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Restricted Substances List (RSL)

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About Pentland Brands Ltd

Pentland Brands Limited, a Pentland Group plc owned company, is a global family business bringing some of the most loved active and footwear brands to millions of people around the world.

We own Speedo, Berghaus, Canterbury of New Zealand, Endura, Mitre, Ellesse, Boxfresh, SeaVees, KangaROOS and Red or Dead. We're the global licensee for Karen Millen footwear and Kickers in the UK and Ireland, and have a joint venture partnership for Lacoste Chaussures.

Pentland Brands requires that its products, and the raw materials used to construct those products, are manufactured with regard for the safety of consumers and factory workers, and with consideration for the wider environment. This Restricted Substances List (RSL) provides details of chemicals and other potentially harmful substances that are restricted by Pentland Brands, and allowable chemical limits for products placed on the market.

Pentland Brands RSL applies to all materials, components and finished products manufactured and sold under the name of any of the Pentland Brands family of brands, whether sourced directly or by brands' licensee partners, unless communicated otherwise in writing.

All materials, components and finished products manufactured for Pentland Brands must comply with the requirements in this document no later than 90 days after the release date, and must also comply with all applicable legislation.

Alignment with the AFIRM RSL

The Apparel and Footwear International RSL Management (AFIRM) Group, is an apparel and footwear industry body whose aim is to reduce the use and impact of harmful substances in the apparel and footwear supply chains.

One of its areas of focus is to create an industry-wide RSL to provide an aligned approach to managing restricted substances across the largely shared global supply chains of member brands.

Based on the collaborative effort of more than 20 brands, the AFIRM RSL reduces the large number of complicated and sometimes contradictory brand RSLs while simplifying the approach and accelerating efforts to reduce chemical hazards. Pentland Brands Ltd has adopted the AFIRM RSL with some additions and modifications (see opposite).

AFIRM chemical information sheets

AFIRM member brands have produced a comprehensive set of educational materials advising suppliers about best practices for chemical management. Each chemical information sheet covers a chemical or class of chemicals, giving an overview of the substance(s), where they are likely to be found in the material process and how to maintain compliance with the AFIRM RSL. The complete library of chemical information sheets is available on the AFIRM website at http://afirm-group.com/information-sheets

For more information on the AFIRM Group visit www.afirm-group.com

AFIRM RSL - Pentland Brands modifications

Modifications are highlighted in a separate column of the RSL and relate to:

- Acetophenone and 2-Phenyl-2-Propanol: monitoring only, no pass/fail standard operated
- Chromium (Cr): Pentland Brands would prefer all leathers – not just children's products – to meet the 60 ppm standard
- Phthalates: Pentland Brands restricts
 Substance of Very High Concern (SVHC)
 phthalates not covered by other
 restrictions
- VOCs: Reporting required. Legal compliance (e.g. SVHCs) required

AFIRM RSL - Pentland Brands additions

Additions are included for substances not listed on the AFIRM RSL that are restricted under the Pentland Brands RSL:

- Isocyanates
- Antimicrobial guidance
- Substances listed as SVHCs under Reach



Packaging

Pentland Brands has adopted the AFIRM Packaging RSL and suppliers should ensure that packaging for all Pentland Brands' products are compliant.

The AFIRM Packaging RSL is available at: https://www.afirm-group.com/packaging-restrictedsubstance-list/

Supplier's responsibility

It is the supplier's responsibility to comply with this RSL and all relevant legislation, thereby avoiding the use of harmful or illegal chemicals in the making of Pentland Brands' products. The requirement to comply with this RSL and all relevant legislation is included in, or additional to, all legal partnership agreements relating to the manufacture of Pentland Brands product lines.

1

Pentland Brands conducts bespoke, risk-based testing programs and reserves the right to request that suppliers test against the RSL at any time.



2

Pentland Brands expect suppliers to be able to provide evidence that materials, components or finished products supplied can meet the RSL.

Responsibility for testing and associated costs lies with the supplier.

3

Pentland Brands will assess any failure against the RSL standards individually and take appropriate action.

In the event of a test failure, suppliers will be required to conduct failure analysis and, where appropriate, provide an action plan to resolve the issue for current and/or future production.

Suppliers may be required to remediate products, remake products or replace affected components at their own cost.

Additional requirements

Individual Pentland Brands may have additional requirements relating to certification requirements or substances used in manufacturing their products. Brands will communicate these requirements directly to the supplier and/or licensee partners.



Age ranges for interpreting RSL limits

Various countries define the terms "babies," "children," and "adults" differently. Based on legislation, the age ranges listed in the table below satisfy the most restrictive global requirements.

	Age range
Babies	0 to 36 months
Children	36 months to 14 years
Adults	14 years and older

Restricted Substances List

Table 1: RSL

Table 2: Requirements additional to the AFIRM RSL

Table 3: Agricultural pesticides detailed list

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CAS No.	Substance	Limits Raw material and finished product	Potential uses Textile processing for apparel and footwear	Suitable test method Sample preparation and measurement	Pentland modification
Acetophenone	and 2-Phenyl-2-Propanol				
98-86-2	Acetophenone		Potential breakdown products in EVA foam when	Extraction in acetone	Pentland will not initially operate a pass/fail limit but will use tests to study prevalence of the
617-94-7	2-Phenyl-2-propanol	50 ppm each	50 ppm each using dicumyl perovide as a cross-linking agent	GC/MS, sonication for 30 minutes at 60 degrees C.	chemicals in EVA materials with a view to a phase out. Any results above 50ppm must be reported.
Acidic and alk	aline substances				
Various	pH value	Textiles: 4.0–7.5 Leather: 3.5–7.0	pH value is a characteristic number, ranging from pH 1 to pH 14, which indirectly shows the content of acidic or alkaline substances in a product. pH values less than 7 indicate sources of acidic substances, and values greater than 7 indicate sources of alkaline substances. To avoid irritation or chemical burns to the skin, the pH value of products must be in the range of human skin - approximately pH 5.5. AFIRM recommends the limits cited to comply with all global regulations for all products.	Textiles and Artificial Leather: EN ISO 3071:2006 (KCI Solution) Leather: EN ISO 4045:2018	Pentland may permit pH up to 8.5 for skin contact and pH up to 9.0 in some circumstances. Results should be discussed with your Pentland Brands contact.

