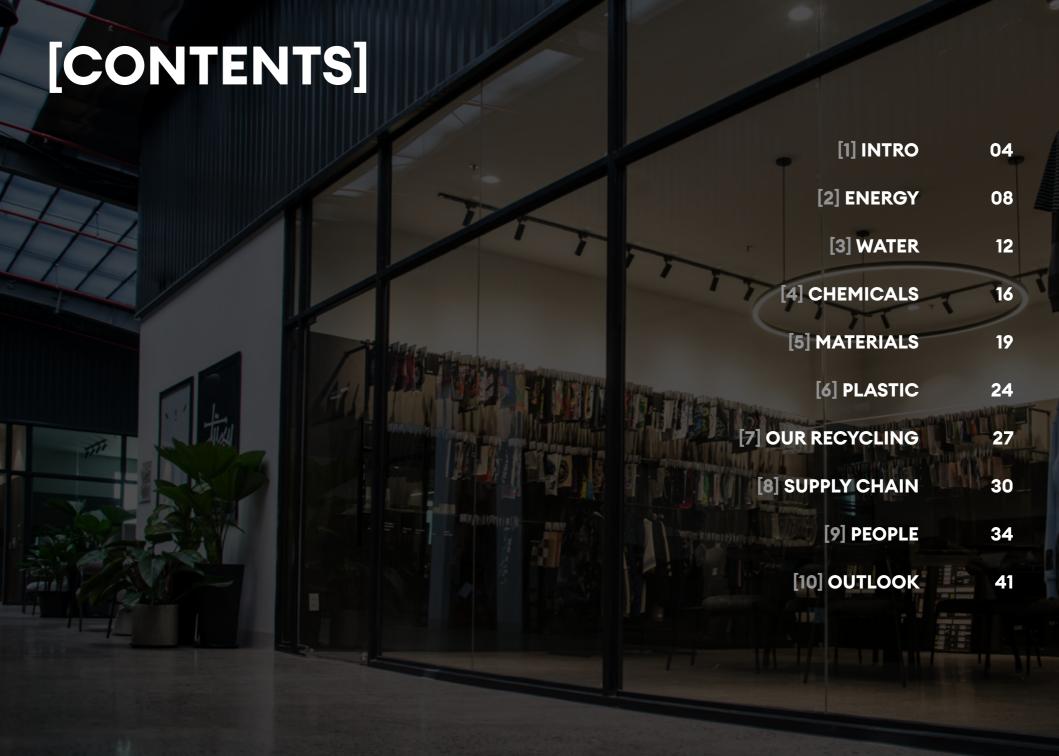
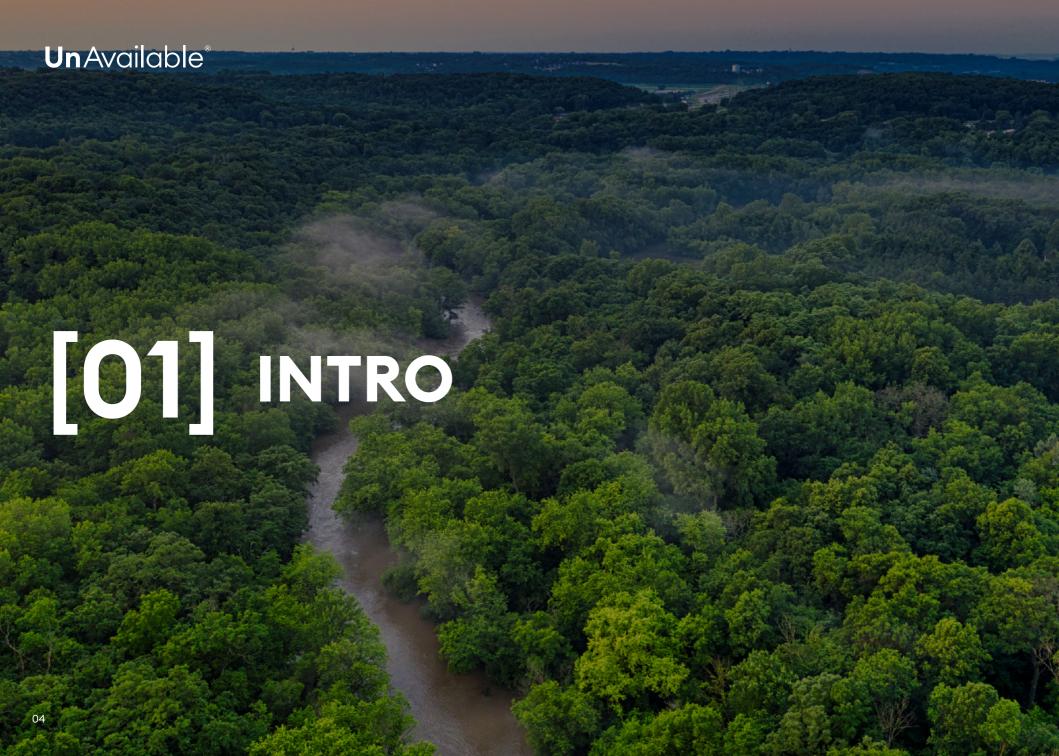
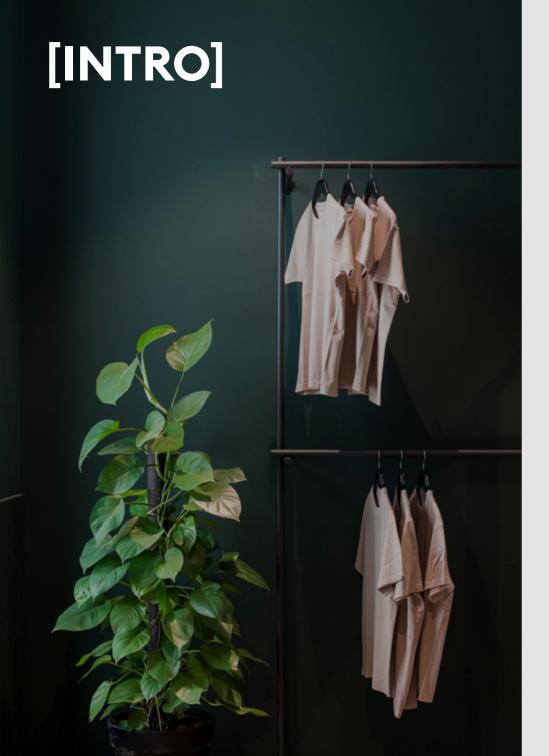
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## [SUSTAINABILITY REPORT] 2020 - 2023









