

OEKO-TEX® ORGANIC COTTON



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OEKO-TEX® ORGANIC COTTON

Your reliable third-party certification system for organic cotton or blends with organic cotton.



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MANAGER
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AGENDA

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**DO YOU SOURCE
ORGANIC COTTON?**

**TRUST IS GOOD.
A QUALITY
LABEL GIVES
REASSURANCE.**



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WHAT IS OEKO-TEX® ORGANIC COTTON?

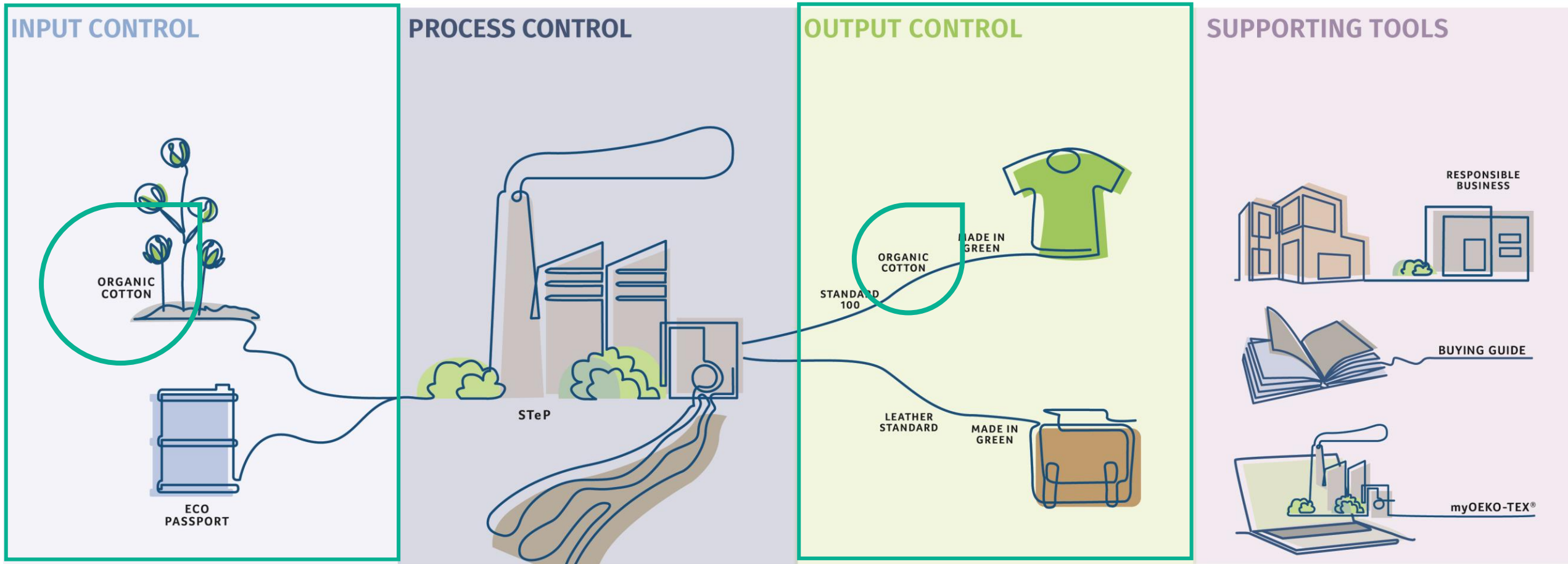
OEKO-TEX® ORGANIC COTTON is a **GLOBALLY UNIFORM,**
INDEPENDENT TESTING and **CERTIFICATION SYSTEM** for textile
raw, intermediate and end products of all processing stages, as
well as accessory materials.

Our ORGANIC COTTON certification offers **VERIFICATION** from
farm to end-product. Products bearing this label consist of
ORGANICALLY GROWN COTTON, are tested for GMO and
PESTICIDES and cover the testing of other harmful substances.