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CAS No.	Substance	Limits Raw material and finished product	Potential uses Textile processing for apparel and footwear	Suitable test method Sample preparation and measurement	Pentland modification		
Alkylphenol (AP) and Alkylphenol Ethoxylates (APEOs), including all isomers							
Various	Nonylphenol (NP), mixed isomers	Total: 100 ppm	APEOs can be used as or found in detergents, scouring agents, spinning oils, wetting agents, softeners, emulsifying/dispersing agents for dyes and prints, impregnating agents, de-gumming for silk production, dyes and pigment preparations, polyester padding and down/feather fillings. APEOs and formulations containing APEOs are prohibited from use throughout supply chain and manufacturing processes. We acknowledge that residual or trace concentrations of APEOs may still be found at levels exceeding 100 ppm and that more time is necessary for the supply chain to phase them out completely. This limit covers EU legislation restricting NPEOs, effective 3 February 2021, and provides advance warning to suppliers.	Textiles: Extraction: 1 g sample/20 mL THF, sonication for 60 minutes at 70 °C Measurement: EN ISO 18857-2:2011 (with derivatization) Leather: EN ISO 18218-2:2015			
Various	Octylphenol (OP), mixed isomers	Total: 100 ppm		Polymers: 1 g sample/20 mL THF, sonication for 60 minutes at 70 degrees C analysis with LC/MS or LC/MS/MS All other materials: 1 g sample/20 mL THF, sonication for 60 minutes at 70°C analysis with GC/MS			
Various	Octylphenol ethoxylates (OPEOs)	Total: 100 ppm		All materials except Leather: EN ISO 18254-1:2016 with determination of APEO using LC/MS or LC/MS/MS			
Various	Nonylphenol ethoxylates (NPEOs)			Leather: EN ISO 18218-1:2015			
Azo-amines							
92-67-1	4-Aminobiphenyl						
92-87-5	Benzidine						
95-69-2	4-Chloro-o-toluidine						
91-59-8	2-Naphthylamine						
97-56-3	o-Aminoazotoluene						
99-55-8	2-Amino-4-nitrotoluene						
106-47-8	p-Chloraniline						
615-05-4	2,4-Diaminoanisole			Textiles: EN ISO 14362-			
101-77-9	4,4'-Diaminodiphenylmethane			1:2017			
91-94-1	3,3'-Dichlorobenzidine		Azo dyes and pigments are colourants that incorporate	Leather: EN ISO 17234-			
119-90-4	3,3'-Dimethoxybenzidine		one or several azo groups (-N=N-) bound with aromatic	1:2015			
119-93-7	3,3'-Dimethylbenzidine	20 ppm each	compounds. Thousands of azo dyes exist, but only	p-Aminoazobenzene:			
838-88-0	3,3'-dimethyl-4,4'- diaminodiphenylmethane	20 ppin cacii	those which degrade to form the listed cleavable amines are restricted. Azo dyes that release these	Textiles: EN ISO 14362-			
120-71-8	p-Cresidine		amines are regulated and should no longer be used for	3:2017			
101-14-4	4,4'-Methylen-bis(2-chloraniline)		dyeing of textiles.	Leather: EN ISO 17234-			
101-80-4	4,4'-Oxydianiline		-,g	2:2011.			
139-65-1	4.4'-Thiodianiline						
95-53-4	o-Toluidine						
95-80-7	2,4-Toluylendiamine	-					
137-17-7	2,4,5-Trimethylaniline						
95-68-1	2,4,5-11metriylamine 2,4 Xylidine	-					
33-30-1		-					
87-62-7	2 6 XVIIdine						
87-62-7 90-04-0	2,6 Xylidine 2-Methoxyaniline (= o-Anisidine)						

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Azo-amines (c	ontinued)				
3165-93-3	4-Chloro-o-toluidinium chloride		Azo dyes and pigments are colourants that incorporate one or several azo groups (-N=N-) bound with aromatic	Textiles: EN ISO 14362- 1:2017 Leather: EN ISO 17234-	
553-00-4	2-Napthylammoniumacetate	20 ppm each	compounds. Thousands of azo dyes exist, but only those which degrade to form the listed cleavable	1:2015	
39156-41-7	4-Methoxy-m-phenylene diammonium sulphate	amines are restricted. Azo dyes that release these amines are regulated and should no longer be used for dyeing of textiles.	p-Aminoazobenzene: Textiles: EN ISO 14362- 3:2017		
21436-97-5	2,4,5-Trimethylaniline hydrochloride			Leather: EN ISO 17234- 2:2011.	
Bisphenol-A					
80-05-7	Bisphenol-A (BPA)	1 ppm	Used in the production of epoxy resins, polycarbonate plastics, flame retardants and PVC. Prohibited from use in food and drink containers, and items intended to come into contact with oral cavity.		
80-09-1	Bisphenol S (BPS)	Info only No limit applied No limit applied Info only No limit applied	Applicable to food and drink containers, and items intended to come into contact with the mouth.	All materials: Extraction: 1 g sample / 20 ml THF, sonication for 60 minutes	
620-92-8	Bisphenol F (BPF)		Info only BPA alternatives with known or suspected similar	at 60°C, analysis with LC/MS	
1478-61-1	Bisphenol AF (BPAF)		and PVC.		