The garment industry is a major contributor to global pollution, generating 10% of all human carbon emissions and consuming a substantial portion of the world's water resources. However, at Un-Available, we are committed to transforming this narrative by fostering a planet-forward mindset through innovative initiatives.

We set ambitious goals, establish clear objectives, and implement tangible actions to make eco-consciousness a standard practice. We involve our entire team in adhering to strict protocols, ensuring accountability for environmental and social responsibilities at each stage of our operations. Concurrently, we collaborate with suppliers, partners, and stakeholders who share our vision and core values, guaranteeing compliance with global standards throughout the supply chain.

To provide transparency across our business, we leverage technology to monitor our consumption and evaluate the effectiveness of our sustainability efforts, as well as conduct thorough audits through third party verification.

Our Sustainability Report offers an insightful retrospective of our accomplishments from 2020 to May 2023. By showcasing our progress and ongoing initiatives, we provide an honest view of our journey towards sustainability goals. Despite challenges arising from global tensions, economic downturns, and shifting supply chains, we remain resolute in our mission and steadfast in our determination to drive positive change within the fashion industry.















































Illustration: Azote for Stockholm Resilience Centre, Stockholm University

Developed by the United Nations, the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) are 17 interlinked global goals created to achieve "a better or more sustainable future for all" (un.org). Set in 2015 by the UN's General Assembly, their objective is to accomplish these goals by 2030.

By including the SDGs in our report, we ensure our practices align with a recognized global agenda. The illustration by Carl Folke, Director of the Stockholm Resilience Centre at Stockholm University, provides a visual reference outlining these objectives.

As a garment manufacturer, our dependency and usage of natural resources such as water, cotton, and energy directly affect the planet. To lessen our impact on the biosphere, we're taking the words of the Stockholm Resilience - "transition toward a world logic where the economy serves society so that it evolves within the safe operating space of the planet" – and creating action.

(stockholmresilience.org)

## [CERTIFICATES]

## **OUR [ACHIEVEMENTS]**

2020

2021

2022

WHAT WE ARE [PUSHING FOR]

2023

2024 - 2025



International Labour Standards



**Kering Group Audit** 

KERING



**Sedex Virtual Assessment** 



**SLCP Verification** 



**Higg FEM Certification** 



ISO 9001:2015

ISO 14001:2015



**NBCUniversal** 

**NBC Universal Assessment** 



**SA8000 Certification** 



NIKE Audit Bronze Rating



**CSI Report** 



**B Corporation Certification** 





**GRS & RCS Certification** 



**WRAP Certification** 



**CTPAT Certification** 



**Bluesign Certification** 



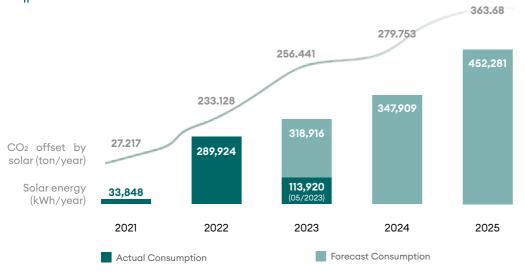
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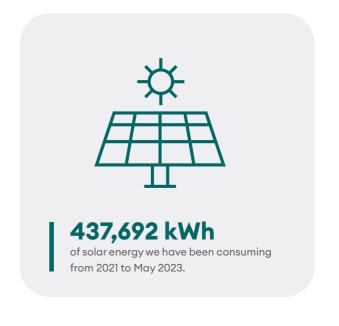


## [SOLAR ENERGY]

## Expanding our solar panel roof







From 2021 to May 2023, by using solar panels, we have been saving **342.607 tons CO<sub>2</sub>**, which is equivalent to ...



43,693,455 smartphones charge



33 Hectares of trees



41 yearly energy bills for a family home



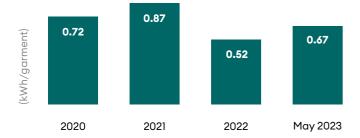
14,007 propane cylinders used for home barbecues

## [ENERGY]

### A retrospect on our energy used from 2020 to May 2023

[9] **0.67 kWh**/garment





Despite significant growth in production volume in 2022, we were able to reduce our energy consumption for manufacturing a garment by almost 40% year-on-year. Our progress in mid-2023 has been less than ideal, but we remain convinced that we can hit our target before the close of the year.



We use the **Higg Index** as a tool to track our **energy consumption** and calculate our baseline.

## **OUR [ACHIEVEMENTS] SO FAR**



#### **BUILDING THE RIGHT MINDSET**

Implementing a monthly Going Green Newsletter to highlight energy efficiency topics.



#### **ELECTRICITY TRACKING**

We are diligent about tracking our daily energy consumption by recording our meters to determine whether the output is in line with the factory's actual working time. We do this to ensure the accuracy of usage and find solutions to reduce waste.