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SOLUTIONS ALONG THE SUPPLY CHAIN



OEKO-TEX® Modular System



- All components are covered by an OEKO-TEX® certificate
- Key requirements for base certificates:
 - Matching scope description
 - Annex
 - Product class
 - Validity period

= No lab testing or reduced testing required

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TECHNICAL DETAILS - WHAT IS ALLOWED

DO's

INDIVIDUAL COMPONENTS
(intermediate products, e.g.
raw fibres, yarns, fabrics)

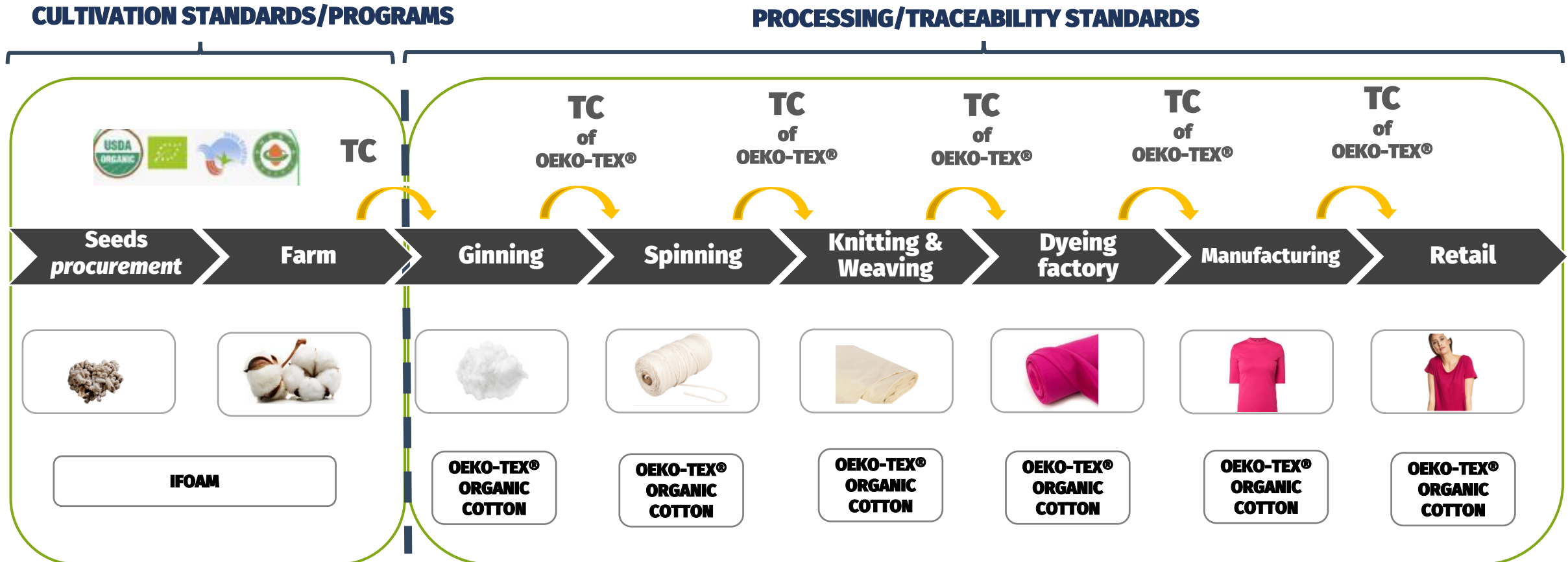
FINISHED ARTICLES
(e.g. T-shirt, bedspread,
jacket, ...)

