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Onboarding partners, rules for collaboration and data management, role of physical markers

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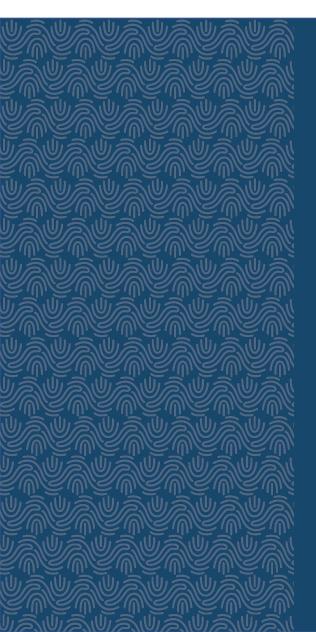












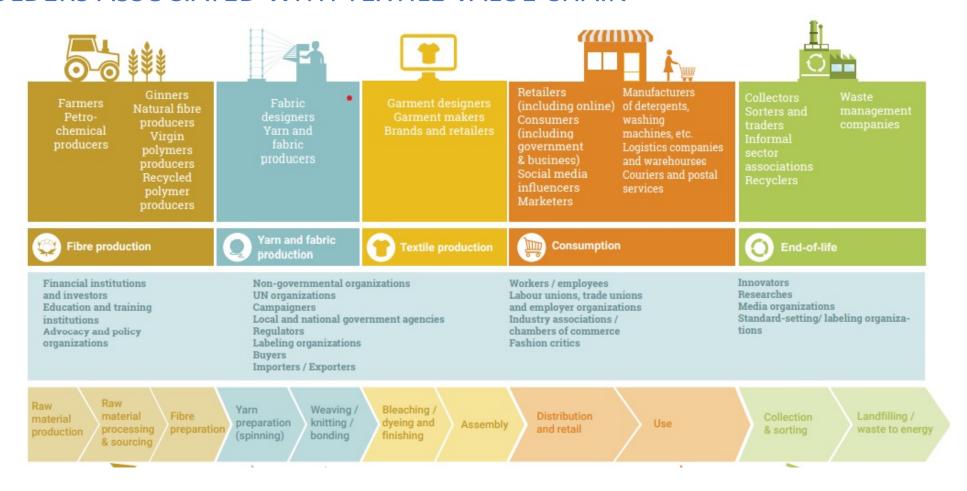
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### Onboarding partners

#### STAKEHOLDERS ASSOCIATED WITH TEXTILE VALUE CHAIN



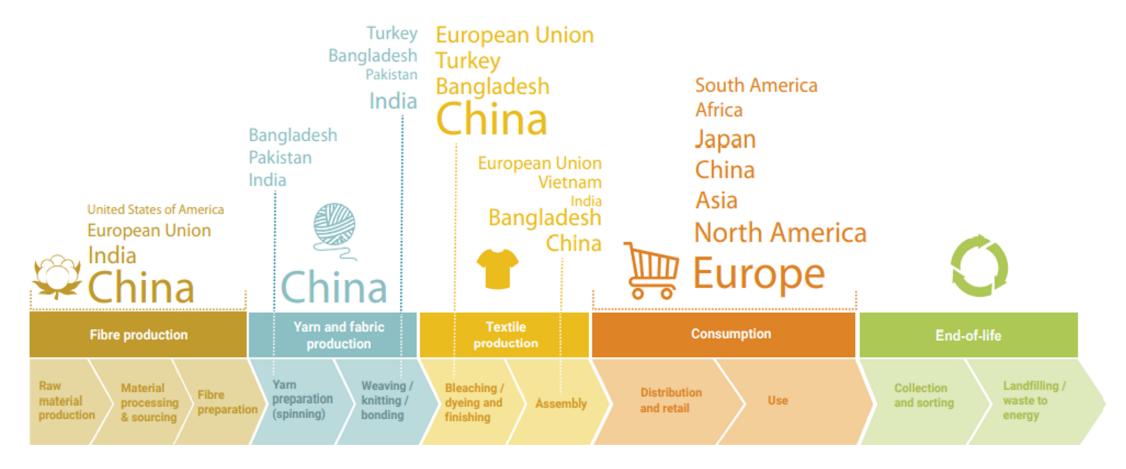
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## Onboarding partners