#### **ENERGY EFFICIENCY**

Since 2020, we have conducted our annual energy and water audits and acted upon the recommendations of our consultants:

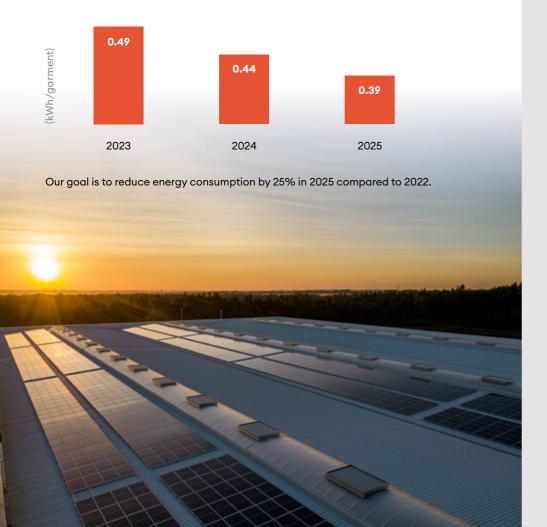
- Converting the central boilers to single boilers at sewing lines to improve energy efficiency and management.
- Offsetting 100% the amount of heat and water condensation genereated by boilers.
- Separating light and air vent switches.
- Installing air compressor valves at sewing lines.
- Converting from LDR (light dependent resistor) to laser light for drying in the printing department.
- Switching to inverter air conditioning machines 100%.
- Installing a waste heat collection system for air compressors to prevent any negative effects on equipment

## [ENERGY FUTURE]

Reducing energy consumption from 2023 to 2025

[9] 0.39kWh/garment







### **SOLAR POWER**

Our goal is to raise the roof coverage from 41% to 100% by the end of 2023.



#### **GREEN INSULATION**

Increasing the plant coverings on our walls and adding more office plants to cool off our facility.



#### REDUCING OUR ENERGY CONSUMPTION

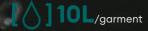
We are focused on reducing our energy consumption by 5% by the end of 2023 through:

- Improving the air compressor system to avoid leakage.
- Separating LDR light switches in the printing department.
- Centralizing all automatic energy trackers to avoid errors caused by manually tracking.



## [WATER]

A retrospect on our water used in 2020 - May 2023





For nearly two years, our water consumption per garment has remained steady at **0.01 m3 per garment.** 

(\*) The figure refers to the water used at our facility and excludes washing and dyeing processes from our suppliers. Calculation using Higa FEM Baseline Methodology.

## **OUR [ACHIEVEMENTS] SO FAR**



#### **BUILDING THE RIGHT MINDSET**

We continue to use monthly newsletters to inform our teams on topics related to the global water crisis and how to use water more mindfully at our facility and at home.



#### WATER METER - TRACKING

We have nine different water meters at different sections throughout our facility to track our consumption. Also, we had the water tracking boards set up in all departments to show our teams' actual consumption.



#### **ENGAGING STAKEHOLDERS**

Open and honest discussions with suppliers, partners, NGOs, and community organizations on water challenges help build stronger relationships, vital to combating this crisis.



### **WORKING WITH LOCAL GOVERNMENTS**

To create significant and long-lasting change, we will work with our local governments to find long-term solutions around reducing water waste.



#### **CONDUCTING REGULAR AUDITS**

We are committed to conducting annual water audits and taking immediate action as reccommended by auditing bodies.



## WHAT WE ARE [PUSHING FOR] IN THE FUTURE

#### REDUCING WATER CONSUMPTION IN OUR PRODUCTION THROUGH:



Restructuring the cleaning area and process of the printing department to comsume less water in 2023.



Reusing treated wastewater for toilet use in 2023.



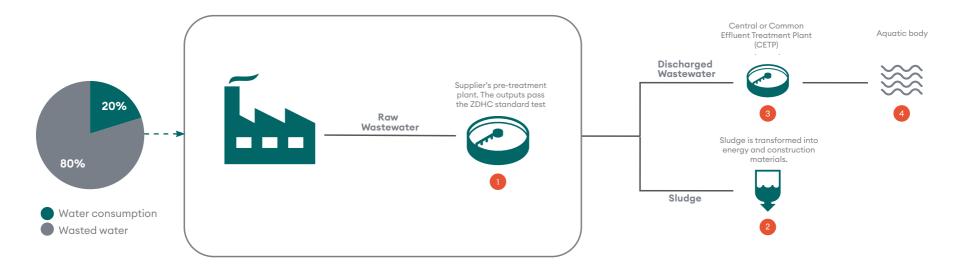
Collecting rainwater: We currently have a 130m3 tank for water storage. In 2024, we will prioritize rainwater for landscaping and cleaning purposes.



Reusing treated wastewater for production in 2025.

## [WASTE WATER]

### Our waste water treatment system since April 2020



### **EXPLANATION OF THE ABOVE CHART**

01

Our facility's raw wastewater goes through our pre-treatment plant before entering the central treatment plant. After this stage, both wastewater and sludge pass the ZDHC standard test. 02

During the pre-treatment process, sludge, a solid by-product, will occur. A waste processing company collect the sludge and transform it into ingredients and energy for a cement factory.

03

The final wastewater treatment happens at the central or common effluent processing plant (Vinh Loc Industrial Zone) 04

Once the process is complete, the plant releases the water directly into the environment.



## [CHEMICALS]

## **Chemical Certifications and Requirements**

For any chemicals used at our facility, our suppliers must submit all necessary certifications and Material Safety Data Sheets (MSDS) files, which serves to showcase all chemical ingredients contained. This process prevents the use of any harmful substances.