DON'Ts

Mixtures of organic and
conventional cultivation are
prohibited

FOCUS ON TRACEABILITY

TC Transaction certificate
IFOAM International Federation of Organic Agriculture Movements
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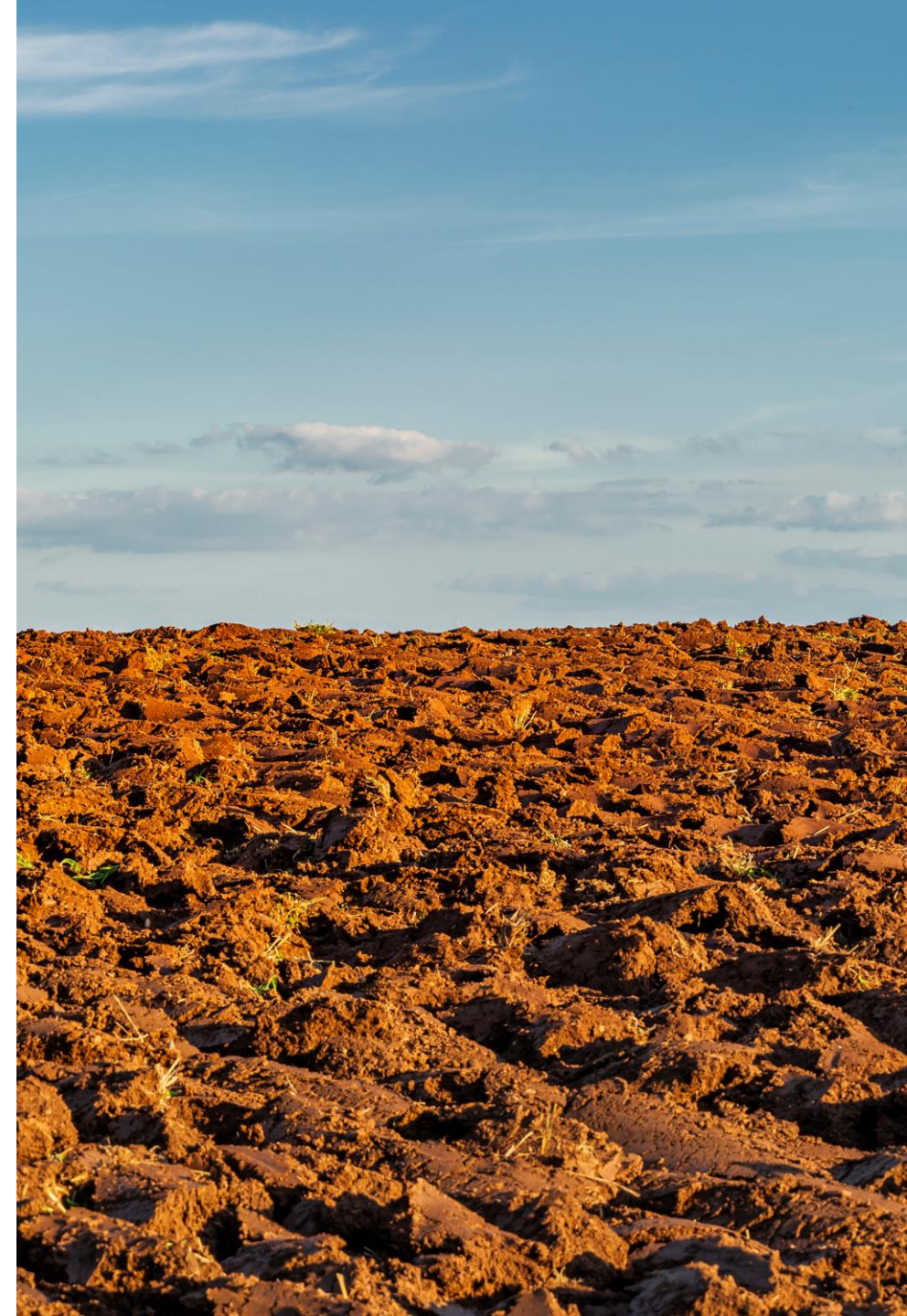
FARM CERTIFICATION

CERTIFICATION BODIES

The certification of organic seed and farming will take place by accredited certification bodies.

The certification must be performed according to the **IFOAM Family of Standards.**

EXAMPLES



TRANSACTION CERTIFICATES (TCs)

- TCs are **outgoing** certificates
- The **first TC** certifies the transfer of goods from the farm to the ginning facility
- From the step of ginnery **only TCs from OEKO-TEX®** will be accepted to bring traceability to the textile chain
- **OEKO-TEX® TCs** be applied for up to **six weeks** after delivery of the goods
- **TCs** may only be issued if the **certificate behind them is valid**
- Since 1st April 2024, **cost per TC € 50,-**



Transaction Certificate – supporting information

OEKO-TEX® ORGANIC COTTON

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OEKO-TEX®
International Association for Research and Testing in
the Field of Textile and Leather Ecology
Internationale Gemeinschaft für Forschung und Prüfung
auf dem Gebiet der Textil- und Lederökologie

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OEKO-TEX® LABEL OPTIONS

100 % Organic Cotton

- ORGANIC COTTON Certificates & TCs
- GMO test, < 5 %
- Extended tests for pesticides
- Separate label “**OEKO-TEX® ORGANIC COTTON**”.



