

#### linqtextile

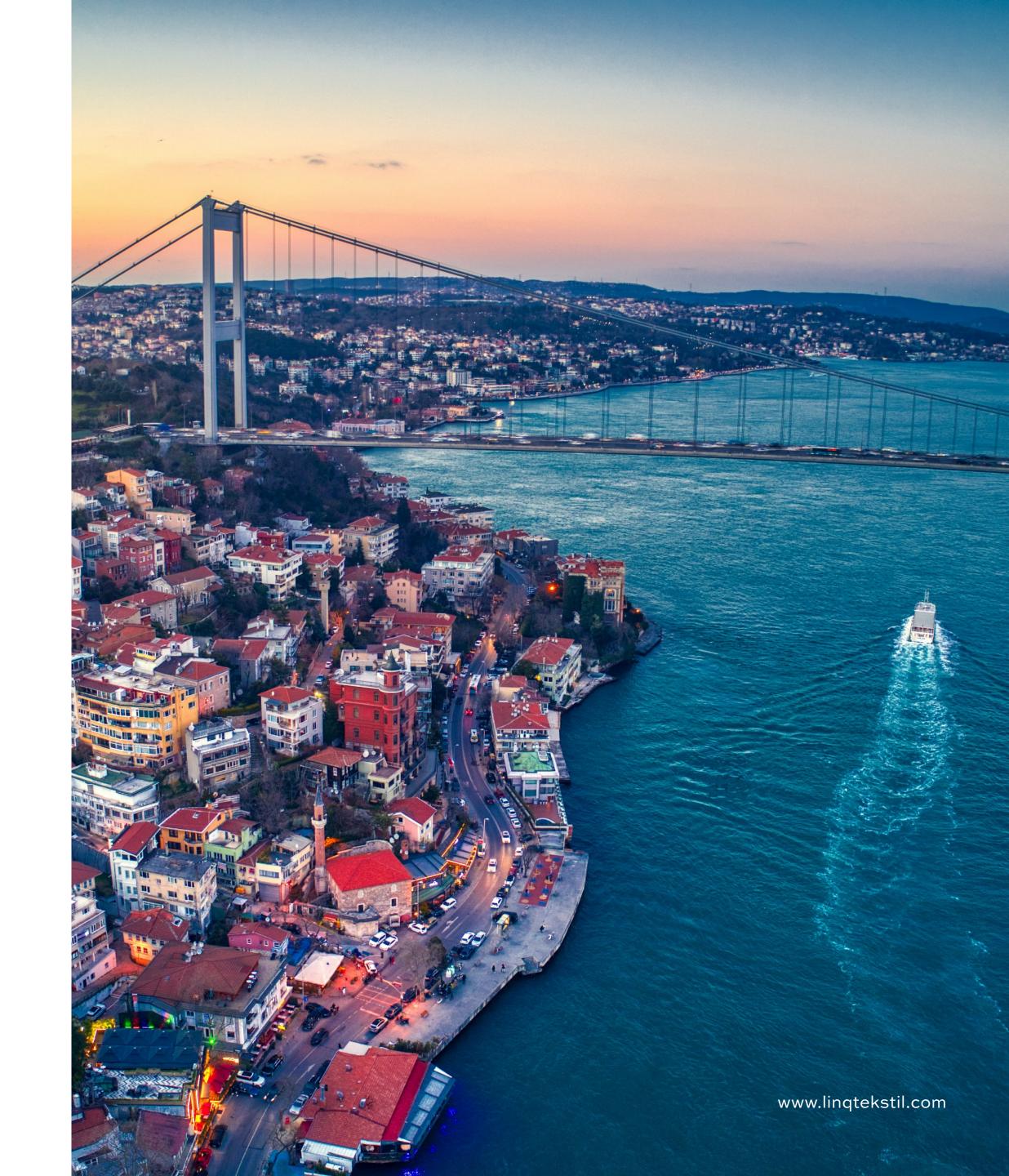
Ethical & Sustainable Manifacturer

Based in Turkey

#### About Us

Established in 2004 in a small office in Istanbul by 3 dedicated persons. Over the following years design, sampling and production has been added to our growing company.