We refer to the Zero Discharge of Hazardous Chemicals (ZDHC) and OEKO-TEX requirements. The ZDHC is a group consisting of brands and retailers working towards a zero discharge of hazardous chemicals.





## **OUR [ACHIEVEMENTS] SO FAR**



#### CHEMICAL DISPOSAL

We work closely with an environment solution company that guarantees the safe removal of hazardous materials and sludge from our internal water waste system.



### **TESTING OUR WASTEWATER**

We test our wastewater every
quarter to to ensure that we meet
local compliance requirements.
Besides, every six months, a ZDHC
standard test is carried out.



#### **ECO-FRIENDLY DYE**

We are working with a natural dyeing supplier in Vietnam. The color palette is limited compared to artificial dyes, but it's 100% non-toxic and 100% natural.



#### **ECO-FRIENDLY PRINTING INKS**

We are actively working with ink suppliers to innovate and produce non-toxic chemical discharge formulas that maintain the same level of quality, durability, and procedure.

## [CHEMICALS FUTURE]

### **Chemical Certifications and Requirements**

It's not sustainable if it's not all-emcompassing. Our goal is to remove all harmful substances from our processes and ensure that by the end of 2024, all of our supply chain will comply with the ZDHC MRSL 2.0 standard 100%. To achieve this, we will collaborate with our stakeholders and make them accountable for their responsibilities.

### **CERTIFICATION BODIES**

We will require our suppliers to update their internal systems so chemical formulators can check for newly added substances.

### **CHEMICAL FORMULATORS**

We will require the removal of nonconformant chemical products from our catalogue and develop alternatives. Catalogue will be certified using the ZDHC MRSL V2.0 and uploaded onto Gateway.

### **FACILITIES (UA)**

We will check chemical inventories and communicate with our suppliers about our ZDHC MRSL adaptation. This will guarantee the purchase

### **BRANDS/RETAILERS**

We will inform our suppliers and their supply chains about transitioning to ZDHC MRSL V2.0.

## WHAT WE ARE [PUSHING FOR] IN THE FUTURE



## TRANSPARENCY IN OUR CHEMICAL DISPOSAL

We're making it our responsibility to know more about the treatment and release of our chemical waste.



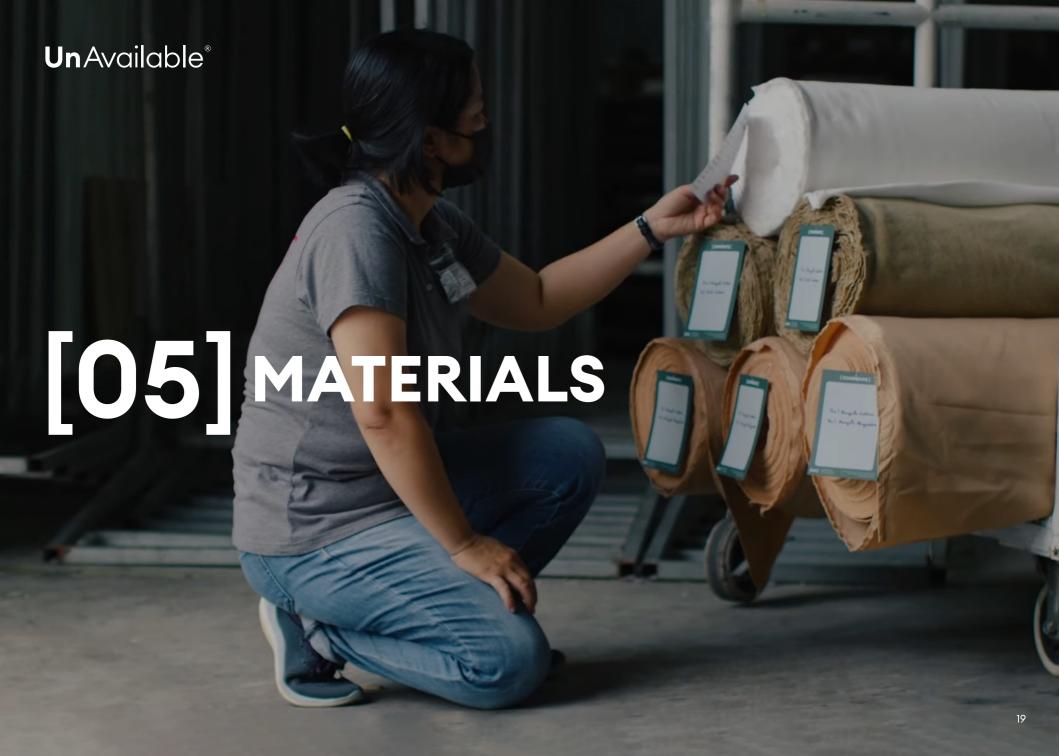
#### **ALTERNATIVE RESOURCES**

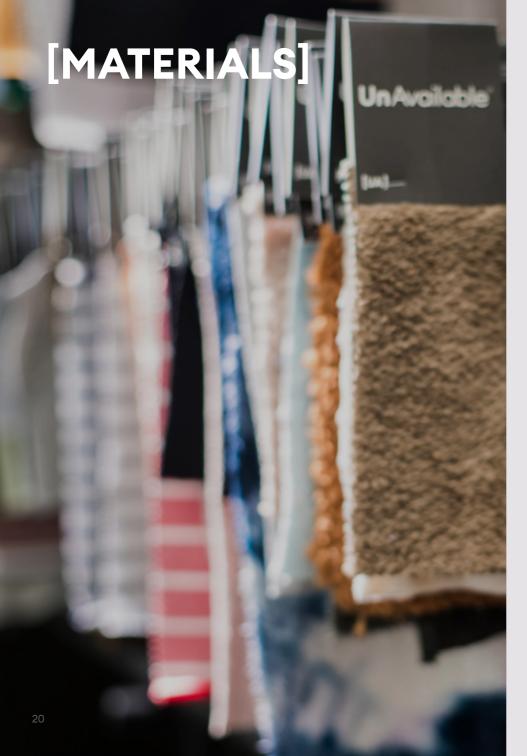
We will continue to invest in our R&D and source more environmentally friendly alternatives.