Min. 70 % Organic Cotton

- ORGANIC COTTON Certificates & TCs
- GMO test, < 5 %
- Extended tests for pesticides
- Separate “**OEKO-TEX® ORGANIC COTTON BLENDED**” label

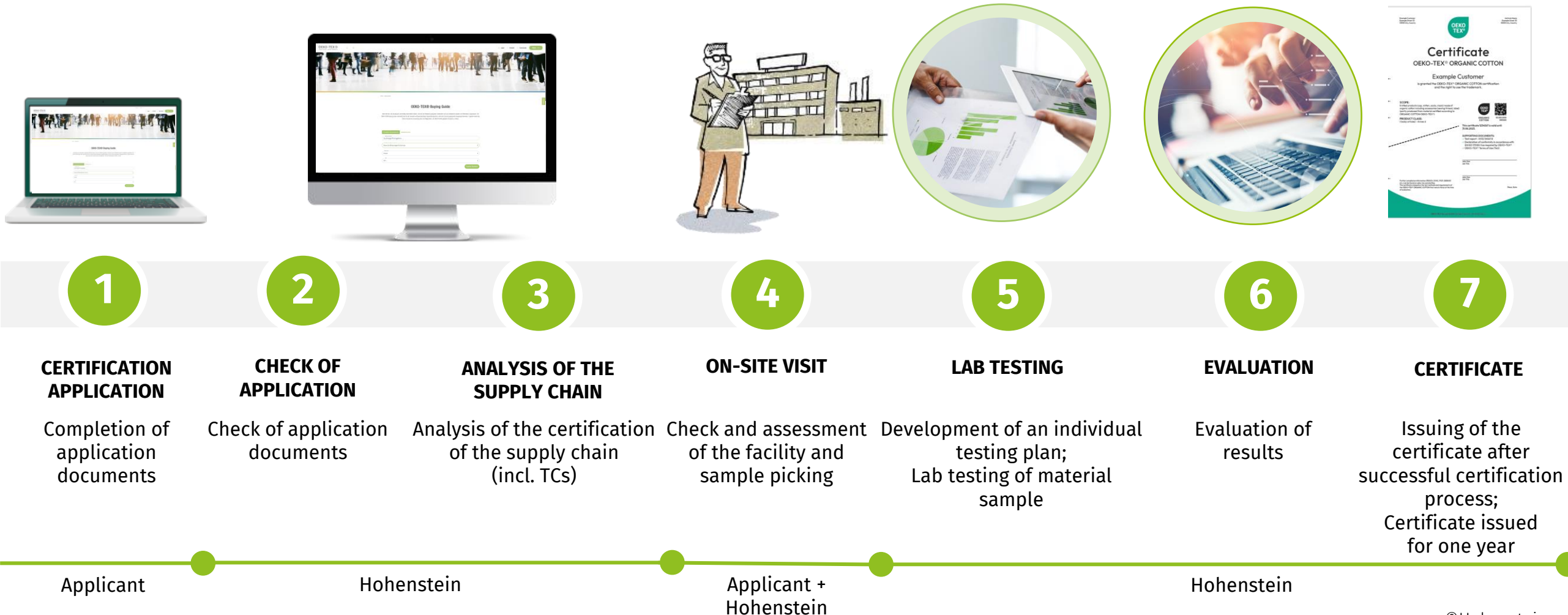