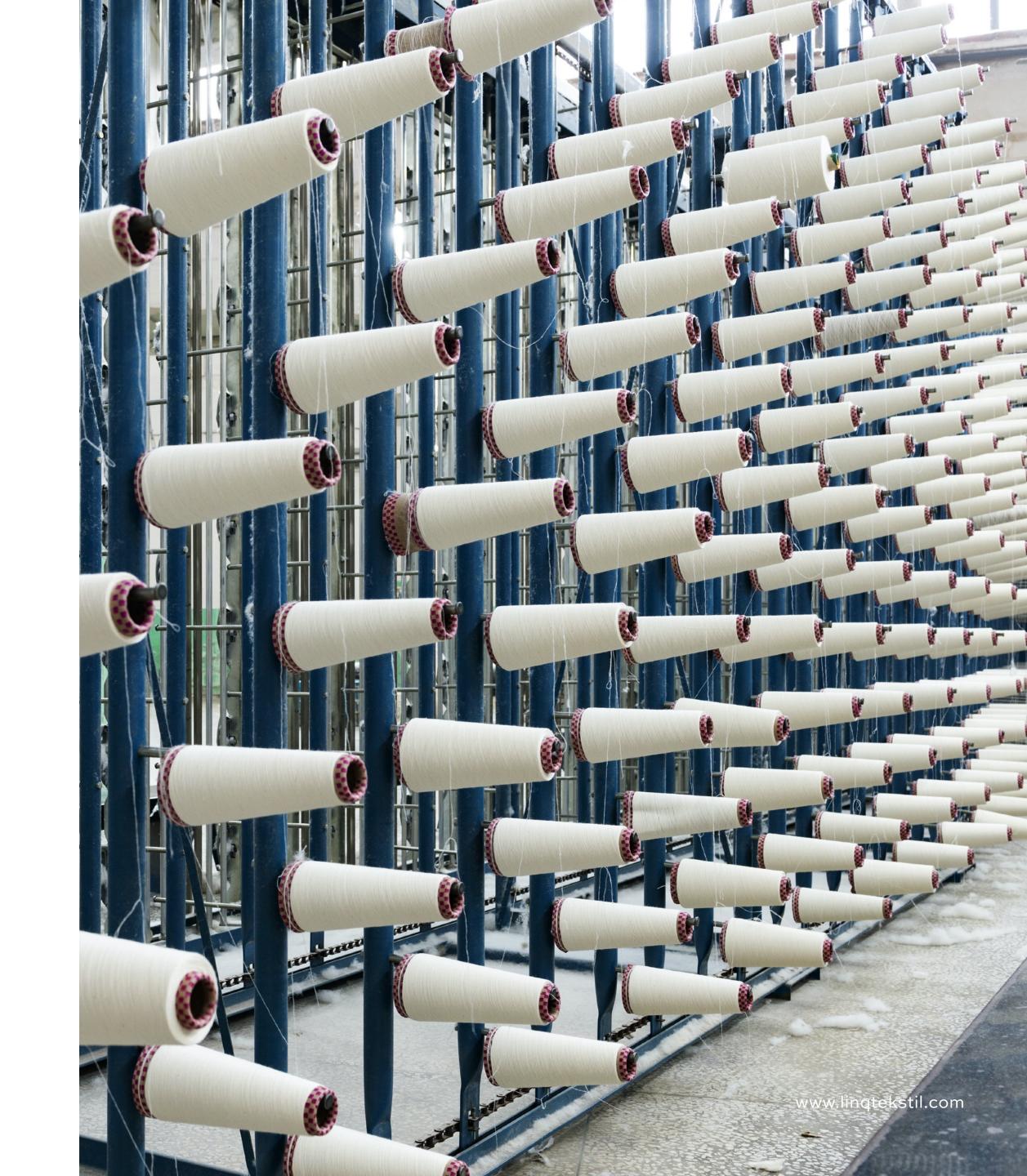
Today we employee more than 200 persons in the Turkish metropol, Istanbul.