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CAS No.	Substance	Limits Raw material and	Potential uses	Suitable test method Sample preparation and	Pentland modification			
		finished product	Textile processing for apparel and footwear	measurement				
Chlorinated Pa	Chlorinated Paraffins							
85535-84-8	Short-chain chlorinated Paraffins (SCCP) (C10-C13)	1000 ppm		Combined CADS/ISO 18219:2015 method V1:06/17				
			May be used as flame retardants or as fat liquoring agents in leather production; also as a plasticiser in	Extraction: ISO 18219 and analysis by GC-NCI-MS.				
85535-85-9	Medium-chain chlorinated Paraffins (MCCP) (C14-C17)	1000 ppm	polymer production.	More information on the test available <u>here.</u>				
Chlorophenols	3							
15950-66-0	2,3,4-Trichlorophenol							
933-78-8	2,3,5-Trichlorophenol			1 M KOH extraction, 16 hours at 90 °C, derivatization and				
933-75-5	2,3,6-Trichlorophenol		and tetrachlorophenol (TeCP) are sometimes used to prevent mold and kill insects when growing cotton and when storing/transporting fabrics. PCP and TeCP can at 90 °C, derivatization and analysis § 64 LFGB B 82.02-08 or DIN EN ISO 17070:201					
95-95-4	2,4,5-Trichlorophenol							
88-06-2	2,4,6-Trichlorophenol							
609-19-8	3,4,5-Trichlorophenol	0.5 ppm each		analysis § 64 LFGB B 82.02-				
4901-51-3	2,3,4,5-Tetrachlorophenol (TeCP)			08 or DIN EN ISO 17070:2015.				
58-90-2	2,3,4,6-Tetrachlorophenol (TeCP)		also be used as preservatives in print pastes.					
935-95-5	2,3,5,6-Tetrachlorophenol (TeCP)							
87-86-5	Pentachlorophenol (PCP)							
Chlororganic (Carriers							
95-49-8	2-Chlorotoluene							
108-41-8	3-Chlorotoluene							
106-43-4	4-Chlorotoluene							
32768-54-0	2,3-Dichlorotoluene							
95-73-8	2,4-Dichlorotoluene							
19398-61-9	2,5-Dichlorotoluene		Chlorobenzenes and chlorotoluenes (chlorinated					
118-69-4	2,6-Dichlorotoluene	Total: 1 ppm	aromatic hydrocarbons) can be used as carriers in the	DIN 54232:2010.				
95-75-0	3,4-Dichlorotoluene	τοιαι. τ μμπ	dyeing process of polyester or wool/polyester fibres.	DIN 54232.2010.				
2077-46-5	2,3,6-Trichlorotoluene		They can also be used as solvents.					
6639-30-1	2,4,5-Trichlorotoluene							
76057-12-0	2,3,4,5-Tetrachlorotoluene							
875-40-1	2,3,4,6-Tetrachlorotoluene							
1006-31-1	2,3,5,6-Tetrachlorotoluene							
877-11-2	Pentachlorotoluene							

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Chlororganic Carriers							
541-73-1	1,3-Dichlorobenzene						
106-46-7	1,4-Dichlorobenzene						
87-61-6	1,2,3-Trichlorobenzene						
120-82-1	1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene						
108-70-3	1,3,5-Trichlorobenzene	Tatali 4 mmm	Chlorobenzenes and chlorotoluenes (chlorinated				
634-66-2	1,2,3,4-Tetrachlorobenzene	Total: 1 ppm	aromatic hydrocarbons) can be used as carriers in the	DIN 54232:2010			
634-90-2	1,2,3,5-Tetrachlorobenzene		dyeing process of polyester or wool/polyester fibres.				
95-94-3	1,2,4,5-Tetrachlorobenzene		They can also be used as solvents.				
608-93-5	Pentachlorobenzene						
118-74-1	Hexachlorobenzene						
95-50-1	1,2-Dichlorobenzene	10 ppm					
Dimethylfumai	rate						
624-49-7	Dimethylfumarate (DMFu)	0.1 ppm	DMFu is an anti-mould agent used in sachets in packaging to prevent the build-up of mould, especially during shipping.	CEN ISO/TS 16186:2012			
Dyes, Forbidd	en and Disperse						
2475-45-8	C.I. Disperse Blue 1						
2475-46-9	C.I. Disperse Blue 3						
3179-90-6	C.I. Disperse Blue 7						
3860-63-7	C.I. Disperse Blue 26		Disperse dyes are a class of water-insoluble dyes that				
56524-77-7	C.I. Disperse Blue 35A		penetrate the fibre system of synthetic or manufactured				
56524-76-6	C.I. Disperse Blue 35B		fibres and are held in place by physical forces without				
12222-97-8	C.I. Disperse Blue 102	50 ppm each	forming chemical bonds. Disperse dyes are used in synthetic fibre (e.g., polyester, acetate, polyamide).	DIN 54231:2005			
12223-01-7	C.I. Disperse Blue 106		Restricted disperse dyes are suspected of causing				
61951-51-7	C.I. Disperse Blue 124		allergic reactions and are prohibited from use for dyeing				
23355-64-8	C.I. Disperse Brown 1		of textiles.				
2581-69-3	C.I. Disperse Orange 1						
730-40-5	C.I. Disperse Orange 3						
82-28-0	C.I. Disperse Orange 11						

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CAS No.	Substance	Limits Raw material and finished product	Potential uses Textile processing for apparel and footwear	Suitable test method Sample preparation and measurement	Pentland modification			
Dyes, Forbidde	Dyes, Forbidden and Disperse (continued)							
12223-33-5								
13301-61-6	C.I. Disperse Orange 37/76/59							
51811-42-8								
85136-74-9	C.I. Disperse Orange 149							
2872-52-8	C.I. Disperse Red 1							
2872-48-2	C.I. Disperse Red 11							
3179-89-3	C.I. Disperse Red 17							
61968-47-6	C.I. Disperse Red 151	_						
119-15-3	C.I. Disperse Yellow 1							
2832-40-8	C.I. Disperse Yellow 3							
6300-37-4	C.I. Disperse Yellow 7							
6373-73-5	C.I. Disperse Yellow 9							
6250-23-3	C.I. Disperse Yellow 23							
12236-29-2	C.I. Disperse Yellow 39							
54824-37-2	C.I. Disperse Yellow 49		Disperse dyes are a class of water-insoluble dyes that penetrate the fibre system of synthetic or					
54077-16-6	C.I. Disperse Yellow 56		50 ppm each manufactured fibres and are held in place by physical forces without forming chemical bonds. Disperse					
3761-53-3	C.I. Acid Red 26	50 ppm each		DIN 54231:2005				
569-61-9	C.I. Basic Red 9		dyes are used in synthetic fibre (e.g., polyester,					
569-64-2								
2437-29-8	C.I. Basic Green 4							
10309-95-2								
548-62-9	C.I. Basic Violet 3							
632-99-5	C.I. Basic Violet 14							
2580-56-5	C.I. Basic Blue 26							
1937-37-7	C.I. Direct Black 38							
2602-46-2	C.I. Direct Blue 6							
573-58-0	C.I. Direct Red 28							
16071-86-6	C.I. Direct Brown 95							
60-11-7	4-Dimethylaminoazobenzene							
	(Solvent Yellow 2)	_						
6786-83-0	C.I. Solvent Blue 4							
561-41-1	4,4'-bis(dimethylamino)-4"- (methylamino)trityl alcohol							
Dyes, Navy Bl								
118685-33-9	Component 1:		Navy blue colourants are regulated and are		Do not test unless			
	C39H23ClCrN7O12S.2Na	50 ppm each	prohibited from use for dyeing of textiles (Index 611-	DIN 54231:2005	specifically requested by			
Not	Component 2:	FF	070-00-2).	1 1-2 11-2 2	Pentland Brands.			
allocated	C46H30CrN10O20S2.3Na							