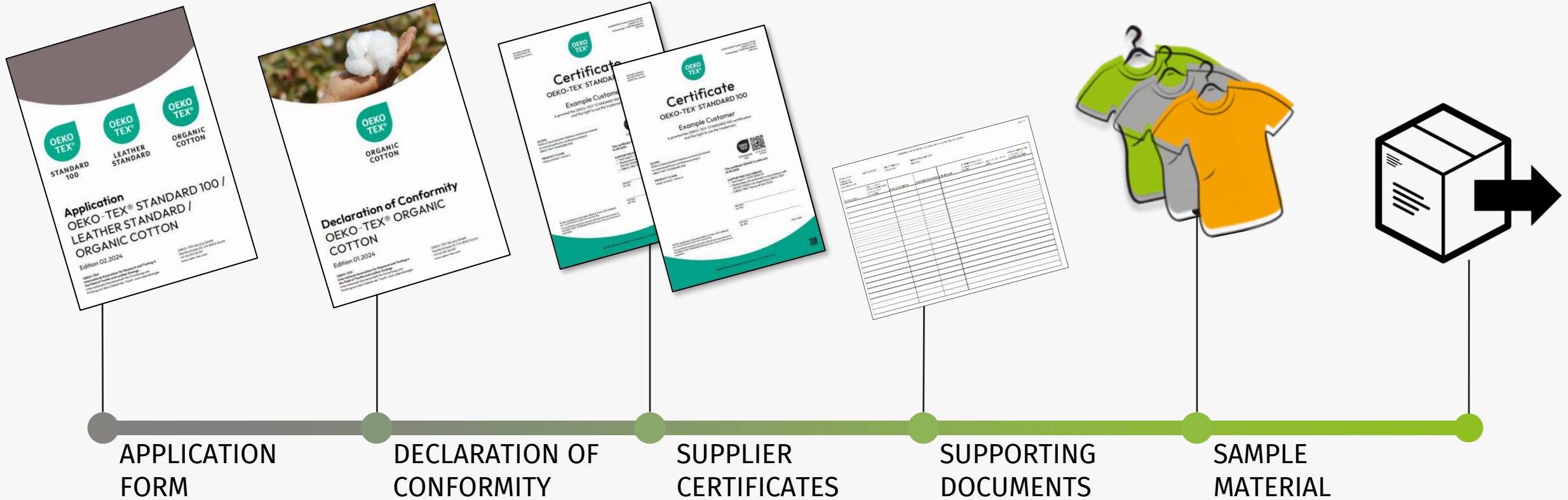
< 70 % Organic Cotton

- Organic origin (3rd party or OEKO-TEX® ORGANIC COTTON pre-certified)
- GMO test, < 5 %
- Tests for pesticides
- “**OEKO-TEX® STANDARD 100**” label