#### Our Business

We believe we have a unique setup with design, sourcing and inhouse production. Our clients will get the same service as with a sourcing company but we have added free use of designers, sample and bulk production.

We have a far reaching network of sub-suppliers all over Turkey and we are able to meet your needs through short leadtimes, high quality, design with exceptional value.



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#### **Our Business**

## Design & Product Development

Our Design and Product Development Team follows latest trends and periodically provides updates to our clients. The works and offerings prepared are tailored to individual client needs and characteristics.

Services we provide include fabric, yarn and trim scooping, mood board and trend board presentation, style sketching and focused collection preparation.

Additionally, an experienced staff also carries on post-sourcing logistics, shipping and financial services.

- Our own manufacturing unit in Istanbul with pattern-making, cutting, sewing, printing and finishing.
- Specialized in CM, CMT, FOB or LDP.
- Design Studio in Istanbul with up to 12 Collections per year.
- Sample room in Istanbul, for every product type that leads to quick response to sample request, prototype development and salesman samples.
- Product allocation based on lead-times, quality and value.
- Cost effective planning and comparison costing.
- Production leverage.
- Year round available capacity and flexibility.

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# Product Range

When it comes to product range, LinqTextile is delivering from the most sleek and simple, to the highest levels of embellishment. Working with cotton/synthetic blends, combining digital and reactive printing on jersey with modern dye techniques like vegetable dye and treatments like antiviral and antibacterial coatings.

Jersey production is one of our areas of expertise, covering a wide price and product range from premium to fast fashion, garment dye and washing, sweats and hoodies, to basic jersey.



We can offer all methods of prints, embellishments and garment dye techniques. We source raw materials globally from accredited mills ranging from finest compact cotton, pima cotton, slub cotton, mercerized cotton, viscose, modal, Tencel and all other qualified raw materials.

We are working with all kinds of knit fabrics like jersey, interlock, pique/elasthan, rib, flatlock, waffle, modall, futter, viscose, french terry, yarn dyed knit fabrics, crepe, polyester, bamboo, organic cotton and other textured materials.



# We have been delivering the highest quality service and product to our clients around the world.

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Design, Development, Delivered.