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		Limits		Suitable test method	
CAS No.	Substance	Raw material and finished product	Potential uses Textile processing for apparel and footwear	Sample preparation and measurement	Pentland modification
Flame Retard	ants	illioned product		measurement	
32534-81-9	Pentabromodiphenyl ether (PentaBDE)				
32536-52-0	Octabromodiphenyl ether (OctaBDE)				
1163-19-5	Decabromodiphenyl ether (DecaBDE)				
Various	All other Polybrominated diphenyl ethers (PBDEs)			EN ISO 17881-1:2016	
79-94-7	Tetrabromobisphenol A (TBBP A)				
59536-65-1	Polybromobiphenyls (PBB)				
3194-55-6	Hexabromocyclododecane (HBCDD)		Flame-retardant chemicals are rarely used to meet flammability requirements in children's clothing and		
3296-90-0	2,2-bis(bromomethyl)-1,3- propanediol (BBMP)	Total: 10 ppm	adult products. They should no longer be used in apparel and footwear.		
13674-87-8	Tris(1,3-dichloro-isopropyl) phosphate (TDCPP)			EN ISO 17881-2:2016	
25155-23-1	Trixylyl phosphate (TXP)				
126-72-7	Tris(2,3,-dibromopropyl) phosphate (TRIS)				
545-55-1	Tris(1-aziridinyl)phosphine oxide) (TEPA)				
115-96-8	Tris(2-chloroethyl)phosphate (TCEP)				
5412-25-9	Bis(2,3-dibromopropyl) phosphate (BDBPP)				
Fluorinated G	reenhouse Gases				
Various	See Regulation (EC) No 842/2006 for a complete list.	0.1 ppm each		Sample preparation: Purge and trap - thermal desorption or SPME Measurement: GC/MS.	
Formaldehyd	e				
50-00-0	Formaldehyde	Adults and children: 75 ppm Babies: 16 ppm	Used in textiles as an anti-creasing and anti-shrinking agent. It is also often used in polymeric resins.	Textile: JIS L 1041-1983 A (Japan Law 112) or EN ISO 14184-1:2011. Leather: prEN ISO 17226-2:2017 with prEN ISO 17226-1:2017 confirmation method in case of interferences. Alternatively, prEN ISO 17226-1:2017 can be used on its own.	

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CAS No.	Substance	Limits Raw material and finished product	Potential uses Textile processing for apparel and footwear	Suitable test method Sample preparation and measurement	Pentland modification
Heavy Metals					
7440-36-0	Antimony (Sb)	Extractable: 30 ppm	Found in or used as a catalyst in polymerisation of polyester, flame retardants, fixing agents, pigments and alloys.	Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 1:2017	
7440-38-2	Arsenic (As)	Extractable: 0.2 ppm Total: 100 ppm	Arsenic and its compounds can be used in preservatives, pesticides and defoliants for cotton, synthetic fibres, paints, inks, trims and plastics.	Extractable: Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 1:2017 Total: Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 1:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 2:2017	
7440-39-3	Barium (Ba)	Extractable: 1000 ppm	Barium and its compounds can be used in pigments for inks, plastics, surface coatings, as well as in dyeing, mordant, filler in plastics, textile finish, and leather tanning.	Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 1:2017	
7440-43-9	Cadmium (Cd)	Extractable: 0.1 ppm Total: 40 ppm	Cadmium compounds are used as pigments (especially in red, orange, yellow and green); as a stabilizer for PVC; and in fertilizers, biocides and paints. The total limit for all will be reduced to 40 ppm in a future update.	Extractable: Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 1:2017 Total: Textiles, plastics, and metal: DIN EN 16711-1:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 2:2017	
7440-47-3	Chromium (Cr)	Extractable for textiles: 2 ppm Leather footwear for babies: 60 ppm	Chromium compounds can be used as dyeing additives, dye-fixing agents, colour fastness after-treatments, dyes for wool, silk and polyamide (especially dark shades) and leather tanning.	Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 1:2017	Pentland Brands aims to have a limit of 60ppm for all leather. Results above 60ppm must be reported to track progress towards this goal.

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Heavy Metals					
				Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 with EN ISO 17075- 1:2017 if Cr is detected.	
18540-29-9	Chromium VI	Extractable: Leather: 3ppm Textiles 1 ppm	Though typically associated with leather tanning, Chromium VI also may be used in the dyeing of wool (after the chroming process).	Leather: EN ISO 17075- 1:2017 and EN ISO 17075- 2:2017 for confirmation in case the extract causes interference.	
				Ageing test: ISO 10195:2018 Method A2 is used at brand discretion.	
7440-48-4	Cobalt (Co)	Extractable: Adults: 4ppm Children and babies: 1ppm	Cobalt and its compounds can be used in alloys, pigments, dyestuff, and the production of plastic buttons.	Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 1:2017	
7440-50-8	Copper (Cu)	Extractable: Adults: 50 ppm Children and babies: 25 ppm	Copper and its compounds can be found in alloys and pigments, and in textiles as an antimicrobial agent.	Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 1:2017	
7439-92-1	Lead (Pb)	Extractable: Adults and children: 1 ppm Babies: 0.2 ppm Total: 90 ppm	May be associated with plastics, paints, inks, pigments and surface coatings.	Extractable: Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 1:2017 Total: Non-metal: CPSC-CH- E1002-08.3 Metal: CPSC-CH-E1001- 08.3 Lead in paint and surface coating: CPSIA Section 101 16 CFR 1303	

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CAS No.	Substance	Limits Raw material and finished product	Potential uses Textile processing for apparel and footwear	Suitable test method Sample preparation and measurement	Pentland modification
Heavy Metals					
7439-97-6	Mercury (Hg)	Extractable: 0.02 ppm Total: 0.5 ppm	Mercury compounds can be present in pesticides and as contaminants in caustic soda (NaOH). They may also be used in paints.	Extractable: Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 1:2017 Total: Textiles, plastics, metal: DIN EN 16711-1:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 2:2017	
7440-02-0	Nickel (Ni)	Extractable: 1ppm Release: Prolonged skin contact: 0.5 µg/cm²/ week Pierced part: 0.2 µg/cm²/ week	Nickel and its compounds can be used for plating alloys and improving corrosion-resistance and hardness of alloys. They can also occur as impurities in pigments and alloys.	Extractable: Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 1:2017 Release: EN 12472:2005+ A1:2009 and EN 1811:2015	Results <0.88 µg/cm²/week are considered a pass due to known variation in test procedure.
7782-49-2	Selenium (Se)	Extractable: 500 ppm	May be found in synthetic fibres, paints, inks, plastics and metal trims.	Textiles: DIN EN 16711- 2:2016 Leather: DIN EN ISO 17072- 1:2017	
			Monomers		
100-42-5	Styrene	500 ppm	Styrene is a precursor for polymerization and may be present in various styrene-copolymers like plastic buttons.	GC/MS Headspace 120°C for 45 minutes or Extraction in Methanol GC/MS, sonication at 60°C for 60 minutes	
75-01-4	Vinyl Chloride	1 ppm	Vinyl Chloride is a precursor for polymerization and may be present in various PVC materials like prints, coatings, flip flops, and synthetic leather.	EN ISO 6401:2008	