#### **ZDHC MRSL 2.0 COMPLIANCE**

We are striving to make sure our supply chain complies 100% with the MRSL 2.0 by the end of 2024.



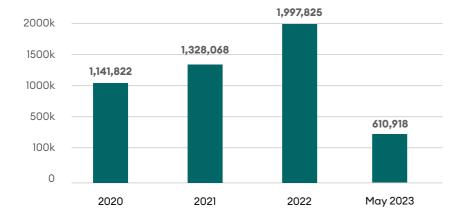


A crucial aspect of our sustainability strategy is the comprehensive evaluation and refinement of our supply chain. This process begins with the procurement of eco-friendly materials, including recycled, natural, and organic fabrics. Our commitment extends beyond sourcing, as we diligently adhere to the principles of reduction, reuse, recycling, and upcycling to minimize material waste.

## [MATERIALS]

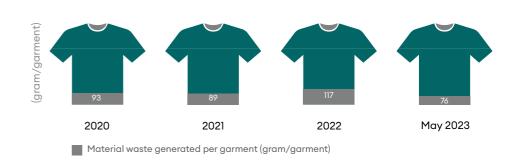
Total garments produced in 2020 - May 2023

## [1] 610,918 pcs



### Material waste generated per garment in 2020 - May 2023





## **OUR [ACHIEVEMENTS] SO FAR**



#### PRODUCT PROCESS SCORING SYSTEM

We developed a scoring system to help identify the environmental impact of each process required to produce a garment. With it, we can review our actions and products to identify areas for improvement system.



### **GOTS-CERTIFIED MATERIALS**

We source GOTS-certified fabrics, crafted with organic fibers and devoid of harmful substances such as toxic heavy metals and aromatic solvents. These fabrics are produced through environmentally and socially conscious processes, ensuring sustainability and quality.



### **RECYCLED COTTON**

Our recycled is inspected and assessed by Global Recycled Standard and Recycled Claim Standard. The cotton sources are faulty yarns, fabrics, finished products and wasted materials during production process.



### **NATURAL FIBER FABRICS**

We worked with our suppliers to source eco-friendly fabrics made from linen, hemp, bamboo, and coffee grounds.

## [MATERIALS]

## **Circularity Approach**

## **A Circular Fashion Economy**

At Un-Available, our goal is to create a business model based on a circular economy, which aims to create value at every step of the production process.

## 233,449 To achieve this, we will work with our suppliers to focus on the reusability of raw materials and products. 1,432 106,842 118,170 44,860 **RAW MATERIALS** Ultimately phase out completely 2020 2021 2022 May 2023 Upcycled wasted fabric (kilogram) Recycled wasted fabric (kilogram) SCULAR DESIGN ARPOIL Our commitment to Circular Economy principles is evidenced by our company-wide effort to recycle 100% of fabric waste. Since 2022, we've been upcycling used materials, PRODUCI and have transformed 3% of our fabric waste into new and innovative products. USE Rent Reuse Repair Redesign Resell Source: commonobjectives.co

Materials recycling in 2020 - May 2023

2,500

## [MATERIALS FUTURE]

## **Cotton Traceability**

Committed to providing our clients with full transparency, we are looking into partnering with Good Earth Cotton® (GEC).

Good Earth Cotton® (GEC) is a cotton initiative committed to sustainability, ethical farming practices, and innovative traceability solutions. One of these solutions is

FibreTrace® technology, which combines physical and digital tracking methods with blockchain verification to provide a cutting-edge system for tracking cotton from farm to finished product.





## WHAT WE ARE [PUSHING FOR] IN THE FUTURE

### **QUALITY, LONGEVITY & SUSTAINABILITY**

We prioritize providing products that are premium in quality and longevity. By sourcing and developing sustainable materials that last, we ensure our garments will endure for generations to come.

#### **RECYCLING & UPCYCLING**

Our **Recycling** efforts involve a mono-material approach in garment design to ensure full recyclability. We also collaborate with suppliers to transform excess fabrics into recycled yarn for new clothes, promoting circularity.

For **Upcycling**, we'll explore various upcycling methods that take scrap materials and turn them into something new.

#### **TRACEABILITY**

We strongly believe that the transparent supply chain of **Good Earth Cotton®** will give consumers peace of mind, as they can easily confirm the legitimacy of their purchase, which is essential for building trust between consumers and businesses.



## [PLASTIC]

## Plastic recycled by UA in 2020 - May 2023





2021





2020

2022 May 2023

At UA, most of plastic waste results from supplier's deliveries. While working with them to develop more eco-friendly solutions, we reuse the plastics bags for internal storage, from fabric, panels, to garments. After internal use, the plastic waste that is not broken and deteriorated is transported to a recycling facility.

## **OUR [ACHIEVEMENTS] SO FAR**



#### **BANNED SINGLE-USE PLASTIC**

In September 2020, we completely banned single-use plastics from being brought into our facility.



#### **ZERO WASTE CAFE**

Also in 2020, we established two cafeterias, ensuring that all kitchenware and serving equipment are free from single use plastic.



#### **FABRIC BAGS NOT POLY BAGS**

We have launched reusable fabric bags to eliminate the use of plastic for internal storage. Our objective is to collaborate with our suppliers to ensure that all materials delivered to our facility are free from plastic packaging.