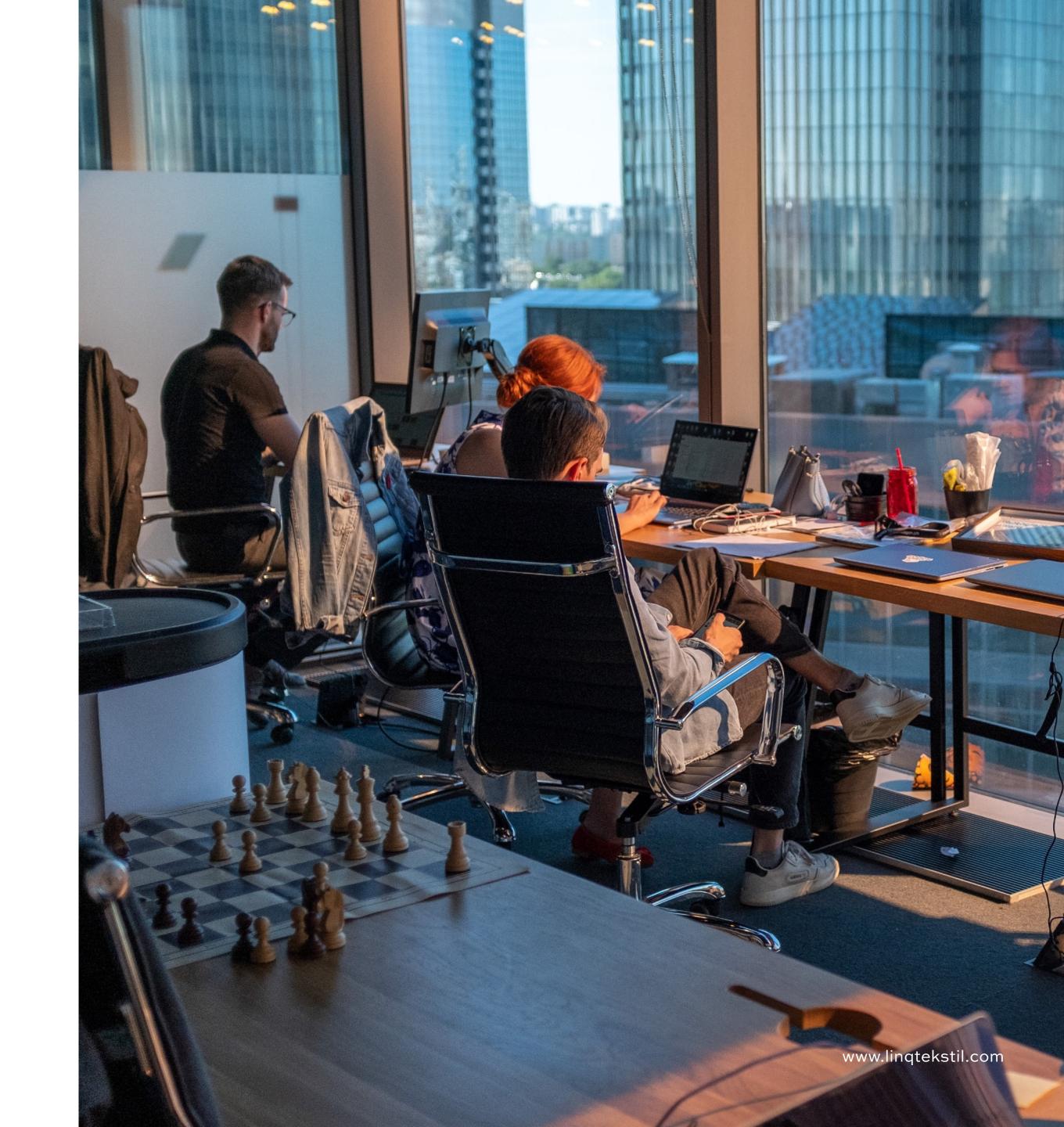
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Our Business

# We Represent Your Brand in the Best Way

We represent your brand. With this definitive responsibility, we act like you, monitor like you, produce like you and ship like you. We work in your name throughout the complete supply chain until the finished good is delivered to your warehouse.

For sure we are here for post-delivery services and feedback as well.



#### <u>Our Values</u>

#### Team Work and Cooperation

that is success is a common share across the organization,

#### Innovation

that is we constantly challenge our standards, norms and methodologies, and implement new business models accordingly,

#### Flexibility

that is we believe there are many ways of doing business, as long as requested standards are met,



#### Commitment to Work

that is we love our job, and work hard to make our clients happy,

#### Sustainability

that is success shall not be a one-time outcome but systematically a ensured process,