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N-Nitrosamir	nes							
62-75-9	N-nitrosodimethylamine (NDMA)							
55-18-5	N-nitrosodiethylamine (NDEA)							
621-64-7	N-nitrosodipropylamine (NDPA)			GB/T 24153-2009:				
924-16-3	N-nitrosodibutylamine (NDBA)			determination using GC/MS				
100-75-4	N-nitrosopiperidine (NPIP)		Can be formed as by-product in the production of	with LC/MS/MS verification if				
930-55-2	N-nitrosopyrrolidine (NPYR)	0.5 ppm each	rubber.	positive. Alternatively,				
59-89-2	N-nitrosomorpholine (NMOR)	1		LC/MS/MS may be performed on its own. prEN				
614-00-6	N-nitroso N-methyl N-phenylamine (NMPhA)			19577:2017.				
612-64-6	N-nitroso N-ethyl N-phenylamine (NEPhA)							
Organotin Co	ompounds							
Various	Dibutyltin (DBT)		Class of chemicals combining tin and organics such					
Various	Dioctyltin (DOT)		as butyl and phenyl groups. Organotins are					
Various	Monobutyltin (MBT)		predominantly found in the environment as					
Various	Tricyclohexyltin (TCyHT)	1 ppm each	antifoulants in marine paints, but they can also be used as biocides (e.g., antibacterials), catalysts in					
Various	Trimethyltin (TMT)		plastic and glue production, and heat stabilizers in	CEN ISO/TS 16179: 2012				
Various	Trioctyltin (TOT)		plastics/rubber. In textiles and apparel, organotins are					
Various	Tripropyltin (TPT)		associated with plastics/rubber, inks, paints, metallic					
Various	TributyItin (TBT)	0.5 ppm each	glitter, polyurethane products and heat transfer					
Various	Triphenyltin (TPhT)	0.5 ppili each	material.					
Ortho-pheny	lphenol							
90-43-7	Ortho-phenylphenol (OPP)	1000 ppm	OPP can be used for its preservative properties in leather or as a carrier in dyeing processes.	All materials: 1 M KOH extraction, 16 hours at 90 degrees C, derivatization and analysis § 64 LFGB B 82.02-08 or DIN EN ISO 17070:2015				
Ozone-deple	ting Substances							
Various	See Regulation (EC) No 1005/2009 for a complete list.	5 ppm	Ozone-depleting substances are prohibited from use.	GC/MS headspace 120 C for 45 minutes.				

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Perfluorinate	d and Polyfluorinated Chemicals (PFC	<u> </u>			
Various	Perfluorooctane Sulfonate (PFOS) and related substances	1 μg/m2 each	PFOA and PFOS may be present as unintended byproducts in long-chain and short-chain commercial		
Various	Perfluorooctanoic Acid (PFOA) and its salts	1 μg/m2 25 ppb total	water-, oil-, and stain-repellent agents. PFOA may also be used in polymers like Polytetrafluoroethylene (PTFE). The area-based limit for PFOA will be superseded by	All materials: prISO FDIS 23702-1: 2018	
Various	PFOA-related substances	1000 ppb total	Commission Regulation (EU) 2017/1000 and removed in 2023.		
Pesticides, A	gricultural				
Various	See <i>Table 4</i> for a complete list.	0.5 ppm each	May be found in natural fibres, primarily cotton.	ISO 15913/DIN 38407 F2 or EPA 8081/EPA 8151A or BVL L 00.00-34:2010-09.	
Phthalates					
117-81-7	Di(2-ethylhexyl)-phthalate (DEHP)		Esters of ortho-phthalic acid (phthalates) are a class		
117-82-8	Di(2-methoxyethyl) phthalate (DMEP)		of organic compound commonly added to plastics to increase flexibility. They are sometimes used to	Sample preparation for all materials: CPSC-CH-C1001-	
117-84-0	Di-n-octylphthalate (DNOP)		facilitate the moulding of plastic by decreasing its	09.4	
131-11-3	Dimethylphthalate (DMP)		melting temperature. Phthalates can be found in: Flexible plastic components (e.g., PVC)	Measurement:	Pentland restricts any
131-16-8	Dipropyl phthalate (DPRP)		Print pastes	Textiles:	phthalates restricted by
131-18-0	Di-n-pentylphthalate (DPP)	EOO nnm ooch	Adhesives	GC-MS, EN ISO 14389:2014	legislation or classified as an SVHC under Reach.
26761-40-0	Diisodecylphthalate (DIDP)	500 ppm each Total: 1000 ppm	Plastic buttons	(7.1 Calculation based on weight of print only; 7.2	an Symo under Reach.
27554-26-3	Diisooctyl phthalate (DIOP)	1.3tai. 1000 ppiii	Plastic sleevings	Calculation based on weight	The use of PVC must be
28553-12-0	Di-iso-nonylphthalate (DINP)		Polymeric coatings	of print and textile if print	approved by Pentland in
605-50-5	Diisopentylphthalate (DIPP)		The listed phthalates are those most commonly used	cannot be removed).	writing.
68515-42-4	Di(C7-C11 alkyl) phthalate (DHNUP) linear + branched		across industry sectors. Find more information about phthalates restricted by legislation in the REACH	All materials except textiles: GC/MS	
68515-50-4	Dihexylphthalate, branched + linear		SVHC list, which is updated frequently.		

