



What fibres are safe for our planet during

fibre production

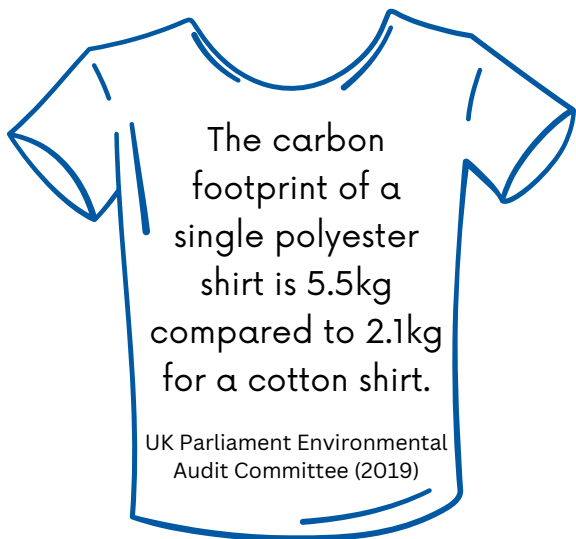


end of life?

use

washing

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What preferred fibres are available, and what makes them more ideal than others?

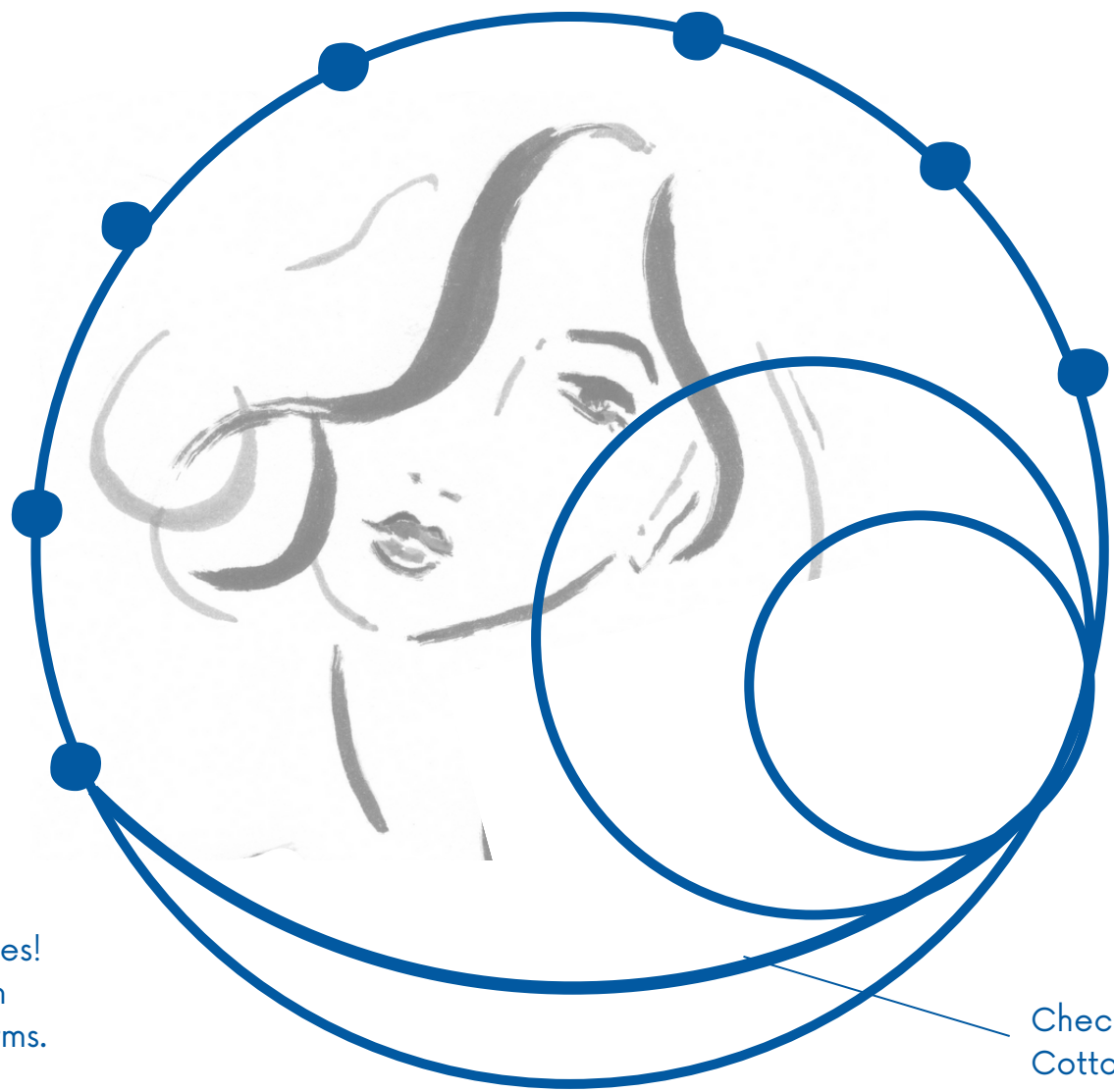


As a fashion consumer you can be responsible too and create change by creating demand for safe, recycled and renewable fibres by investing in them!



