

DIGITAL EXPERIENCE

ACTIVITY SHEET:

Please complete this fact:

Globally, _____ % of material made into clothing is plastic.

(United Nations Environment Programme, 2019)

How is single-use plastic prevented in Teemill clothing?

What action has Teemill taken to consider the wider impact of climate change?

Microplastics: Objects smaller than 5mm.

Microfibers: A type of microplastic released from washing or wearing synthetic clothing (for example, made from plastic such as polyester and acrylic).

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (2021)

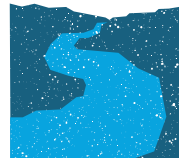
TASK

How do microplastics get from our clothes into the ocean?

Please complete the flow diagram:



Synthetic (plastic) clothing



DID YOU KNOW?

For an average clothes wash, over 700,000 microfibers could be released! (Napper, 2016)

Microfibers from synthetic clothing contributes up to 35% of the plastic pollution in our oceans. (Ocean Clean Wash, 2021)

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