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Phthalates (co	ontinued)					
71888-89-6	Di(C6-C8 alkyl) phthalate (DIHP) branched, C7 rich			Esters of ortho-phthalic acid (phthalates) are a class of organic compound commonly added to plastics to	Sample preparation for all	
776297-69-9	n-Pentylisopentylphthalate (NPIPP)			increase flexibility. They are sometimes used to	materials: CPSC-CH-C1001-	
84-61-7	Dicyclohexyl phthalate (DCHP)			facilitate the moulding of plastic by decreasing its	09.4	
84-66-2	Diethylphthalate (DEP)			melting temperature. Phthalates can be found in:	Measurement:	Pentland restricts any
84-69-5	Diisobutylphthalate (DIBP)			Flexible plastic components (e.g., PVC)Print pastes	Textiles:	phthalates restricted by legislation or classified as
84-74-2	Dibutylphthalate (DBP)	500 ppm	aach	Adhesives	GC-MS, EN ISO 14389:2014	an SVHC under Reach.
84-75-3	Di-n-hexylphthalate (DnHP)	Total: 100		Plastic buttons	(7.1 Calculation based on	an Syric under Reach.
84777-06-0	1,2-Benzenedicarboxylic acide, dipentylester, branched + linear	Total. To	эо рртт	Plastic sleevings Polymeric coatings	weight of print only; 7.2 Calculation based on weight of print and textile if print	The use of PVC must be approved by Pentland in
85-68-7	Butylbenzylphthalate (BBP)			The listed phthalates are those most commonly used across industry sectors. Find more information about phthalates restricted by legislation in the REACH SVHC list, which is updated frequently.	cannot be removed). All materials except textiles: GC/MS	writing.
Poly Aromatic	: Hydrocarbons (PAHs)					
83-32-9	Acenaphthene			PAHs are natural components of crude oil and are		
208-96-8	Acenaphthylene			common residues from oil refining. PAHs have a		
120-12-7	Anthracene			characteristic smell similar to that of car tires or		
191-24-2	Benzo(g,h,i)perylene	No		asphalt. Oil residues containing PAHs are added to		
86-73-7	Fluorene	individual		rubber and plastics as a softener or extender and		
206-44-0	Fluoranthene	restriction		may be found in rubber, plastics, lacquers and		
193-39-5	Indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	-		coatings. PAHs are often found in the outsoles of		A service services from
91-20-3 85-01-8	Naphthalene** Phenanthrene	-	Total	footwear and in printing pastes for screen prints.		Any results for naphthalene over 2ppm
129-00-0	Pyrene	-	Total: 10ppm	PAHs can be present as impurities in Carbon Black.	AFPS GS 2014	must be reported to
56-55-3	Benzo(a)anthracene		ТОРРІП	They also may be formed from thermal decomposition		Pentland.
50-32-8	Benzo(a)pyrene	4		of recycled materials during reprocessing.		- Citadia.
205-99-2	Benzo(b)fluoranthene	1 ppm each		**Naphthalene: Dispersing agents for textile dyes		
192-97-2	Benzo[e]pyrene	Child care		may contain high residual naphthalene		
205-82-3	Benzo[j]fluoranthene	articles		concentrations due to the use of low-quality		
207-08-9	Benzo(k)fluoranthene	0.5 ppm		naphthalene derivatives (e.g., poor -quality		
218-01-9	Chrysene	each		naphthalene sulphonate formaldehyde condensation		
53-70-3	Dibenzo(a,h)anthracene			products).		
Quinoline						
91-22-5	Quinoline	50 ppm		Found as an impurity in polyester and some dyestuffs.	All materials: AFPS GS 2014	

Table 2: Pentland Brands requirements additional to the AFIRM RSL

CAS No.	Substance	Limits	Potential uses	Suitable test method	Pentland modification
CAS NO.	Substance	Raw material and finished product	Textile processing for apparel and footwear	Sample preparation and measurement	Pentiand modification
Solvents / resi	duals				
68-12-2	Dimethylformamide (DMFa)	500 ppm	Solvent used in plastics, rubber, and polyurethane (PU) coating. Water- based PU does not contain DMFa and is therefore preferable.	All materials: DIN CEN ISO/TS	To enable us to understand the presence of DMFa in our supply chain: all results above 100ppm in mock leather must be reported. All results above 5 ppm in other end uses must be reported
75-12-7	Formamide		Byproduct in the production of EVA foams.	16189:2013	
127-19-5	Dimethylacetamide (DMAC)		Solvent used in the production of elastane fibers and sometimes as substitute for DMFa.		
872-50-4	N-Methyl-2-pyrrolidone (NMP)	1000 ppm each	Industrial solvent used in production of water-based Polyurethanes and other polymeric materials. May also be used as a surface treatment for textiles, resins, and metal-coated plastics, or as a paint stripper.		
UV Absorbers	/ Stabilizers				
3846-71-7 3864-99-1 25973-55-1 36437-37-3	UVUV 320 UV 327 UV 328 UV 350	1000 ppm each	PU foam materials such as open cell foams for padding. Used as UV-absorbers for plastics (PVC, PET, PC, PA, ABS, and other polymers), rubber, polyurethane.	ADIN EN 62321-6:2016-05 (Extraction in THF, analysis by GC/MS)	
	ic Compounds (VOCs)				
71-43-2	Benzene	5 ppm			
75-15-0	Carbon disulfide				
56-23-5	Carbon tetrachloride				
67-66-3	Chloroform				
108-94-1	Cyclohexanone	-			
107-06-2	1,2-Dichloroethane	-			
75-35-4	1,1-Dichloroethylene	-	These VOCs should not be used in todillo so "		
100-41-4	Ethylbenzene	-	These VOCs should not be used in textile auxiliary		All results above 5ppm
76-01-7	Pentachloroethane		chemical preparations. They are also associated with	For general VOC screening:	must be reported so that
630-20-6 79-34-5	1,1,1,2- Tetrachloroethane	Total: 1000 ppm	solvent-based processes such as solvent-based	GC/MS headspace 45	Pentland Brands can map
	1,1,2,2- Tetrachloroethane	Total: 1000 ppm	polyurethane coatings and glues/adhesives. They should not be used for any kind of facility cleaning or	minutes at 120 degrees C	solvent usage in the supply
127-18-4 108-88-3	Tetrachloroethylene (PERC) Toluene	-	·		chain.
71-55-6	1.1.1- Trichloroethane	-	spot cleaning.		
79-00-5	1,1,2- Trichloroethane	-			
79-00-5	Trichloroethylene	-			
1330-20-7	rnchloroeutylene	-			
108-38-3 95-47-6 106-42-3	Xylenes (meta-, ortho-, para-)				

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Isocyanates					
multiple	Diphenylmethane diisocyanate (MDI)				
822-06-0	Hexamethylene diisocyanate (HDI)		Isocyanates are the building blocks for polyurethane		
4098-71-9	Isophorone diisocyanate (IPDI)	1 ppm free	and under normal circumstances they are fully	Free- HPLC Blocked: GC-	
2778-42-9	Tetramethylxylene diisocyanate (TMXDI)	Blocked – monitor	reacted to leave no residues in PU materials. Isocyanates are present in some adhesive	MS with injector block temperature at 300 ° C;	
584-84-9 and 91-08-7	Toluene diisocyanate (TDI)	levels	formulations and if the adhesives are not formulated or cured properly then failures can occur.	confirmation at 180 ° C	
3173-72-6	Napthylene-1,5,di-isocyanate (1,5-NDI)				

Anti-microbials

The use of anti-microbial finishes or components containing anti-microbials is not permitted unless agreed in writing. See Other guidelines and policies section for more details.