THE OEKO-TEX® ORGANIC COTTON CERTIFICATION PROCESS





APPLICATION DOCUMENTS & SAMPLES



Application



Declaration of
Conformity

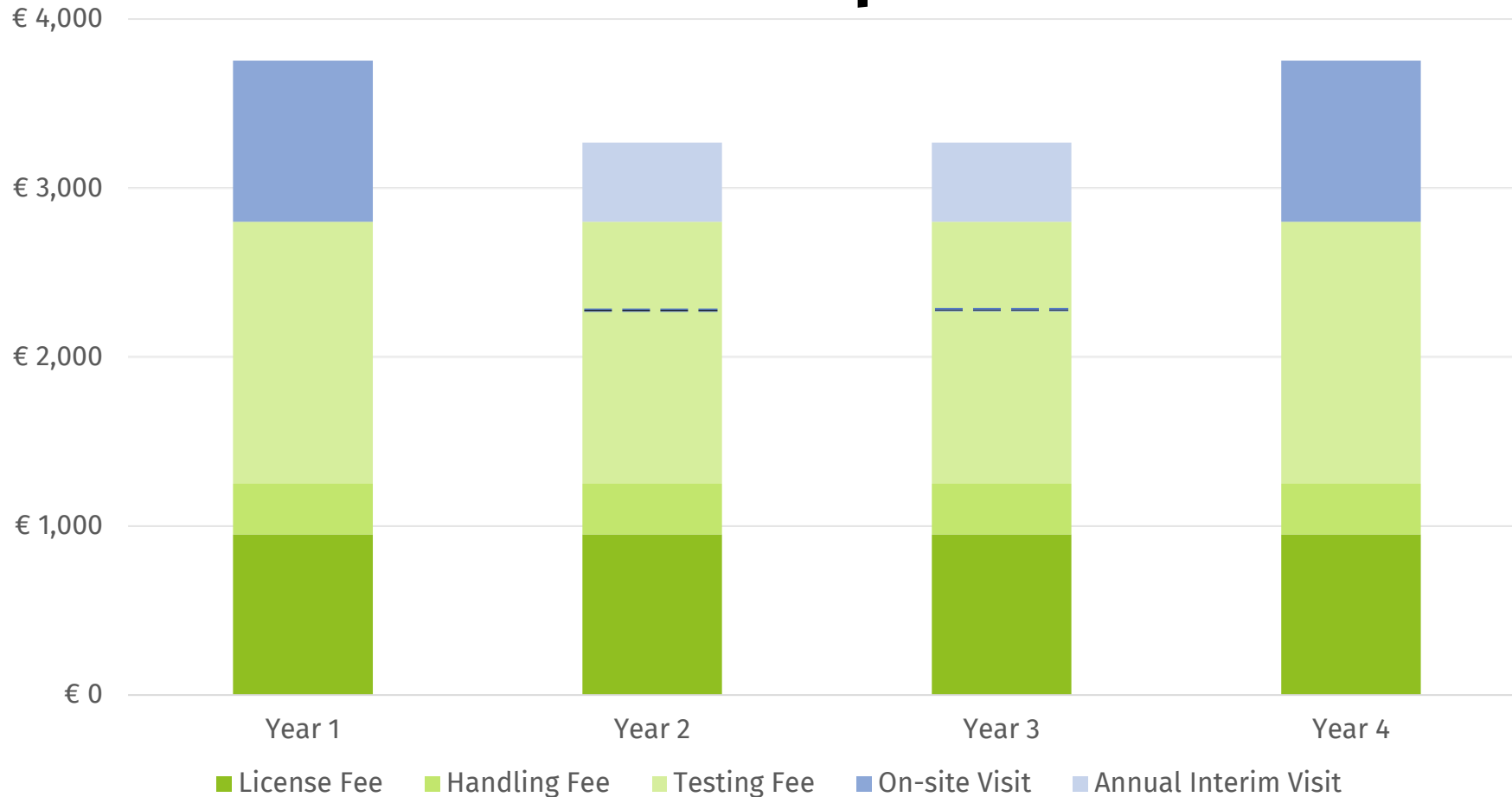
HOHENSTEIN COST STRUCTURE

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Cost Structure – per Year*



*Example of raw organic cotton yarn. Valid 2024 for Europe.

