you use various certificates, most of the questions are answered automatically and no further information is required.

QUESTIONNAIRE : THE 5P

If you use the following certificates or are a member of the organisations listed below, various questions are not applicable as they are covered.

Please also indicate the licence/examination number of the certificate or the membership number of the organisation. It is also possible to attach a copy of the respective certificate.

CERTIFICATE/ MEMBERSHIP	LICENCE/ EXAMINATION NUMBER OR MEMBERSHIP NUMBER	COVERED QUESTIONS
Naturtextil IVN zertifiziert BEST		1.1; 1.4 // 2.1 - 2.5 // 3.1 - 3.4 // 4.1 - 4.5
Naturleder IVN zertifiziert		2.1 - 2.5 // 3.1; 3.3; 3.4 4.1 - 4.5 //
Global Organic Textile Standard - GOTS		1.1; 1.4 // 2.1 - 2,5 // 3.1; 3.3; 3.4 // 4.1 - 4.5
OEKO-TEX® MADE IN GREEN		2.1 - 2.5 // 3.1; 3.4 // 4.1 - 4.5 //
OEKO-TEX® STANDARD 100		3.4
FAIRTRADE COTTON		4.1 - 4.5 // 5.1
FAIRTRADE TEXTILE PRODUCTION		4.1 - 4.5 // 5.1
Biobaumwolle		1.1
Biowolle		1.1
Organic Content Standard - OCS		1.1
Global Recycled Standard - GRS		1.2 // 3.1
Recycled Claim Standard - RCS		1.2 // 3.1
PETA - Approved Vegan		5.3
bluesign®		2.1 - 2.5 // 3.4
Cradle to Cradle Certified®		2.1 // 3.2; 3.4
Fair Wear Foundation		4.1 - 4.5 // 5.1

1.FIBRE PRODUCTION

Please note that the following information on fibre production refers to the entire exhibition range in percentage terms. There are overlaps with the minimum criteria.

1.1 ORGANIC FIBRES

Can you ensure a natural fibre content of at least 75% organic cotton and at least 50% organic wool?

Yes

No

1.2 RECYCLED FIBRES

Can you prove that at least 30% of the man-made fibres used are recycled?

Yes

No

1.3 FIBRE ORIGIN

Please list the countries of origin of the other natural fibres used (e.g. linen, hemp, silk and any animal hair), as well as the countries of origin of the raw material extraction for any regenerated fibres (e.g. viscose, lyocell).

1.4 ANIMAL WELFARE

Can you be sure that the animals are treated in a humane way during fibre production?
What proof do you have for your statement?

Yes, we work together with:

Our supplier is certified by:

No

1.5 INNOVATIVE FIBRES

Do you use innovative fibres such as Q-Milk, Peace Silk, biopolymers?

If yes, which

No

2. PLANET

2.1 CHEMICAL INPUTS

Do you have information on the use of chemicals along the manufacturing process?

Yes, we work together with:

Our supplier is certified by:

No

2.2 WATER CONSUMPTION

Can you provide information on water consumption? Along the entire supply chain, in individual parts of the supply chain e.g. dyeing, sewing or also in your own company headquarters?

Yes,

- Water consumption along the entire supply chain in cubic metres (m³)
- Water consumption in parts of the supply chain in (m³)

Dyeing factory:

Sewing shop:

Other:

Water consumption at company headquarters in m³

No

2.3 WATER POLLUTION

Can you demonstrate that wastewater from production does not enter the environment and that the factories where your textiles are produced have treatment systems and wastewater management?

Yes,

- We work together with:
- Our supplier is certified by:

No

2.4 ENERGY CONSUMPTION

Can you provide information on energy consumption? Along the entire supply chain, in individual parts of the supply chain e.g. dyeing, sewing or also in your own company headquarters?

Yes,

- Energy consumption along the entire supply chain in gigajoules (GJ):
- Energy consumption in parts of the supply chain in GJ:

Dyeing factory:

Sewing shop:

Other:

- Energy consumption at headquarters in GJ:

No

2.5 WASTEMANAGEMENT

What measures are taken to prevent waste along the entire supply chain?

3. PRODUCT

3.1 QUALITY/ LONGLIFE

Do you offer services to preserve the life of your products? E.g. repair service?

Yes

No

3.2 BIODEGRADABILITY/ RECYCLABILITY

Can products in your range be 100% biodegradable or recyclable after use?

Yes

If yes, how many products in the range comply with this system?

No

3.3 PACKAGING

What packaging do you use for your products in the B2B (and B2C) business? For example, is the packaging made from materials that have already been recycled, or is it reused?

Yes, we use...

No

3.4 RESIDUES

Can you be sure that your end products do not contain chemical residues that are harmful to human health?

Yes,

- We work together with:
- Our supplier is certified by:

No

3.5 CIRCULARITY

Are your products recyclable? E.g. 100% recyclability

Yes, we make this possible through:

No

4. PEOPLE

4.1 HUMAN RIGHTS

Can you be sure that human rights are respected along the entire supply chain?

Yes

- We work together with
- Our supplier is certified by:

No

4.2 WAGES AND WORKING HOURS

Can you be sure that the workers along the entire supply chain receive minimum wages and do not work overtime anyway?

Yes

- We work together with
- Our supplier is certified by:

No

4.3 HEALTH AND SAFETY

To what extent are the health and safety of workers ensured along the entire supply chain?

4.4 WORKERS RIGHTS

Can you be sure that workers' rights are respected?

Yes

- We work together with
- Our supplier is certified by:

No

4.5 EQUALITY

To what extent is the issue of equality affected? Both along the supply chain and within the label.

5. BRAND PERFORMANCE

5.1 FAIR BUSINESS RELATIONS

What do you as a brand contribute to fair business relations?

5.2 DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS

To what extent do you support producing countries/ communities with development aid/ development projection? E.g. by promoting education.

5.3 VEGAN

Are there vegan products in your collection? If so, how many?

Yes

No

5.4 DUE DILIGENCE SYSTEM, TRANSPARENCY AND RISK MANAGEMENT

Do you have a management approach to corporate responsibility?
(social and environmental policy and risk management)

Yes

No

5.5 LOCAL PRODUCTION

Do you manufacture locally in the country where your company is registered?
In the case of partial production, please indicate the percentage.

Yes, % of our collection

No

Do you have any other details about your sustainable commitment that we should take into account? If so, please drop us a line!