Substances of Very High Concern (SVHC)

The use of any chemicals listed as an SVHC under REACH legislation is not permitted unless agreed in writing. The list of SVHCs can be found here: https://echa.europa.eu/candidate-list-table It must be understood that the list is subject to change and some SVHCs may become the subject of authorisation requirements or more stringent legislation.

Table 3: Agricultural pesticides detailed list

OAO NI-	Profession and
CAS No.	Pesticide name
93-72-1	2-(2,4,5-trichlorophenoxy) propionic acid, its salts and compounds
93-76-5	2,4,5-T
93-72-1	2,4,5-TP
94-75-7	2,4-D
309-00-2	Aldrine
86-50-0	Azinophosmethyl
2642-71-9	Azinophosethyl
4824-78-6	Bromophos-ethyl
2425-06-1	Captafol
63-25-2	Carbaryl
510-15-6	Chlorbenzilat
57-74-9	Chlordane
6164-98-3	Chlordimeform
470-90-6	Chlorfenvinphos
1897-45-6	Chlorthalonil
56-72-4	Coumaphos
68359-37-5	Cyfluthrin
91465-08-6	Cyhalothrin
52315-07-8	Cypermethrin
78-48-8	S,S,S-Tributyl phosphorotrithioate (Tribufos)
52918-63-5	Deltamethrin
53-19-0	222
72-54-8	DDD
3424-82-6	
72-55-9	DDE
50-29-3	
789-02-6	DDT
333-41-5	Diazinone
1085-98-9	Dichlofluanide
120-36-5	Dichloroprop
115-32-2	Dicofol
141-66-2	Dicrotophos
60-57-1	Dieldrine
60-51-5	Dimethoate
88-85-7	Dinoseb, its salts and acetate
57648-21-2	DTTB (Timiperone)
115-29-7	Endosulfan
959-98-8	Endosulfan I (alpha)
33213-65-9	Endosulfan II (beta)
72-20-8	Endrine Endosulian in (beta)
66230-04-4	Esfenvalerate
106-93-4	Ethylendibromid Ethylengrathione
56-38-2	Ethylparathione

CAS No.	Pesticide name
51630-58-1	Fenvalerate
1336-36-3	
53469-21-9	Halogenated biphenyls, including Polychlorinatedbiphenyl (PCB)
Various	
Various	Halogenated terphenols, including polychlorinated terphenyl (PCT)
Various	Halogenated naphthalenes, including polychlorinated naphthalenes (PCNs)
Various	Halogenated diarylalkanes
99688-47-8	Halogenated diphenyl methanes, including Monomethyl-dibromo-
81161-70-8	diphenyl methane, Monomethyl-dichloro-diphenyl methane, and
76253-60-6	Monomethyl-tetrachloro-diphenyl methane
76-44-8	Heptachlor
1024-57-3	Heptachloroepoxide
319-84-6	a-Hexachlorocyclohexane with and without Lindane
319-85-7	b-Hexachlorocyclohexane with and without Lindane
319-86-8	g-Hexachlorocyclohexane with and without Lindane
118-74-1	Hexachlorobenzene
465-73-6	Isodrine
4234-79-1	Kelevane
143-50-0	Kepone
7784-40-9	Lead hydrogen arsenate
58-89-9	Lindane
121-75-5	Malathione
94-74-6	MCPA
94-81-5	MCPB
93-65-2	Mecoprop
10265-92-6	Metamidophos
72-43-5	Methoxychlor
2385-85-5	Mirex
6923-22-4	Monocrotophos
298-00-0	Parathion-methyl
1825-21-4	Pentachloroanisole
7786-34-7	Phosdrin/Mevinphos
72-56-0	Perthane
31218-83-4	Propethamphos
41198-08-7	Profenophos
13593-03-8	Quinalphos
82-68-8	Quintozene
8001-50-1	Strobane
297-78-9	Telodrine
8001-35-2	Toxaphene
731-27-1	Tolylfluanide
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1582-09-8	Trifluraline

Risk matrix

In the apparel and footwear supply chain, certain types of fibres and materials are more likely to contain restricted substances than others.

The risk matrix highlights the restricted substance risks associated with different fibres and materials, and is presented as a tool to guide suppliers in their efforts to manage restricted substances.

It is based on the combined knowledge of the AFIRM group brands over many years of experience in manufacturing and management of restricted substances across a wide range of materials.



Rating	Description
	Red indicates that a chemical has been in widespread use and/or frequently detected in a particular material.
2	Orange indicates that a chemical has been deliberately used and/or detected in a particular material occasionally.
3	Yellow indicates there is a very low but theoretical chance that a chemical could be used and/or detected.
White	White indicates that we believe there is an almost negligible risk of a chemical being used and/or detected.
Border	Boxes with border highlighted have been modified by Pentland to reflect risks observed in its supply chain

The aim of the risk matrix is to provide information on those substances that have historically been deliberately used or found as reagents/contaminants in different materials. The matrix does not represent a recommendation for testing; specific testing requirements will be communicated by Pentland Brands based on risk assessments of their own products and components.