#### **GREEN PACKAGING**

The Eco Garment Bag – the culmination of our 2 year research – is made from Aquapak's Hydropol™, a specially engineered material used to create a range of packaging products that are marine-safe, compostable, recyclable and biodegradable in 12 months if ending up in landfill.

## [PLASTIC FUTURE]

## Zero plastic supply chain

In addition to our internal efforts to reduce plastic consumption and waste, we've also collaborated with our partners and suppliers.



Our goal in 2023 is to work with, give support to and require our suppliers to look for eco-friendly packaging alternatives, aiming to bring the plastic use in deliveries down to 20%.

## WHAT WE ARE [PUSHING FOR] IN THE FUTURE



#### SUSTAINABLE PACKAGING WITHIN OUR SUPPLY CHAIN

We mandate that our suppliers utilize non-plastic packaging for all deliveries. Recognizing that this is a collaborative effort, we are actively working with them to identify additional eco-friendly solutions.



#### **ECO-FRIENDLY PACKAGING FOR CLIENTS**

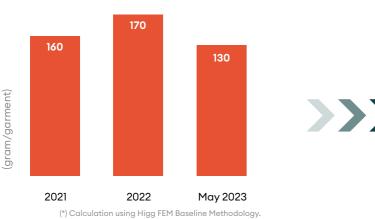
Apart from our current sustainable garment bag offering, we are committed to expanding our range of environmentally-friendly packaging options to cater to the diverse needs of our clients.



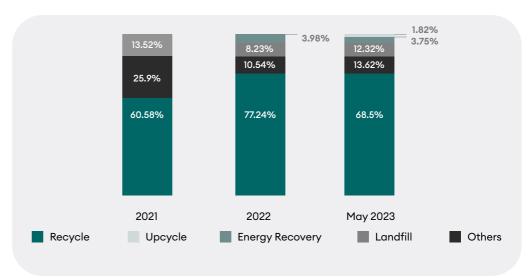
## [OUR RECYCLING]

## Amount of waste generated per garment(\*)

## [ iii] 130g/garment



### Break down of our waste treatment methods



In an effort to address the significant amount of waste produced during production, we take a proactive approach by implementing eco-friendly waste treatment methods. Specifically, we prioritize reducing landfill use, minimizing incineration, and increasing upcycling, recycling, and energy recovery efforts.

## **OUR [ACHIEVEMENTS] SO FAR**



#### **BUILDING THE RIGHT MINDSET**

We trained our team on waste segregation and used visual signs for effective communication. It's now part of our 6S auditing checklist for compliance.



#### **INVESTING IN TECHNOLOGY**

In 2022, we invested in a sludge dewatering machine, an innovative solution that decreases sludge waste weight and odor compared to traditional drying processes.

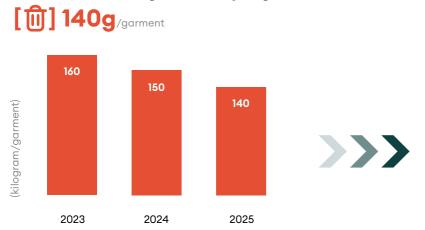


#### **ECOCYCLE WASTE TREATMENT**

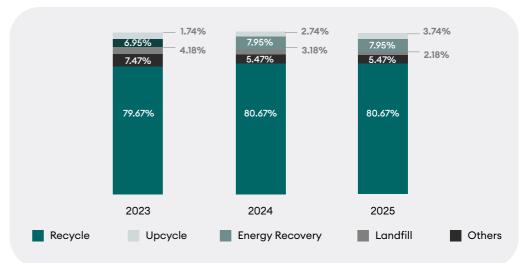
Through working with suppliers who employ plannet forward methods, we have managed to recycle, reuse and upcycle waste while reducing landfill and incineration.

## [OUR RECYCLING FUTURE]

## Amount of waste generated per garment



### Break down of our waste treatment methods



In terms of the amount of waste generated during the production of garments,

our goal is to achieve an 15 % reduction by 2025, compared to the current levels in 2022. Over the next two years, we're committed to keeping incineration out of the picture and drastically reducing landfill to a mere 2.2% by 2025. Our eco-friendly treatments will be the primary method, accounting for 92.4% of our efforts through recycling, upcycling, and energy recovery.

## WHAT WE ARE [PUSHING FOR] IN THE FUTURE



#### **EVALUATING WASTE TREATMENT PARTNERS**

We will carry out regular assessments to ensure all treatment facilities meet our expectations and follow the procedures we agree upon.



#### **SWITCHING TO ENERGY RECOVERY METHOD**

By the end of 2024, we pledge to revolutionize our waste processing methods, including those for plastics, by adopting energy recovery approaches. This transformation will ensure that all waste is converted into alternative energy forms.



# [SUPPLY CHAIN]

## Breakdown of our suppliers based on certifications

\* Data from 2022

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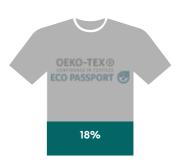


**Fabric Suppliers** 

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**OEKO-TEX Certified** 



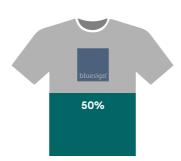
Subcontractors

Higg-FEM Certified



**Trim Suppliers** 

Bluesign Certified



**Chemical Suppliers** 

ZDHC MRSL, RSL Certified



## [SUPPLY CHAIN]

## Our current supplier onboarding process

















1. Potential new supplier

2. Supplier Screening

3. Supplier Assessment

4. Supplier Commitment

5. Annual Follow-Up

## **OUR [ACHIEVEMENTS] SO FAR**

Technical quality is crucial in our supplier selection process, but equally important is a supplier's commitment to sustainability, including social compliance and environmental protection efforts. As part of our ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management System, we have devised a comprehensive checklist for evaluating every potential supplier. Our outlined process guarantees that new applicants align with our objectives and adhere to our business practices. Upon completing the rigorous auditing process, we confidently onboard new suppliers, knowing our supply chain is in capable and responsible hands.