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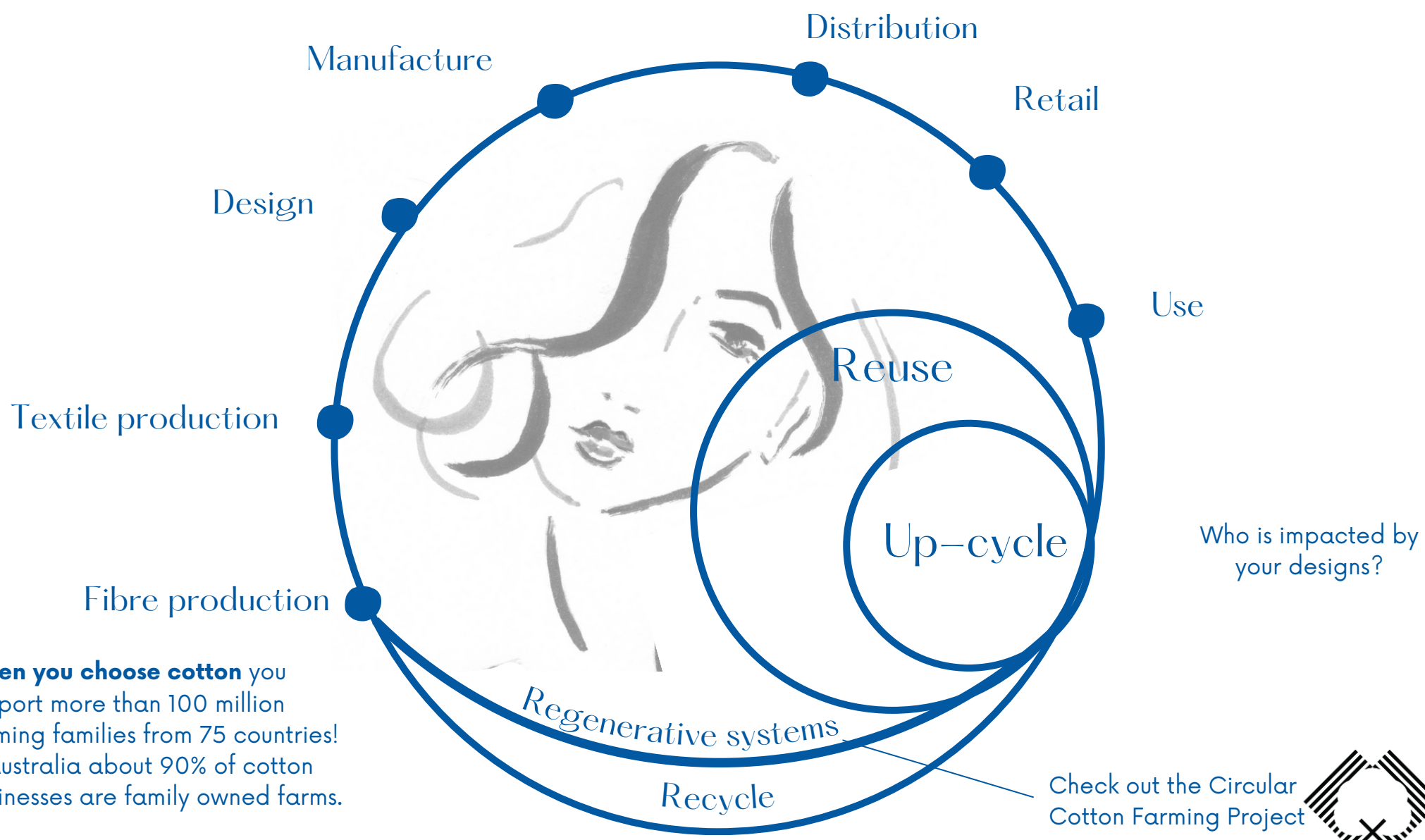
When you choose cotton you support more than 100 million farming families from 75 countries! In Australia about 90% of cotton businesses are family owned farms.

Who is impacted by your designs?

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Can you label the stages of this garment lifecycle?

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Paddock

Can the fibres you design with be returned to soil at end of life to naturally break down?

Cotton comes from plants and is biodegradable

What can you reuse?

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What fibres are renewable?

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What fibres are hypoallergenic?



Fabric blends hinder garment recyclability. Avoid fabric blends



Polyester, nylon, acrylic and other synthetic fibres are made from non-biodegradable plastics. They do not decompose, meaning that, unless they have been incinerated, more or less every plastic fibre ever made is still with us.



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