Risk matrix

Substances	Natural fibres	Blended fibres	Synthetic fibres	Artificial leather with fibre backing	Natural leather	Coatings and prints	Natural materials including horns, bones, cork, wood, paper and straw	Polymers, plastics, foams, natural rubber and synthetic rubber	Metal	Feathers and down	Glue
Acetophenone and 2-Phenyl-2-Propanol								2A			
Acidic and Alkaline substances (pH)	1	1	1	1	1			2			
Alkylphenol (AP) and Alkylphenol Ethoxylates (APEOs), including all isomers	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		3	1
Azo-amines	1	1	1	1	1	1	1			1	
Bisphenol-A								3B			
Chlorinated Paraffins, SCCP (C10-C13) and MCCP (C14-C17)	3	3	3	2	1	2		2			
Chlorophenols (Tri-, Tetra-, and Pentachlorophenols)	3	3		3	3	3				3	
Chlororganic Carriers		2C	2D		3						
Dimethylformamide (DMFa)				2		2					2
Dimethylfumarate (DMFu)	3	3	3	3	3	3		3			
Dyes, Forbidden and Disperse		2	2	2		2					
Dyes, Navy Blue		3	3	3		3					
Flame Retardants				;	3 - if fire ret	ardant finis	h is applied	t			
Fluorinated Greenhouse Gases											
Formaldehyde	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				1
Heavy Metals, Chromium VI	3				1						
Heavy Metals, Nickel Release									1		
Heavy Metals, Cadmium Total				3		2		3	2		

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Heavy Metals, Lead Total				3		1		2/3E	1		
Heavy Metals, Additional Total (Hg & As)				3		3		3	3		
Heavy Metals, Extractable	2	2	2	2	2	2		2			
N-Nitrosamines								2F			
Organotin Compounds	3	3	3	3	3	3		3			3
Ortho-phenylphenol (OPP)	3	2	2	3	2	3					
Ozone-depleting Substances						3					
Perfluorinated and Polyfluorinated Chemicals (PFCs)				2 - if wa	ater or stain	repellent f	inish is appl	lied			
Pesticides, Agricultural	3	3			3						
Phthalates				1		1		1			1
Polycyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)				1		1		1			1
Styrene Monomer								2G			
Vinyl Chloride Monomer						2H		2H			
Volatile Organic Compounds (VOCs)	2	2	2	2	2	2		2			2
Isocyanates						21		2			2

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Manufacturing chemistry guidance

In order to ensure compliance with the RSL and minimise the chemical risks to workers and the environment in manufacturing, it is strongly recommended suppliers make use of the systems outlined on the next page, to screen for compliant formulations.

bluesign ®

The bluesign® bluefinder is an online database of bluesign® approved chemicals which can be used to screen for suitable chemistry. Suppliers which are not already a member of the bluesign® system should contact cr@pentland.com for details on how to access bluesign® bluefinder.

For more information visit www.bluesign.com



ZDHC manufacturing Restricted Substances List (MRSL)

Zero Discharge of Hazardous Chemicals (ZDHC) is promoting a harmonised approach to managing chemicals during the processing of raw materials within the apparel and footwear supply chain through their MRSL. Pentland Brands encourages its supply chain to contact their chemical suppliers and communicate the ZDHC MRSL standard to them. Chemical suppliers should be able to confirm which of their products meet this standard.

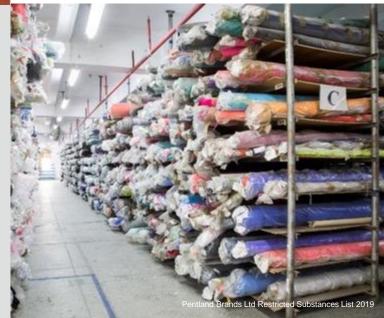
A copy of the most current ZDHC MRSL can be downloaded from the ZDHC website www.roadmaptozero.com



Oeko-tex®

The Oeko-tex® Eco-Passport system certifies chemical formulations for compliance against the Oeko-tex RSL and MSRL. This certification can be used to screen chemical formulations.

For more information visit www.oeko-tex.com



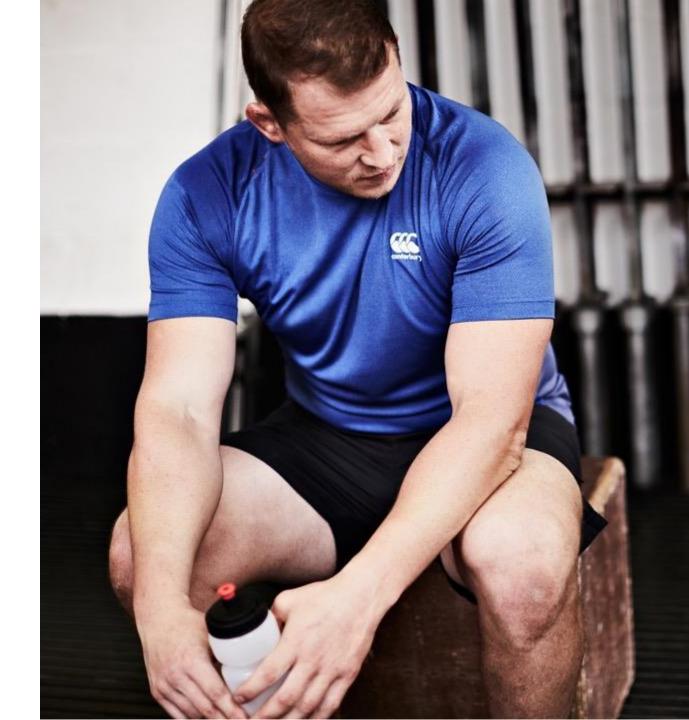
Other guidelines and policies

Anti-microbial guidelines

Pentland Brands currently restricts the use of anti-microbial technologies, approval for the use of which must be sought in writing. It applies where a chemical is added to the fabric (as a finish or within the fibre itself) in order to impart anti-bacterial, anti-microbial or anti-odour properties. It does not apply to fibres which have an inherent anti-odour property such as wool.

The most likely scenarios whereby these chemicals could enter Pentland Brands products are:

- Specified as a performance requirement
 e.g. anti-odour finishes
- 2) Used to inhibit growth of mould during storage/transportation





The conditions described below must be met prior to the approval of such chemicals for use within Pentland Brands product:

- Full disclosure of the chemistry used
- Be proven effective for our product types
- · No leaching or release of chemicals in order to be effective
- Be registered under the EU Biocidal Products Regulation
- · Meet global legislative standards
- Comply with the Pentland Brands Restricted Substances List
- Be listed in the bluesign® bluefinder or Oeko-tex® list of approved products with biological activity

Dimethyl fumarate (DMFu):

Use of DMFu to inhibit growth of mould during storage or transportation is prohibited.

Please contact <u>corporate.responsibility@pentland.com</u> for further guidance on the approval process.

Animal based products

There are additional requirements for the use of animal based products. These are outlined in the Pentland Brands responsible materials policy and can be downloaded from https://pentlandbrands.com/our-responsibility/



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