

# RE-VOGUE VENTURES

THE CIRCULAR INITIATIVE FOR LUXURY FASHION BRANDS

**wks** Sustainable  
Textile  
Solutions


 RETURN

 REPAIR

 RENEW

 RESELL





**85% of clothing ends up in landfills or gets incinerated.** One of the best things we can do for the planet is keep stuff in use longer and reduce our overall consumption. That means buying less, repairing more and trading in gear when you no longer need it.

Source: Patagonia

## TURNING 2<sup>ND</sup> HAND INTO 1<sup>ST</sup> CHOICE



**RE-VOGUE VENTURES**, our pioneering circular fashion initiative, represents a significant breakthrough in WKS's strategic commitment to combat clothing waste.

With each garment's transformation, we seamlessly integrate eco-friendly cleaning techniques, cutting-edge data tracking, and expert invisible mending. This synergy rejuvenates pre-loved items to a pristine, 'like-new' state. It's not just fashion; it's a sustainable revolution.



Advanced Return  
Management



Professional  
Inspection &  
Classification



Meticulous  
Recrafting & Repair



GOTS-certified  
Ecological Cleaning  
& Sanitisation



Green Light for  
Resell, Sustainable  
Packaging



Warehousing &  
Distribution



Resale, Rent &  
Recommerce  
Management

### OUR CUSTOM-DESIGNED "APPROVED QUALITY" SEAL ASSURES CUSTOMERS THEY'RE GETTING A LIKE-NEW ITEM.

Every garment refurbished by WKS receives a seal from us, confirming that it has been meticulously inspected for appearance, functionality, and cleanliness and has been restored to a condition close to that of new. This ensures that there are no obstacles to a 'second life' for these garments. Buyers can be confident they are acquiring a high-quality item while also making a positive environmental impact.





## GARMENT REJUVENATION

---

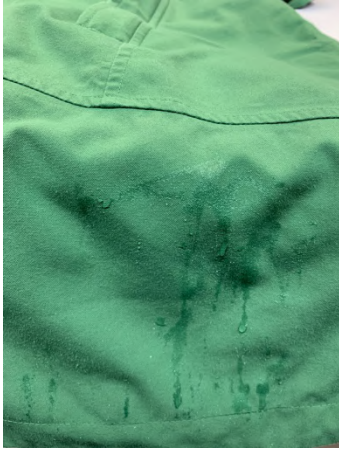
**wks** Sustainable  
Textile  
Solutions

We lovingly **restore and revitalize** each piece, making them look and feel like new.



EXPERIENCE **THE TRANSFORMATION** OF PRE-LOVED FASHION WITH US.

2<sup>ND</sup> HAND





## SUSTAINABLE REPAIRS

---

**wks** Sustainable  
Textile  
Solutions

Our artisans are experts in invisibly mend and enhance garments with **eco-conscious craftsmanship**.

## A WIN FOR CONSUMERS, THE BUSINESS AND THE PLANET

The worldwide second-hand market is poised for remarkable growth, set to nearly double in size by 2027, surging to a staggering \$350 billion. This flourishing resale market presents an extraordinary opportunity for fashion brands, offering a multifaceted advantage:

### CHAMPIONING SUSTAINABILITY

**75%**

of consumers have shopped  
or are open to shopping  
second-hand apparel.

A chance to align with sustainability  
objectives, demonstrating commitment  
to a greener future.

### EXPAND AUDIENCE REACH

**58%**

of Gen Z who bought  
second-hand apparel in the  
last 12 months—more  
than any other generation.

Attracting entirely new target  
audiences who are drawn to the  
appeal of sustainable fashion.

### BRAND'S RESALE TERRITORY

**70%**

of Luxury consumers want  
to purchase second-hand  
products directly from a  
brand.

Establishing ownership in the second-  
hand market sphere, reinforcing brand  
identity.

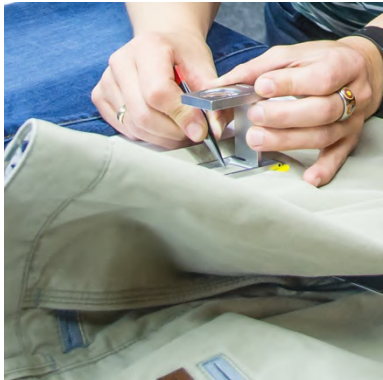
### DIVERIFYING REVENUE STREAM

**21%**

Expected annual growth of  
online resale market over the  
next 5 years, growing 2x  
faster than second-hand .

