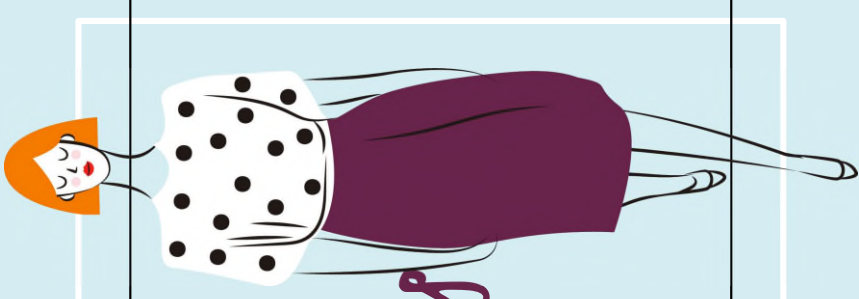


Working Conditions

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Clean Clothes Campaign

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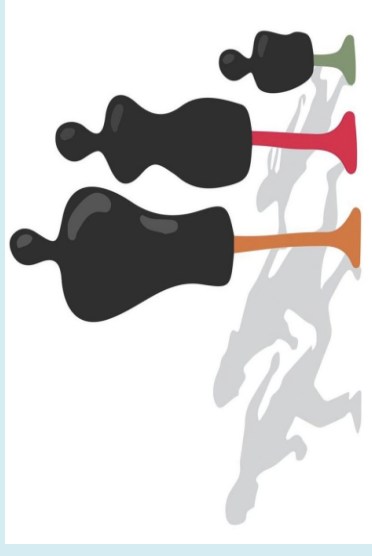


7) What is the economic impact of the clothing we wear?



About Clean Clothes Campaign

- ★ Improving working conditions in the global garment industry
- ★ Push companies to take responsibility for rights of manufacturing goods
- ★ Mobilize people to undertake individual and collective action
- ★ Won't accept donations from any garment brand or retailer.
- ★ Clean Clothes Campaign was founded in 1989 in Amsterdam, Netherlands.
- ★ Gender inequality and sex discrimination



Mission Statement

- ★ “Clean Clothes Campaign is a global alliance dedicated to improving working conditions and empowering workers in the global garment and sportswear industries.” – Clean Clothes Campaign



The Issue

- ★ Garment workers are forced to work 14–16 hours a day according to sustainyourstyle.org.
- ★ Employes work in toxic breathing surroundings, including no ventilation which can lead to harmful diseases.



- ★ They are verbally and physically abused by owners and even are not allowed to drink water at times.
- ★ 250,000 girls from South India participate in the factories.



Economic Impact

- ★ 1 garbage truck of clothes is burned/sent to landfills every second
- ★ 2,700L of water to make 1 cotton shirt
- ★ Clothing discarded prematurely is more than 400 billion dollars
- ★ 1.7 trillion dollar industry
- ★ 370 billion dollars spent on footwear & apparel
- ★ 300 million people are employed
- ★ 400% more clothes than two decades ago
- ★ 37 kilograms of textile waste each year



Conclusion

- ★ The Clean Clothes Campaign works to protect employees in garment factories that are in horrible conditions leading to many economical impacts in the world.

How to solve this issue?

- ★ Spreading awareness across social media platforms, buying sustainable clothing and donating to organizations that work improve this issue like the Clean Clothes Campaign.



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