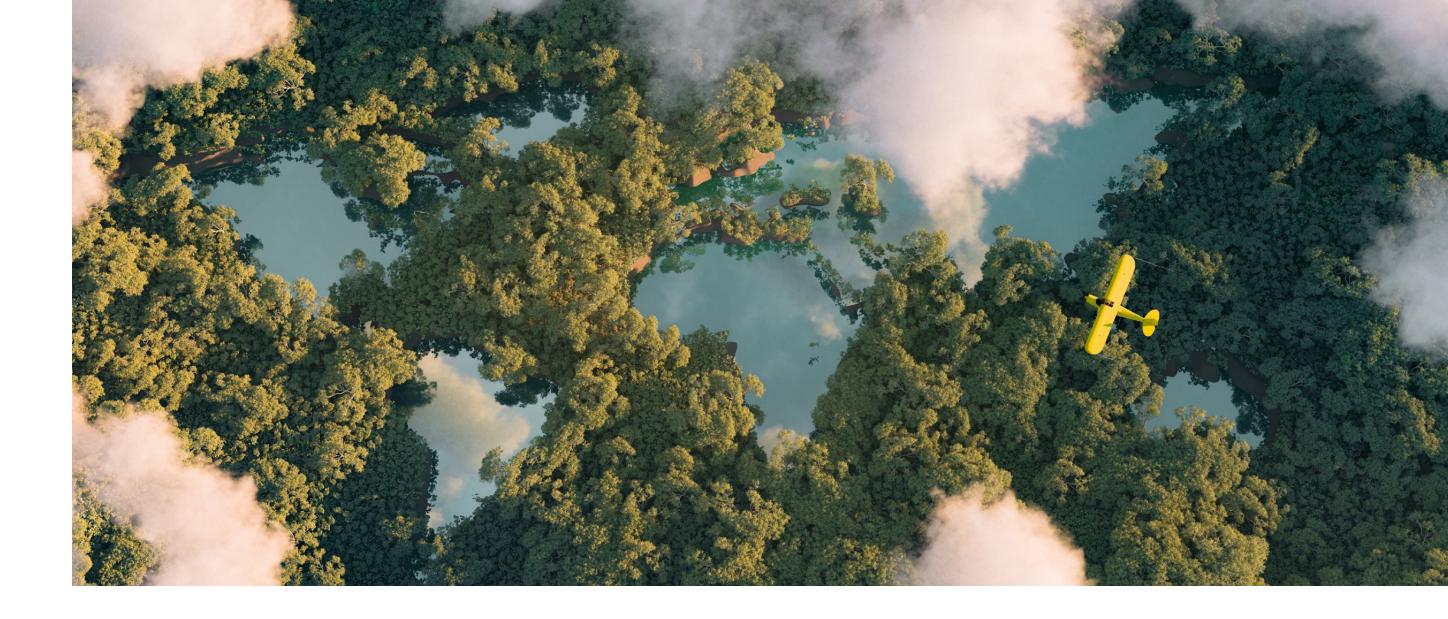
#### Ethical and Fair Trade

that is trust and honesty is the most important element of all above.

#### Sustainability

The textile & fashion industries have a huge socio-economic and environmental impact. With this in mind, we set our Mission for a Sustainable Future as below;

- Help our partners to develop sustainable supply chain,
- Maintain our pioneer position on fair working conditions and environmental standards,
- Ensure raw materials used are produced by eco-friendly techniques,
- Adapt new waste management systems to reduce environmental impact of production,
- Cooperate and collaborate with our partners to achieve their goals on sustainability projects.



Our sustainability activities are one of the fundamental principles of our business. Therefore, we're working with suppliers to uphold the standards of our Supplier Code of Conduct, based on worker input, local laws and our core values.

As LinqTextile, we work for a sustainable world and we prioritize environmentally friendly systems in our production processes that we managed.

#### Recycle Fabrics

Textile recycling is the process by which old clothing and other textiles are recovered for reuse or material recovery. It is the basis for the textile recycling industry. In the United States, this group is represented by SMART, the Association of Wiping Materials, Used Clothing and Fiber Industries. The necessary steps in the textile recycling process involve the donation, collection, sorting and processing of textiles, and then subsequent transportation to end users of used garments, rags or other recovered materials.

The basis for the growing textile recycling industry is, of course, the textile industry itself. The textile industry has evolved into a \$1 trillion industry globally, comprising clothing, as well as furniture and mattress material, linens, draperies, cleaning materials, leisure equipment, and many other items.



