

GINETEX



THE INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR TEXTILE CARE LABELLING COMPETENCE CENTRE

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Our Offer	Your Benefit	Your Benefit
Trademark Protection	Registration of the care symbol order in over 50 countries.	Correct use and application of the care symbols is guaranteed on a transnational level.
Technical Booklet	Introduction 1963 - working out and continuous development of a worldwide care labelling	Labelling via care symbols is independent of languages, easy to apply and to understand.
	system on a voluntary basis. Adaptation on technical, ecological and legal development.	Secured and controllable through international standards. National and international trade
		mark registration of the care symbols.
Board	Consisting of all country member organisations.	Voice in all matters concerning textile labelling. Exchange of first-hand information and devel-
		opment of changes in legal regulations worldwide.
Technical Committee	Input of technical knowhow by country member organisations.	Processing and coordination of technical questions. Adaptation on technical development.
		Working out of solution approaches for problems on an international level.
Legal and regulation services	National and international legal and regulation knowledge.	Consultation services on textile care labelling in regards to specific legislation and regulation
		on main markets, open to Global Partners and National Committees.
Environment Protection	Launch of the clevercare.info logo. An instrument for sustainable care of textiles. All the infor-	All information and tips for sustainable textile care can be found on www.clevercare.info.
	mation available on a separate website.	
Standardisation Organisation ISO and CEN	Representatives in the respective working groups of the standardisation organisations on a	Implementation of the GINETEX system as basis for the international standards. Cutback in
	national and international level. Influencing the development of the respective standards. Draft	trade barriers and facilitation for the cross-border trade. Countries, e.g. Japan, adopt the GINETEX
	and presentation of solution approaches.	care symbol system.
EU Parliament/IMCO	Petitions and lobbying for up keeping the care labelling on a voluntary basis.	Textile industry saves massive financial and administrative expenditures.
Brochures and Documentation	Development of presentations and documentations for producers, trade, consumers, schools	All documentation are revised continuously and are available for all members, producers and
	etc. as part of the European research project "lifelong learning" Leonardo da Vinci.	other parties of the textile chain. European wide harmonised information for consumers.
Internet and new Media	Development of respective documentation and websites for the mentioned media. Creation of	All information can be easily and clearly found on www.ginetex.net. To be downloaded under
	an app for smartphones.	"care symbols", containing all relevant information about caring for textiles.