#### GEOGRAPHICAL BREAKDOWN OF GLOBAL APPAREL PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION



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Rules for collaboration and data management

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Claudia Di Bernardino, UNECE Project Expert

## FRAMEWORK OF COOPERATION Why is needed?



To Define and Organize the Collaboration

To Understand What, How and Why Data Are Collected

To Protect the Sharing of Data to Manage and Coordinate the Entire Community





#### AREAS OF COOPERATION

Identifying the Sustainability Claims and Key Data Entities to be Collected and Exchanged

Selecting Relevant Products and Materials, Value Chain Actors

Sharing Traceability and Transparency Information

Showing the Sustainability Performance of Products, Processes and Facilities

Undertaking and Fostering Collaboration between Relevant Value Chain Actors





#### ORGANIZATION OF THE COOPERATION

Guidance and Technical Advice on the Implementation of the Pilots Activities

UNECE – UN/CEFACT Approach and Standard for Collection and Exchange of Traceability and Transparency Information

Access to the Blockchain Solution for Collection and Exchange of Traceability and Transparency
Information

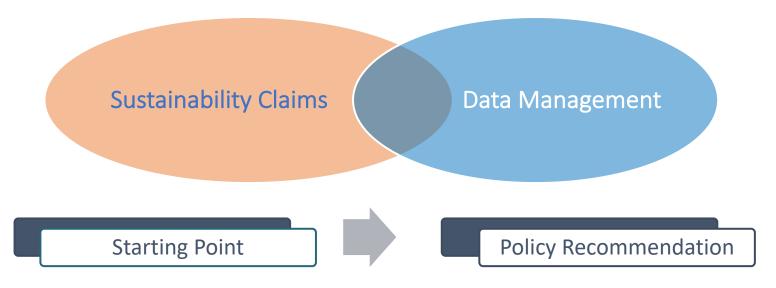
Meetings, Workshops and Training on the UNECE – UN/CEFACT traceability and Transparency Approach and Standard, and Pilot Activities

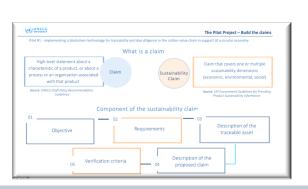
Proof of Concept to Present the Outcomes of the Pilots and activities to promote findings and lessons learned