Creating an additional avenue for  
revenue, driving profitability while  
promoting environmental responsibility.

## THE JOURNEY OF **TRANSFORMATION** – ALL-INCLUSIVE SERVICE SOLUTIONS



### **EXPERT EVALUATION & ANALYSIS**

Our skilled team conducts a thorough inspection and analysis, tailoring a unique refurbishment plan for each garment and categorize their condition.



### **PROFESSIONAL REPAIR & RESTORATION**

Armed with expertise and top-notch tools, we mend, re-paint, re-stitch, and restore each piece to its optimal state.



### **CLEANING, SANITISATION & PROCESSING**

We professionally clean garments, eliminating odors and bacteria with GOTS-certified treatments, all while efficiently managing water usage.



### **FINAL APPROVAL & PACKAGING**

Post-refurbishment, garments undergo a final inspection, receive quality labels with a customised “approved quality”-seal and sustainable packaging.



### **RECOMMERCE MANAGEMENT**

We handle the entire resale process. We expertly photograph, store, and seamlessly distribute each garment into its new home.



## THE CIRCULAR INITIATIVE

---

**wks** Sustainable  
Textile  
Solutions

Join us in the mission to make fashion more sustainable, **one garment at a time.**



## ABOUT WKS – SUSTAINABLE HERITAGE



At WKS, sustainability and environmental consciousness are not recent concepts.: Preserving values and minimising waste for the benefit of our environment has always been at the heart of everything we do.

For over 60 years, WKS Textile has been the leading solution provider for intricate repairs, quality assurance, laboratory testing, and refurbishment of new or pre-owned garments in the European textile and apparel industry.

**60**

Years of experience  
in the professional  
recovery of garments.

**7**

Facilities in garment  
production countries in and  
around Europe to ensure  
capacity for flexible growth.

**15M**

Garments per year are  
currently processed by  
the WKS

**+300**

Highly qualified and  
experienced members of  
staff care about your  
garments

Within our GOTS-certified headquarters facility in Germany and operations in seven key production countries, WKS offers a diverse range of highly skilled services across the entire supply chain. Our seamlessly integrated services, all delivered under one roof, create enduring value and empower textile industry brands and retailers to focus on their core competencies.

Experience excellence in textile solutions with WKS – your trusted partner in textile problem-solving and environmental stewardship.





## ABOUT WKS - END-TO-END SERVICE EXCELLENCE



### LOGISTICS & DISTRIBUTION

Our custom-designed warehousing and fulfilment solutions for omnichannel retailers, supported by over 60 years of expertise, allow us to support businesses of various sizes, from newcomer brands to established international retailers and manufacturers including software integration and seamless distribution.



### REVERSE LOGISTICS/ RETURN MANAGEMENT

Effortlessly managing returns, we boast an impressive success rate of 87%, transforming second-rate items into first-rate garments. Our comprehensive returns process covers everything, from receiving inbound items, rigorous quality control, thorough cleaning, meticulous refurbishment, and expert repackaging.



### RAW MATERIAL & FINISHED GARMENT CONTROL, QUALITY ASSURANCE, LABORATORY TESTING

We provide the essential assurance your production facilities need to consistently manufacture top-quality textiles and finished garments on time. Our offerings include comprehensive 100% inspections of finished garments carried out by trained product examiners following DIN/ISO 2859 (AQL) standards.




### GARMENT WASHING & FINISHING

The WKS laundry and finishing facilities in Germany, Romania, and the Dominican Republic specialize in environmentally friendly textile refinement and contribute to a cleaner textile and clothing industry through sustainable processes.



## THE ART OF DARNING – THE SOLUTION FOR DAMAGED CLOTHING

**wks** Sustainable  
Textile  
Solutions



At WKS, we proudly bear the torch of a 60-year legacy steeped in the timeless craft of art darning. In an era where this ancient art is often forgotten, we stand as guardians of a craft on a mission that is set out to drastically reduce textile waste.

When a professional art repairer mends a damaged garment, it's as though the damage never existed. This is especially seamless with patterned fabrics. Here, the intricate patterns not only mask imperfections but enhance the garment's unique character.



TRANSFORMING PRE-OWNED GARMENTS INTO PRISTINE CHOICES



2<sup>ND</sup> HAND



2<sup>ND</sup> HAND







Industriestraße 1  
49849 Wilsum  
Phone: +49 5945 89-0  
Email: [info@wks-textil.de](mailto:info@wks-textil.de)