Currently, **76%** of our major suppliers possess at least one industry-standard compliance certification. Importantly, **all of them** have signed a commitment to actively pursue sustainable goals and attain the highest international standards, with clearly defined timelines for achieving these objectives.

## [SUPPLY CHAIN FUTURE]











## [FAIR CONDITIONS]





### [CHEMICAL CONTROLS]







## [OVERALL STANDARDS]







## WHAT WE ARE [PUSHING FOR] IN THE FUTURE

2023







Evaluating all current suppliers, ensuring 50% comply with the industry standard for environmental and social accountability



2024

Ensuring 100% of our supply chain is fully certified, complying with the industry standards.



Ensuring 100% of our supply chain has the highest international standard.

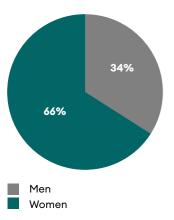
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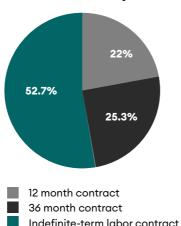


## [PEOPLE]

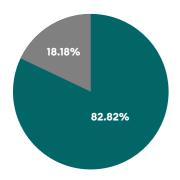
### **Gender distribution**



## Job security



## **Employee satisfaction**

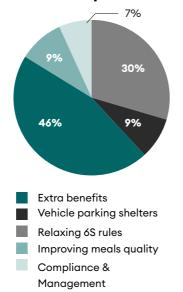


UA employees who are satisfied with:

Company's brand Working environment Training & self development Benefits Management

Other opinions

## **Areas of improvement**



## **OUR [ACHIEVEMENTS] SO FAR**



#### **EMPLOYEES SATISFACTION SURVEY**

Starting from 2022, we have been conducting Employee Satisfaction Surveys to gauge our employees' contentment level, pinpoint areas where they are satisfied or dissatisfied with their job or the company.

Our 2022 result was 82%. Through our efforts on "Areas of improvement" we anticipate a 2-3% increase, meeting our target of 85% employee satisfaction by the end of 2023."



#### **TRAINING**

Investing in our teams leads to not just individual triumphs but also drives our company's success. In 2022, we crafted a holistic training approach for both factory and office departments, focusing on three core areas: standard operating procedures, functional skill development, and soft skill enhancement. As we wrapped up Q4, our yearly attendance rate stands at 91.5%, with a completion rate of 98% of the whole master plan. Furthermore, the average training hours per person reached 37.8 hours.



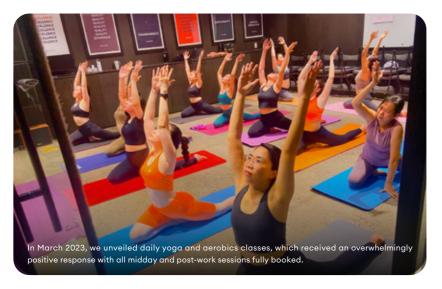
#### **TEAMBUILDING**

By reducing stress and fostering trust, we pave the way for stronger collaborations. Department-level bonding events occur every quarter, while company-wide gatherings take place 2-3 times per year.

What makes our team-building events even more special is our partnership with local NGOs. Through co-organized trips, we not only bring our people together but also raise their awareness about pressing social and environmental issues. This unique approach to team building ensures that we create memorable experiences while contributing positively to our community.

## [PEOPLE]





## **OUR [ACHIEVEMENTS] SO FAR**



#### **ENERGIZING BODY & MIND**

In 2022-2023, we rolled out an exciting mix of indoor and outdoor activities designed to boost overall wellness and spark dynamic connections across departments. We also aim to enlighten our workforce on key health issues by hosting an engaging series of workshops led by doctors and health specialists. From reproductive health to early cancer detection and stroke prevention, we're committed to empowering our team with knowledge for a healthy life.



#### MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

An efficient HR management system goes beyond streamlining operations – it also boosts employee satisfaction by providing clarity on their tasks. In 2023, we persistently refined our organizational chart and job description systems across all departments. As a result, we've successfully improved our working procedures in alignment with the ISO 9001:2015 standard.



#### **SOCIAL COMPLIANCE**

Working hand-in-hand with our sustainability team, our HR department has made considerable strides in ensuring our people are treated fairly, adhering to industry standards, and meeting the expectations of our global clientele. We're delighted that our diligent efforts have been acknowledged by prestigious organizations such as SA:8000, Universal, and Nike in 2022, as evidenced by numerous audits. This recognition underscores our unwavering commitment to employee well-being and exceptional business practices.

# [PEOPLE]





At Un-Available, people are our passion. They are the driving force behind our company. By investing in growing our culture and providing a breath of new opportunities, we ensure a nurturing environment for our teams.



























## WHAT WE ARE [PUSHING FOR] IN THE FUTURE



#### CHARTING SUCCESS AND BOOSTING BENEFITS

Our commitment to enhancing organizational charts ensures a well-structured company where employees can clearly envision their career paths at UA. By continually evaluating the labor market, we're dedicated to providing our team with an attractive benefits package that keeps them motivated and satisfied.



#### PROMOTING WELL-BEING

We're excited to introduce more health programs, engaging both male and female team members. As we grow, we remain focused on employee satisfaction, striving to make UA a truly enjoyable and efficient work environment. Our annual Happiness Index will keep us accountable, ensuring we consistently outperform previous scores.