OEKO-TEX® LABEL CHECK

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LABEL CHECK MESSAGE

The certificate is valid

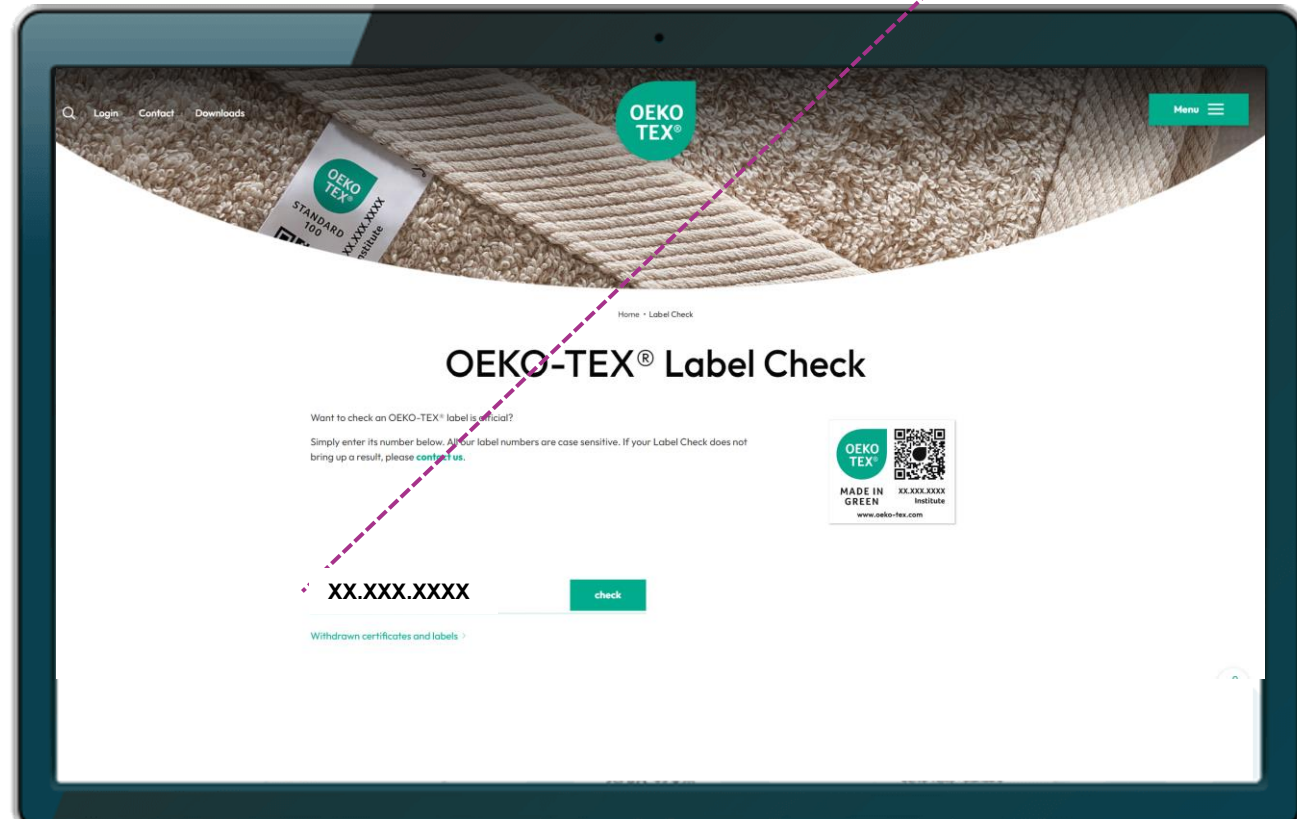


OEKO-TEX® STANDARD 100
Zertifiziert nach Anhang 4

Produktklasse:
II

Art des zertifizierten Artikels:

Jackets consisting of outer fabric made of woven fabric produced from polyester(also fluorescent yellow) or polyamide, partly with PU coating in colorless transparent or white, knitted fabric made of polyester fleece(including polar fleece, partly fluorescent yellow or printed), polyester/cotton, knitted and woven fabrics made of polyester/elastane, lining fabrics made of knitted and woven fabrics produced from polyester, polyester/cotton; white and dyed, white polyester padding and trousers made of woven fabric produced from polyester/cotton, white and piece-dyed; including accessories (reflective material, sewing thread, woven and printed label, hook and loop tape, elastic band, metal and plastic button, metal and plastic zipper with pulling element, metal eyelet, ribbon, cord with plastic stopper, plastic buckle); exclusively produced from material certified according to OEKO-TEX® STANDARD 100.





Full-text search

Certifications & Services

Product level

Location

Country / Region

Appendix

Product class



Start search

OEKO-TEX® BUYING GUIDE

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WHY CHOOSE OEKO TEX® ORGANIC COTTON?

**UNMATCHED
EXPERIENCE:**
Over **30 YEARS**
in textile
certification

**OEKO-TEX®
STANDARD 100**
The leading label for
textiles tested for
harmful substances

STRICT QUALITY CONTROL:

- All tests are conducted by OEKO-TEX® institutes
- On-Site Visits are conducted by OEKO-TEX® auditors
- Fast turnaround times for certification

TRANSPARENCY & TRACEABILITY:

- All processes managed within the OEKO-TEX® association
- Clear traceability from raw materials to finished product
- Minimized risk of fraud

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