

# FIBREGUARD ECO-STANDARDS

Sustainability is everybody's responsibility. As a company, we take our environmental impact to heart and are proactively working towards a lasting positive impact.

**“THE GREATEST THREAT TO OUR PLANET IS THE BELIEF THAT SOMEONE ELSE WILL SAVE IT.”**

Robert swan, British historian, Arctic explorer and renewable energy and active sustainability activist

Forward-thinking sustainability is engrained in our company culture through visible projects and actions, including paper waste and plastic reduction measures, solar power, the development of our digital offering, and further research and development of fabrics manufactured with recycled and/or organic properties.

Let's take a look at some of the standards our FibreGuard fabrics are certified with:





## STANDARD 100 by OEKO-TEX®

All FibreGuard fabrics are manufactured and certified under the STANDARD 100 by OEKO-TEX®, guaranteeing that they won't release any harmful finishes or chemicals into the environment and are completely safe for contact with you, your children and your pets.

Our unique STANDARD 100 by OEKO-TEX number is 0611045.



## ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

ISO 14001 establishes the criteria for an environmental management system and can be certified.

Designed for any type of organisation, regardless of its activity or sector, it provides assurance that the environmental impact of operations is being measured and improved.

The benefits of ISO 14001 for our customers are:

- Minimised collective environmental footprint.
- Diminished collective risk of pollution incidents.
- Operations systems are continuously improved.



## GLOBAL RECYCLED STANDARD (GRS)

GRS is a standard of verification for companies to determine the recycled content of their fabrics. It ensures that corporate claims concerning recycled content of textiles are accurate and up to date.

This standard is audited on an annual basis by assessing the production, trading and manufacturing processes to ensure the recycled content of our fabrics is authentic.

Please refer to our fabric samples to confirm which collections are GRS certified.

Our unique GRS number is 1036512.



## ORGANIC CONTENT STANDARD (OCS)

OCS is a certification awarded to goods that are guaranteed as containing organic content such as organic cotton. Each party involved in the chain of production, from yarn supply through to finished goods, is closely audited and controlled to ensure the item contains genuine organic content.

Based on their composition, fabric is either awarded the 'Organic Content Standard 100' for fabrics containing more than 95% organic fibre, or the 'OCS Blended – Organic Content Standard' for fabrics containing between 5% and 95% organic fibre.

Please refer to our fabric samples to confirm which collections are OCS certified.

Our unique OCS number is 1036513.



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## REACH

REACH (Registration, Evaluation, Authorisation and Restriction of Chemicals) is a compulsory EU regulation that establishes procedures for collecting and assessing information on the properties and hazards of substances. It's a regulation set up under the European Chemicals Agency (ECHA). Our fabrics therefore consistently comply with these mandatory REACH regulations.

Here is a brief overview of what this means for our worldwide customers:

REACH addresses the production and use of chemical substances, and their potential impact on both human health and the environment. This regulation also places the burden of proof on companies, meaning that we as a company need to identify and manage all risks in our own processes. This proof of safety must be demonstrable to the ECHA. Any risks must be communicated, and risk management procedures outlined.

## QUALITY, ENVIRONMENT, SAFETY AND HEALTH

Quality Management concerns all topics related to Quality, Environment, Safety and Health (QESH). It is something that governs all our operations, from end to end. Our QESH team follows up on our compliance, new legislation, and best practices throughout the industry. They are also responsible for making sure we successfully receive our ISO 9001 certification each year.

# KEY FEATURES

FibreGuard    FibreGuardPro    FibreGuardOutdoor

Feature	FibreGuard	FibreGuardPro	FibreGuardOutdoor
EASY TO CLEAN	●	●	●
ATTRACTIVE FABRICS	●	●	●
OEKO-TEX® (STANDARD 100)	●	●	●
DURABLE	●	●	●
CHILD & PET FRIENDLY	●	●	●
WASHABLE	●	●	●
LOW MAINTENANCE	●	●	●
HIGH PERFORMANCE	●	●	●
ANTI-MICROBIAL	■	●	●
ANTI-BACTERIAL	■	●	●
MILDEW RESISTANT	■	●	●
ODOUR RESISTANT	■	●	●
MOISTURE BARRIER		●	
UV RESISTANT			●
WATER REPELLENT			●

# APPLICATIONS

Application	FibreGuard	FibreGuardPro	FibreGuardOutdoor
RESIDENTIAL	●	●	●
HOTEL & LEISURE	●	●	●
HEALTH CARE		●	
OUTDOOR			●

■ Please note that not all FibreGuard fabrics are anti-microbial, anti-bacterial, mildew resistant and odour resistant. Kindly refer to fabric sample for exact specifications.