#### **ADVANCED TRAINING**

With basic training in place, we'll concentrate on advanced training to enhance both hard and soft skills, cultivating an elite and highly motivated workforce. Our ambitious goal is a four-day workweek by 2026.



#### **EXPANDING COMMUNITY IMPACT**

Our dedication to community impact extends beyond just financial assistance to local NGOs. We aim to actively involve our teams in various community initiatives, fostering a culture of altruism and connection within UA. Together, we can make a difference in the communities we serve.

## [COMMUNITY]



Over the past three years, we've been dedicated to making a difference in the lives of those less fortunate, working closely with NGOs like Newborns Vietnam and Bamboo Bridge. Our focus has been on supporting vulnerable groups, including orphaned and abused children and women.

Our approach to providing care is a blend of financial assistance, fundraising efforts, clothing donations, and hands-on involvement.

We are also passionate about environmental preservation and extend our support beyond mere funding. Our team actively takes part in events that broaden their understanding of environmental issues and inspire a deeper commitment to change. Our collaboration with Gaia Nature Conservation on a tree planting event is a prime example of this dedication.







## [COMMUNITY]











## **OUR [ACHIEVEMENTS] SO FAR**



#### **NEWBORNS VIETNAM**

We are proud to continue our partnership with Newborns Vietnam (newbornsvietnam.org), an exceptional organization led by Ms. Suzanna Lubran. Through fundraising and grassroots initiatives, they reach out to low-income communities, providing essential medical equipment and training to reduce infant mortality and save precious lives. Our contributions include donating thousands of clothes and sponsoring their impactful work.



#### **BAMBOO BRIDGE**

Bamboo Bridge (bamboobridgevn.com) is a dedicated non-profit organization committed to offering opportunities, training, and support to disadvantaged individuals in Ho Chi Minh City. Our ongoing support for this commendable cause includes fundraising efforts and regular financial contributions.



#### **GAIA NATURE CONSERVATION**

Gaia is a non-profit organization in Vietnam, devoted to empowering individuals through their nature preservation initiatives. In the summer of 2022, we actively participated in a hands-on tree planting event, joining forces with 7 other likeminded companies. Together, we successfully planted 8,500 indigenous trees, contributing to the restoration of 17 hectares of degraded forest within the Dong Nai Cultural and Nature Reserve. This collaborative effort exemplified our commitment to fostering environmental stewardship and nurturing a sustainable future for generations to come.





In 2022, despite a challenging macro landscape filled with risk and uncertainty, the Un-Available team's dedication to sustainability remained unchanged and guided us through these turbulent times. As consumers tightened their budgets and looked for more value for their money, market demand shifted towards high-quality, uniquely designed products and away from fast fashion. Our ecoconscious approach has experienced an increased appreciation, leading to significant growth and an expanding client base. Seizing this opportunity, we further invested and reached for new heights in sustainable innovation.

Among our most significant accomplishments, we implemented environmentally responsible waste management practices, substantially reducing our greenhouse gas emissions. We are also proud to have achieved full compliance with industry social and environmental standards, surpassing our previous year's index values. This dedication to sustainability has enabled us to maintain certifications and successfully pass numerous client audits. However, our most treasured achievement in 2022 has been the impact on our people. We fostered a positive environment through health-focused programs and community engagement initiatives, encouraging our team members to grow with purpose and unity.

As we look ahead to the end of 2023, Un-Available has ambitious expansion plans, alongside a steadfast commitment to pushing the boundaries of sustainability further. Our top priority is to increase renewable energy consumption, with a goal of achieving 100% solar panel roof coverage. Additionally, we aim to involve all teams in sustainability activities and integrate urgent environmental topics into our training programs. Our third objective, while challenging, is to encourage our suppliers to adopt higher industry compliance standards, as we believe true sustainability must be all-encompassing. Furthermore, we will devote more effort to sourcing eco-friendly materials, chemicals, and treatments.

By striving on all fronts, we aspire to rank among the top 100 sustainable companies in Vietnam on the Corporate Sustainable Development Index (CSI). While this ambitious goal presents its own set of challenges, our dedicated team wholeheartedly embraces the pursuit. To us, the most crucial aspect of achieving this goal is to continuously improve ourselves every day, and to create a more significant impact together as a team.



#### **ENERGY**

2023 Solar panel roof coverage at 100% More greenery

2025 Reducing energy consumption by 25% in 2025 compared with 2022

### WATER

2023 Redesigning the cleaning area & process in our printing department to consume less water

Reusing treated wastewater for toilet use

**2025** Reusing treated wastewater for production

Starting to use rainwater for landscaping and cleaning in 2024

### **CHEMICALS**

2023 Continuing to invest in R&D for more eco-friendly alternatives

2024 100% compiance with ZDHC MRSL 2.0 within our supply chain

### **SUPPLY CHAIN**

2023 50% compliance with the industry standards for environmental and social accountability

2024 100% compliance with the industry standards for environmental and social accountability

2025 100% has the highest international standards

#### PLASTIC

2023 Pushing for sustainable packaging within our supply chain

Developing more eco-friendly packaging alternatives

#### **WASTE MANAGEMENT**

2023 Ensuring all waste treatment processed are being followed and reported accurately

2024 Switching to the energy recovery method completely

### **MATERIALS**

2023 Continuing to broaden our offer of sustainable materials

Diversifying recycling and upcycling methods

Proving full transparency in material origins, powered by blockchain technology

### **PEOPLE**

2023 Enhancing the organizational chart
Further improving benefit package
Further promoting well-being
increase 2-3% employee satisfaction
Expanding community impact
through more hands-on support

2026 Advancing training to cultivate an elite workforce with a four-day workweek by 2026



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