



"Textiles, clothing, leather and footwear"

**Screening process with Serbia
Free Movement of Goods
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**DG ENTERPRISE AND INDUSTRY
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Legislation

***Directive 94 / 11 / EC relating to
labelling of the materials used in the
main components of footwear for
sale to the consumer***





Legislation

Regulation (EU) N° 1007/2011 on textile fibre names and related labelling and marking of the fibre composition of textile products





Directive 94/11/EC – Footwear Directive

- **Adopted : 23 March 1994**
- **Applicable: 23 March 1996**
- **Transitional period: 23 September 1997**



Footwear Directive – main provisions

Must be labelled ('80 % rule') - either pictograms or written indications:

☐ Main components of footwear :

- the upper, the lining and the sock, and the outer sole

☐ Materials used :

- leather, coated leather, textiles, all other materials

Footwear Directive – pictograms



Upper



Lining and inner sole



Outer sole



Leather



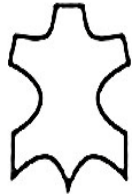
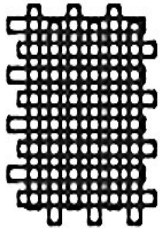
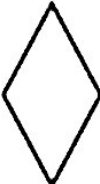
Coated leather



Textile



Other material



Regulation (EU) N° 1007/2011 – Textile Regulation

- **Adopted: 27 September 2011**
- **Applicable: 8 May 2012**
- **Transitional period: 9 Nov 2014 -
textile products placed on the market
before 8 May 2012 may continue to be
made available on the market**

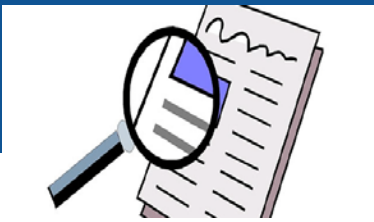


Textile Regulation

From 3 Textile Directives to 1 Regulation

Regulation (EU) N° 1007/2011 repealed 3 Directives:

- **73/44/EEC**
- **96/73/EC**
- **2008/121/EC**



Textile Regulation - main provisions (1)

- **Conditions of labels and marks indicating the fibre composition clarified ('80 % rule')**
- **Full fibre composition to be indicated**
- **Exemption applicable to customised products made-up by self-employed tailors**
- **Simplified framework for the adoption of new fibre names**



Textile Regulation – main provisions (2)

- **Article 12 : 'Contains non-textile parts of animal origin'**
- **Empowerment of the Commission to adopt delegated acts amending the technical Annexes of the Regulation.**
- **Reporting on the application of the Regulation (Article 23), review clause (Article 24) and study on hazardous substances (Article 25) to be undertaken by the Commission**

Textile Regulation – Reports

- **Report regarding possible new labelling requirements of textile products and on a study on allergenic substances in textile products**
COM(2013)656 final of 25 September 2013
- **Report on the application of the Textile Regulation – *under preparation***



Textile Regulation – binary and ternary fibre mixtures

- **Annex VIII lists methods for the quantitative analysis of binary and ternary fibre mixtures**
- **Checks on the conformity of the fibre composition of textile products with the supplied information shall be carried out in accordance with methods in Annex VIII or with harmonised standards to be introduced**

Related legislation

- **PPE Directive** *89/686/EEC*
- **Toys Directive** *2009/48/EC*
- **REACH Regulation** *(EC) No 1907/2006*
- **UCPD Directive** *2005/29/EC*
- **General Product Safety Directive**
2001/95/EC
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Thank you for your attention!



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