

TOTEME FIBER TOOL

	1. Best in class fibers	2. Better fibers	3. Conventional fibers	4. Phase out fibers	5. Banned fibers
Animal fibers	Recycled wool* Organic wool*** Recycled cashmere* RMS/RAS certified wool Recycled down** Organic silk***	RWS/ZQ certified wool  Traceable yak & camel Traceable alpaca & mohair RDS down Recycled or traceable silk	Wool   Silk	Cashmere Alpaca & mohair	Mulesed merino wool  Angora Down
Cellulose based fibers	Recycled cotton** Organic linen*** Organic Hemp***	Organic cotton *** Linen (natural retted) Hemp Traceable raffia, straw	Linen (chemical retting)  Raffia, straw	Cotton	
Manmade cellulose	Circulose Ecovero Refibra	Traceable acetate Traceable viscose Traceable lyocell Cupro ** Triacetate		Acetate Viscose	
Synthetics	Recycled polyester (mechanically)** Econyl	Recycled polyester (chemically)** Recycled polyamide**  Roica EF or recycled elastane		Polyester Polyamide Acrylic Polyethylene Elastane Elastomultiester Polypropylene	Polyvinyl chloride
Other fibers		Recycled rubber **	Natural rubber	Rubber	

\* Materials certified through GRS, RCS or Cardato.

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\*\*\* Materials certified through either GOTS or OCS.

The fiber tool is divided into five categories:

1. Best in class fibers: Natural fibers that are recycled, organic, fast renewing and biodegradable; responsible manmade innovations; and new industry certifications that TOTEME wants to support.
2. Better fibers: Synthetic and manmade fibers that are recycled, certified or traceable; and the current better fiber choice.
3. Conventional fibers: Traditional fibers were better alternatives are available.
4. Phase out fibers: Fibers that are phased out due to high use of chemicals and water, lack of control over animal welfare and good availability of better alternatives.
5. Banned fibers: Fibers that are banned in TOTEME's Code of Conduct due to chemical risks or lack of animal welfare policies.