



EU General Product Safety Regulation (GPSR) technical documentation (under Article 9) Product compliance documentation

Brand: **Earth Positive**®

1. General description of the product

Tote Bags (HS code 4202 92 91) in various styles, of:

Woven fabric
100% organic cotton or 50% recycled cotton / 50% organic cotton
Reactive dyed
Sizing: One Size
Made in India

2. Essential characteristics relevant for assessing its safety

Fibre composition, production inputs, manufacturing processes, usage and disposal

3. Analysis of the possible risks related to the product

- Harmful chemicals (residuals)
- Broken needles and sharp objects
- Fabric and trims flammability
- Press button closures

4. Solutions adopted to eliminate or mitigate such risks, including the outcome of any reports related to tests conducted by the manufacturer or by another party on our behalf

- Compliance with applicable European norms and standards
- Press Button Closures are covered under Standard 100 by Oeko-Tex for textiles & accessories tested for harmful substances (certified article is harmless to human health)
- All products pass through metal detectors to ensure absence of any unintentional metal objects; coupled with strictly documented broken-needle procedures in production
- No metal staples or fasteners used in packaging
- Regular periodic testing relevant to the product type and risk assessment, carried out in house at manufacturing facilities, at receiving warehouse, and by 3rd party testing labs Intertek and SGS



- Identification and full traceability of product by production batch number and style number shown on label permanently affixed to product and on inner and outer packaging
- Company name and address stated on product label
- Fibre composition and care instructions stated on product label, including, where applicable, warning: keep away from fire
- Certification documents for relevant standards are displayed on brand website product pages at point of sale. These are renewed annually by accredited certification bodies.

5. List of any relevant European standards

- Regulation (EU) No 1007/2011 on textile fibre names and related labelling and marking of the fibre composition of textile products
- Standard 100 by Oeko-Tex for textiles tested for harmful substances (certified article is harmless to human health)
- Global Organic Textile Standard, recognized as the world's leading processing standard for textiles made from organic fibres; defines high-level environmental criteria along the entire organic textiles supply chain and requires compliance with social criteria as well
- Regulation (EU) 2023/988 of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 May 2023 on general product safety

6. Warnings

KEEP AWAY FROM FIRE

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