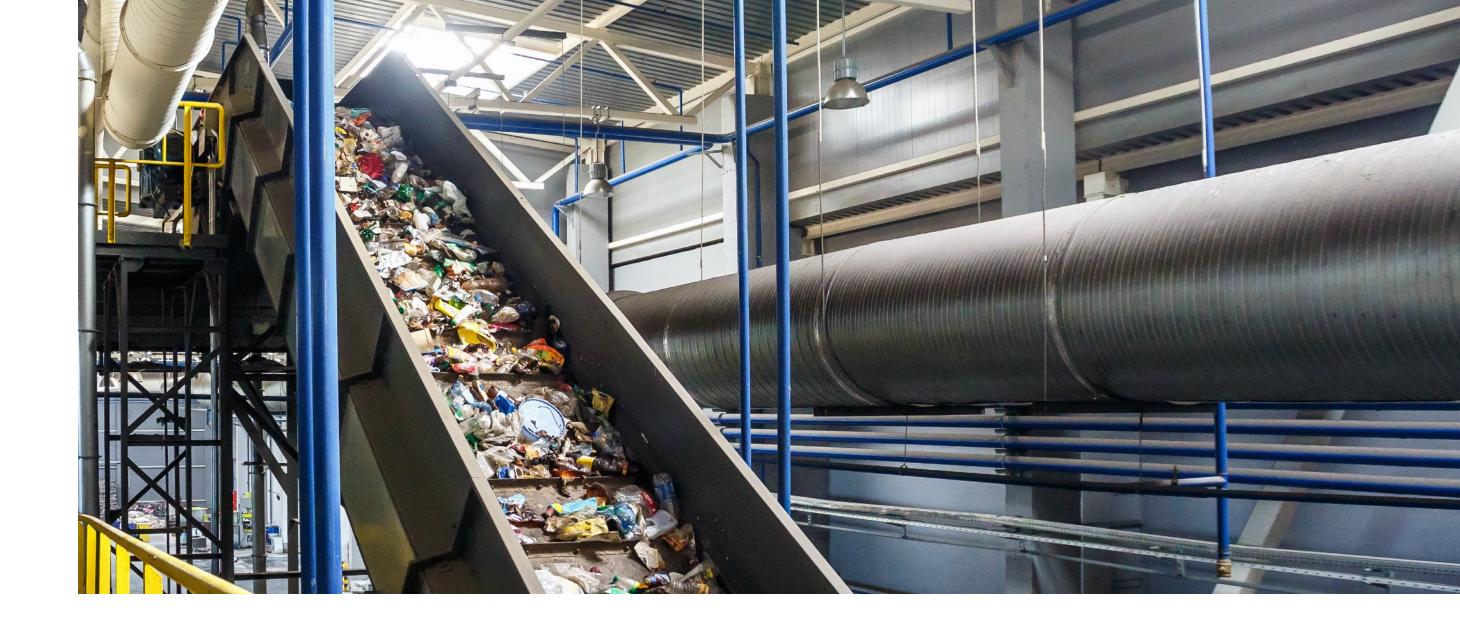
Textile recycling offers the following environmental benefits:

- Decreases landfill space requirements, bearing in mind that synthetic fiber products do not decompose and that natural fibers may release greenhouse gasses
- Avoided use of virgin fibers
- Reduced consumption of energy and water
- Pollution avoidance
- Lessened demand for dyes.

### The Recycling Process



- The incoming unwearable material is sorted by type of material and color. Color sorting results in a fabric that does not need to be redyed. The color sorting means no re-dying is required, saving energy and avoiding pollutants.
- Textiles are then pulled into fibers or shredded, sometimes introducing other fibers into the yarn. Materials are shredded or pulled into fibers. Depending on the end use of the yarn, other fibers may be incorporated.
- The yarn is then cleaned and mixed through a carding process



- Then the yarn is re-spun and ready for subsequent use in weaving or knitting.
- Some fibers are not spun into yards, however. Some are compressed for textile filling such as in mattresses.

In the case of polyester-based textiles, garments are shredded and then granulated for processing into polyester chips. These are subsequently melted and used to create new fibers for use in new polyester fabrics.