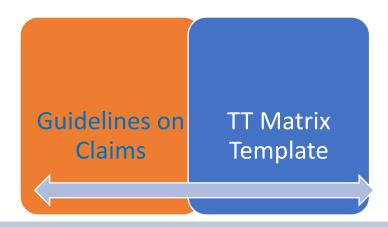


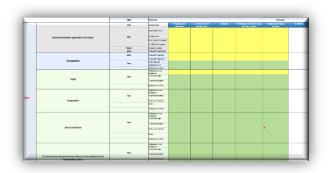


#### TOOLS FOR THE COOPERATION





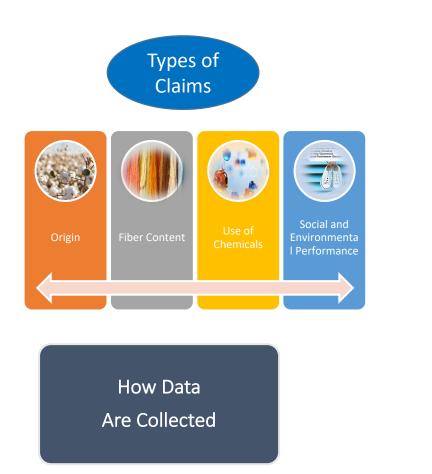


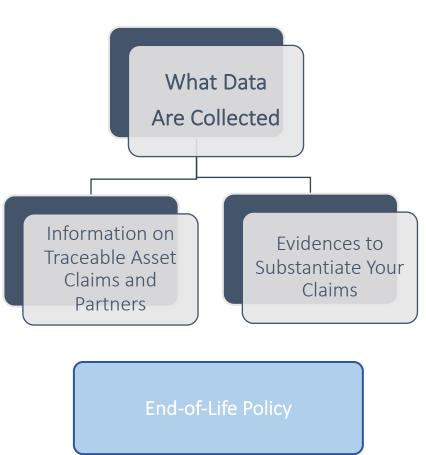


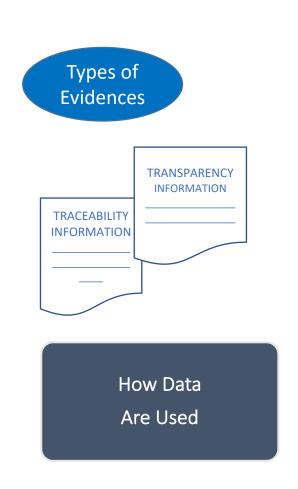




#### THE SOLUTION DEVELOPED WIHTIN THE PILOT PROJECT: THE RULES BOOK























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#### **Role of physical markers**

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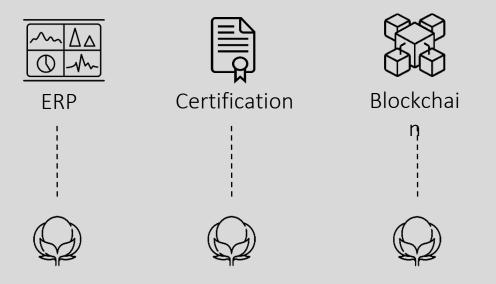
Gediminas Mikutis, Chief Technology Officer, Haelixa Piera Francesca Solinas, UNECE Project Expert

## Physical vs digital traceability



Blockchain stores information in a reliable way but lacks connection to the physical item itself.

Physical markers are necessary to ensure that fiber, yarn, or fabric does not get mixed or exchanged throughout different processing steps.



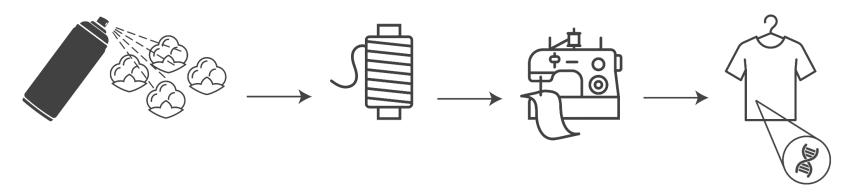




#### DNA-based markers to physically trace textiles

- 1. MARK fibers with unique DNA-based markers at a gin or a spinning mill, giving the product a unique identity corresponding to claims (origin, quality, sustainability criteria)
- 2. VERIFY at any node of the supply chain to connect the physical product to the digital claim associated with the DNA marker

