

Modulation of the contribution calculation for Clothing's durability

Declaration's terms and conditions

The modulation for Clothing's durability applies to 4 categories of products: **T-shirts, Jeans, Linen and Pullover.**

The modulation applies to the items put on the market on 2018 for the declaration of 2019.

1) Eligibility Criteria

To be considered eligible for this bonus, the items must meet the following criteria (**all criteria are required for each category**).

For T-shirts:

- Dimensional stability: inferior to 5 % (ISO 5077 standard)
- Dyeing fastness in washing (degradation and bleeding): level 4-5 for light colours, level 4 for dark colours (ISO 105 C06 standard)

For Jeans:

- Dimensional stability: inferior to 3 % (ISO 5077 standard)
- Abrasion resistance: superior to 15,000 washing cycles (ISO 12947-3 standard)

For Linen:

- Dimensional stability: **mesh:** inferior to 5%, **warp and weft:** inferior to 3 %
- Abrasion resistance: superior to 20,000 washing cycles (ISO 12947-3 standard)

For pullover:

- Dimensional stability: inferior to 5 % (ISO 5077 standard)
- Pilling: superior to 4 (according to Martindale's method, ISO 12945-2 standard)

Criteria relating to T-shirts, Jeans and Pullover apply to Men, Women and Children's items.

2) Conditions

Each member, who has put on the market at least one item or more eligible to the modulation of the contribution, on 2017, must during the declaration:

- Tick the box « Je déclare des articles Textiles et/ou Linge au barème éco-modulé durabilité textile » in the declaration tab of their Eco TLC Extranet account;
- enter the **number of relevant references for T-shirt, Jeans, Pullover and Linen items** in the spaces provided;
- enter the **total** amount of items eligible (total amount for T-shirts, total amount for Jeans, total for Linen and total for Pullover) in the "Amount eligible for the modulation" entry table;
- attach the certificates corresponding to the declaration.

WARNING: The certificates required are **due for each eligible item's reference**. A French or a foreign laboratory can deliver them equally. In the case where the tests are delivered by in-house laboratory, a legal representative of the company must certify the results.

3) Bonus amount

The amount of the bonus applied is of 75% off the base rate, with no difference made between the following categories: TPP (very small items), PP (small items) or MP (average items).

The non-eligible items still have to be declared at the base rate. The quantities declared at the modulation rate without valid certificate will automatically not be taken into account and the contribution will be calculated at the base rate.

The bonus for Clothing's durability cannot be combined with the other bonus proposed (use of recycled fibres or production cut-offs).