

# Manifattura Testori

## History and Numbers



Founded in 1904 near Milan, Manifattura Testori has brought to life many ambitious and important projects, taking Italian taste and craftsmanship around the world right from the beginning of the 20th century.

In the historical site of Novate Milanese, still today the operating headquarters of the company, in the first decades of the past century, production concentrated on fabrics for interior furnishings and, later, on those for railways such as the ones for the Orient Express, and for cruise ships, such as the ones for the Andrea Doria.

Then, between the 1950s and 1960s, Testori began working also with the aviation sector, firstly with Air France and Alitalia and later with the other world leading airlines.

### Our Numbers

- 50% export quota
- Presence in 51 countries
- 330,000 metres of fabric capacity per year
- 100% made in Italy
- >9,000 articles
- 0-7 lead time weeks

### Our Sustainable Approach

Manifattura Testori is committed to developing sustainable product characteristics, production and work environment.

### Product Characteristics

- Traditional focus on durability of our textile collections

- REACH-compliant raw materials and finishing
- Oekotex and GRS-certified raw materials
- Curtain and seat fabrics with recycled fibres that are also recyclable at their end of life

### Production

- 100% production selvages recycling
- Energy consumption reduction and water management
- Recycled product packaging

### Work Environment

- 57% women employees
- High worker retention

## Recycled FR Polyester Yarns

Obtained from post-consumer recycled PET bottles with optimal performance for a variety of applications

- Third part processing
- Processing

Our yarns reduce the environmental impact, here below follows the numbers

- 90% energy savings
- 45% lower CO2 emissions
- 60% water savings

## Recycled Wool Yarns

The process allows us to give new life to fibres and create new yarns from pre and post-consumer textile waste.

Our yarns reduce the environmental impact, here below follow the numbers:

- 47% lower CO2 emissions
- 61% water savings
- 47% energy savings

Manifattura Testori cooperates with the supply chain aiming to build an 'Industry Partnership' following the principles of eco design:

- Use of 100% recycled FR polyester fibres and sustainable dyeing
- 100% recycled FR polyester textiles become 100%



recyclable products if the finished products sewing is made/designed using the same raw materials (mono-material)

- 100% recycled material packaging and low-impact transport
- Low-impact in installation and maintenance
- Recycling of ready-made items (curtains and/or dress covers) converted into FR polyester padding

## Environmental Impact

Manifattura Testori has developed new materials (fibres and fabrics) with the aim of being more sustainable and reducing the environmental impact.

## Bio-Based Materials

We introduced 30% of bio-based material into the composition of our FR polyester products with the aim of reducing our carbon footprint with the switch to renewable sources.

## Natural Fibres

We are developing new seating, curtain and vertical surfaces fabrics using natural fibres with the same performances of FR polyester.

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