#### Watch Video

# 'Strike' Washing

We are committed to being the pioneer of innovation by putting the needs and expectations of customers and all stakeholders in its focus. Every new washing activity; We add a proactive, process and solution-oriented life that will create long-term and sustainable value. Because we see every new story as an opportunity for development and bring colors to life.

We have started R&D studies in order to develop new washing techniques in the sector and to provide more efficient service to customers since 2015. Within the framework of the zero waste project in 2019; In line with the demands of our customers, ecofriendly and aimed at increasing efficiency in production; It has developed the "Strike Washing Method" as an equivalent to effective products.



We have made a healthy and safe working environment sustainable with its zero tolerance approach in social compliance, environmental and occupational safety applications, which is approved by nearly twenty brands, including Inditex, Mango, Sedex, H&M, Asos, RTM.

The strike washing method ensures the efficient use of resources in the sector and the elimination of environmental wastes at the source of the process. It is a method that eliminates a carcinogenic or similar banned chemical substance used in many washing methods, especially soda perlite, vintage washing, piece dyeing, acid washing, etc., and accelerates the washing effect process.

# 'Strike' Washing

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IT CAN BE APPLIED IN DESIRED COLOR ON REACTIVE DYED FABRIC.

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NO LOSS OF STRENGTH OCCURS IN THE PRODUCT.

IT CAN BE APPLIED TO THE FINISHED PRODUCT LIKE PRINTED, WITH STONES, ACCESSORIES ETC.

IT REDUCES THE LOT DIFFERENCES IN THE FABRIC.

IT REDUCES THE COLOR DIFFERENCES IN THE SAME BOILER.

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DECREASES THE DEADLINE BY A MINIMUM OF 40%.



SODA PERLITE VINTAGE WASH \$	STRIKE WASH \$
Waste to the canal	Zero Waste
3000 liters of water	95% positive efficiency with 140 liters of water
Electricity	About 70% savings in electricity consumption
Naturel Gas	About 70% savings in natural gas consumption
Chemical used	Used chemical is ecological
Labor	60% savings in labor cost

PART DYE ACID WASH \$	STRIKE WASH \$
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# Botanical Dyes

We use natural dyes, and these been created from food waste and natural resources. Plants, fruits and vegetables help to achieve richly hued tones which work well together – from sakura blossom pink, to madder root red. Our supplier dyes textiles in a way that uses less water, is non-toxic and biodegradable and all our garment logos and prints are created with water-based PVC-free ink. We always respect the Restrictive Substance List.

We work with the most stable and sustainable natural dyes that originate from a wide range of plants, fruits, vegetables and food waste. Our pink comes from madder root and yellow comes from the palash (flame of the forest) flower.



Botanical Dyes extracted from nature are much safer for the environment, as they reduce the amount of harsh chemicals and colorants that would otherwise enter into the planet's water streams. These dyes can help transform the way we use colorants in everyday products and encourage the shift towards a more responsible system of production and consumption.

The Botanical colors are sustainably derived, renewable, biodegradable, and non-toxic. We use a low-water garment dyeing method, so the resulting wastewater is also non-toxic. Each selected dye originates from nature, each with its own individual backstory.

#### Social Compliance



Employees are the most valuable assets of our company. The corporate culture we consider is the fundament of our social compliance policy. All employees are provided with equal conditions and rights without discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, language, ethnic origin, pregnancy, marital status, physical disability and gender.

We evaluate social compliance activities for all of our producers that we work with. Among our priority targets we gradually determine and aim to improve their social compliance levels.

We believe that everyone who wears cloths and produces them should both feel good. Hence, we operate according to clear ethical and ecological codes and set ourselves consistently high social compliance standards.











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#### Contact Us

Talk to us today to find out how we can help bring your vision to life.

Concentrate on what's important. Leave the rest to us. Çeşmealtı Sk. No:28 34003 Güneşli - İstanbul Turkey

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