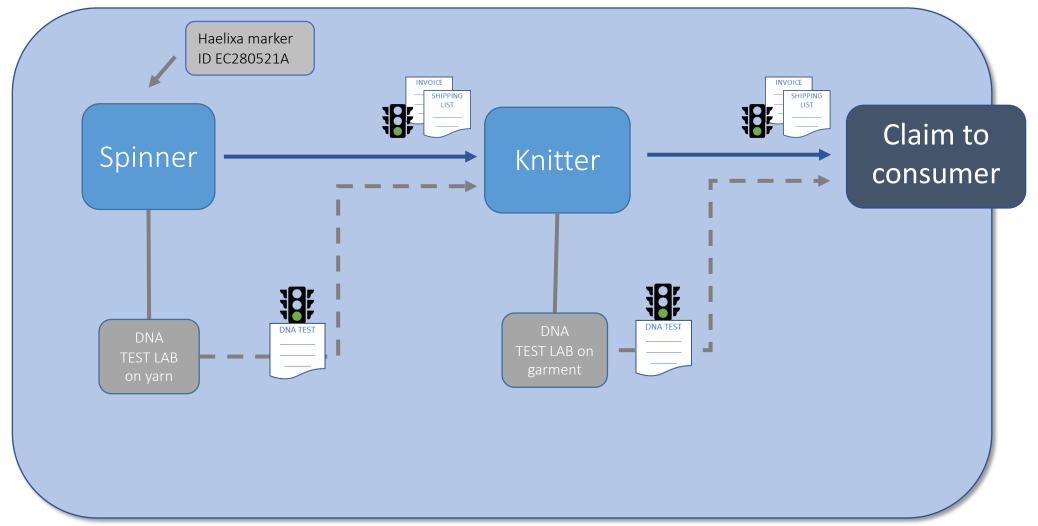








## CLAIM ON FIBER ORIGIN TRACED WITH PHYSICAL MARKER: the industry experience in the cotton pilot







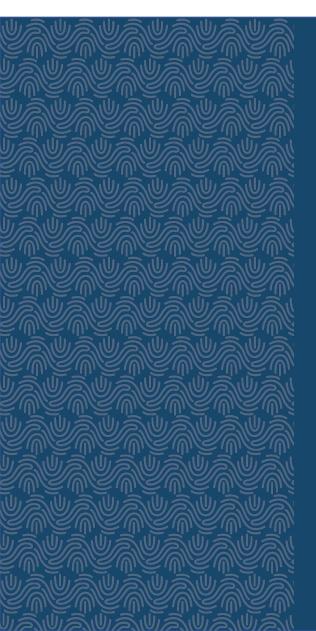












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#### The industry perspective

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Enrico Marzoli, Vice President FILMAR S.p.A.

### Onboarding partners

## Questions to Filmar and audience

- Onboarding partners is key to start working and devoloping corporate strategies and action plans for TT. But, how challanging was it (or you think it will be) for your company?
- 1. How do you see the future of Blockchain for textile fashion industry?





## Key Takeway



Onboarding value chain partners for TT is easier if started by a pull action from brands and retailers





## Key Takeway



Develop and Implement
a Framework of Cooperation and Understanding
to facilitate business relations and analysis, using and
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## Key Takeway



Integrate physical and digital traceability captured on a BC platform to create opportunities to prove origin of raw materials also in circular production processes





## Q&A



















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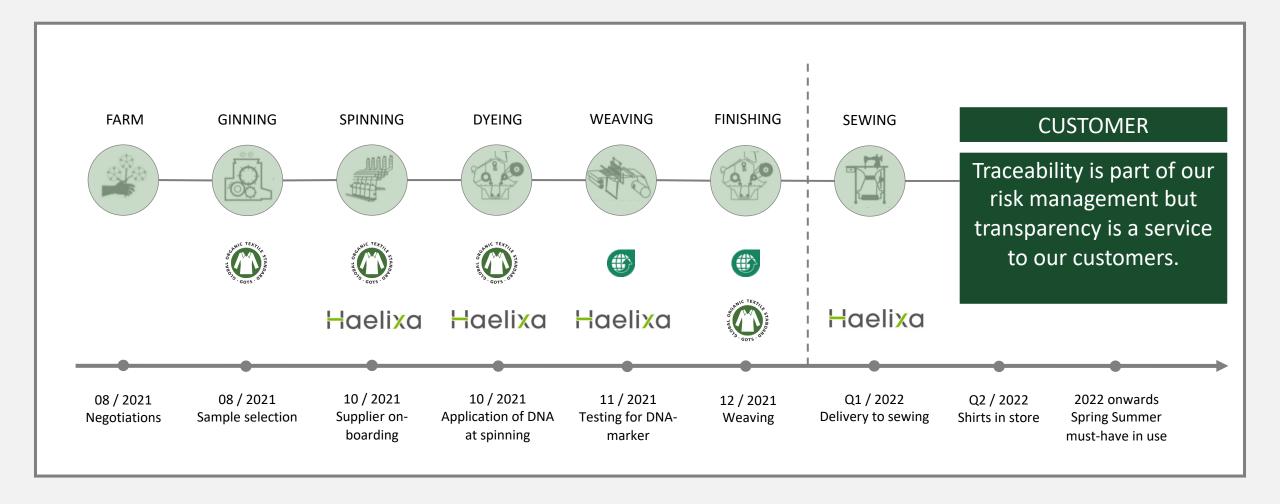
## WHERE WE ARE COMING FROM

Weba is a producer of high quality and low impact shirting fabric.

- We have been in the blockchain project since the beginning.
- We completed a pilot project with Haelixa's DNA-marker.
- We are in a pilot project combining both tools, right now.



#### SUPPLY CHAIN & PROJECT TIMELINE











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