



GUESS¹ RESPONSIBLE SOURCING - POLICY ON CELLULOSIC FABRICS 2018

In recognition that cellulosic fibers in certain rayon/viscose, modal, lyocell fabric may be linked to the rapid deforestation of the World's ancient and endangered forests, as well as human rights abuses, Guess has created a policy and implementation plan to ensure ethical sourcing of such materials.

To accomplish this, we will systematically track the use of our fabric materials and work with our supply chain partners by doing the following:

- 1) Assess our existing use of cellulose-based fabrics and work to eliminate any cellulosic fabrics² from currently endangered species habitat and ancient and endangered forest areas (ie. Canadian and Russian Boreal Forests; Coastal Temperate Rainforests, tropical forests and peatlands of Indonesia, the Amazon Basin and West Africa.) We will also work to avoid viscose yarn linked to the violation of human rights of the indigenous or local communities of these forests.
- 2) Should we find that any of our fabrics are being sourced from sources as described above, we will educate and engage with our suppliers to change practices and/or re-evaluate our relationship with them.
- 3) We will communicate our policy with relevant stakeholders, undertake verification measures, as well as report progress in our biannual sustainability reports.

¹Policy pertains to directly-sourced products by Guess?, Inc. and its applicable, wholly-owned and operated subsidiaries.

²Implementation efforts will take a phased approach, starting with business partners with whom we have direct relationships and the ability to influence.