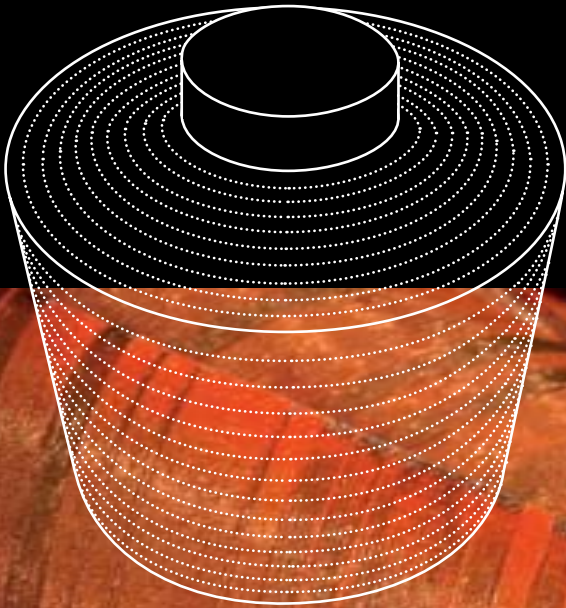


Trevira

THE FIBRE COMPANY



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Polyester fibres with a plus

It all starts with the fibre. The plus stands for our philosophy:

Our fibres possess outstanding functional properties. Allied to a powerful brand that is known the world over, this forms the basis of our success as a leading manufacturer of polyester specialties.

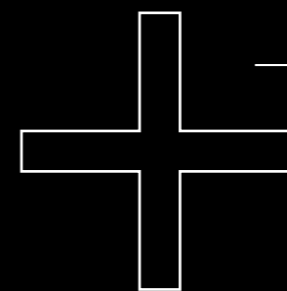
Fibres plus tested quality is the next element, guaranteed by the safeguards offered by our trademark contracts.

The plus, however, also stands for the extensive range of services, from which our customers and partners profit in the collaboration with us. We have continuously developed these services over many years. They constitute an expression of our close links with customers and play a major role in our history of success.

The environmental friendliness of our products is a further significant plus point. Sustainable development forms a vital element in our company goals, both in production and in further processing of our fibres and yarns, right through to the end user.

Our parent company Reliance Group, the world's largest polyester manufacturer, has brought a greater international dimension to our business. This means you may now count on our presence in every market, and with a plus too.

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Fibre⁺ Competence

Enterprise in growth

For five decades the name Trevira has stood for “textiles with function”. Founded in the late 1950s as a business division of Hoechst AG, our plant in Bobingen started production of staple fibres from polyester – the latest innovation in the man-made fibre market, then still in its infancy. At the end of the seventies came the breakaway from commodity products and the shift towards increasingly specialised functional fibres and yarns. Small volumes in lieu of mass production, but high value, essential and made to measure. In the eighties flame retardant fibres made their appearance. A product that has recorded rising growth rates over the years has made us the first call for manufacturers of home textiles with inherent safety. A few years ago the latest product speciality came on the scene, permanently antimicrobial fibres.

Since 2004 Trevira has been part of the Reliance Group, India’s largest private company with a product portfolio ranging from oil and gas up to textiles and retail activities. Today Trevira is the only supplier in the world offering the complete range of polyester products, from polymer through to dyed textured yarns. In the process it adapts its operations to focus on meeting the needs of the global market.

Worldwide presence

Some 1900 employees, spread over five plants and various sales offices in Europe, work in production or service departments, creating strong links with the customer. Close customer contact is a high priority for us. Therefore we do not simply stand at the beginning of the textile supply chain, but support our customers through to sales promotion.

In all this we cross over frontiers, demonstrated by our offices throughout the whole world, most recently in the Middle East, in the PR of China and in Japan. They support our European customers in their efforts to move ahead in new markets, assisting them in building up business on the spot.





Fibre⁺ Teamwork

Global deployment

As one of the leading polyester fibre manufacturers in Europe we are constantly faced with new challenges. They arise from competitors, but also from the great demands placed on us by customers. Yet with a well-structured and functioning network we are able to meet the diverse wishes of customers, no matter how extensive or unusual these may be, and we always succeed in keeping one step ahead of the competition. This takes close cooperation between our teams – wherever they are located.

Site designation

Bobingen – Germany

The parent plant in Bobingen is the main company headquarters. Production of staple fibres and flat filament yarns. Textile Technical Centre for fabric development and Research & Development for polymers, filaments, fibres.

Guben – Germany

Production site for filament specialities for the textile industry. Flat and textured filament yarns for car interiors, apparel and home textiles.

Hattersheim – Germany and Trevira International

Marketing & Sales: this is the control centre for service to customers and partners in the whole world. To this end there are also offices in France, Great Britain, Italy, Poland, Portugal, Russia, Spain. And freelance representatives in some 40 further countries.

Quevaucamps – Belgium

As a pure texturing operation, this Trevira site specialises in manufacturing of air-textured yarns for the automotive industry. A colour laboratory offers services to customers in the region.

Silkeborg – Denmark

Customised textured yarns are created in Denmark. The Competence Centre Texture cooperates closely with product developers and designers at customers.

Zielona Gora – Poland

The youngest site in the Trevira Group: it has produced high quality textured yarns for the home textile and automotive sectors since June 2006. A location in growth.

In the market for special fibres and yarns we have to constantly reinvent ourselves. The Competence Centers and the Textile Technical Centre in our Research & Development department work continuously on new products. Their goal is to anticipate and meet market needs and, working jointly with customers, to bring prototypes to the production stage.

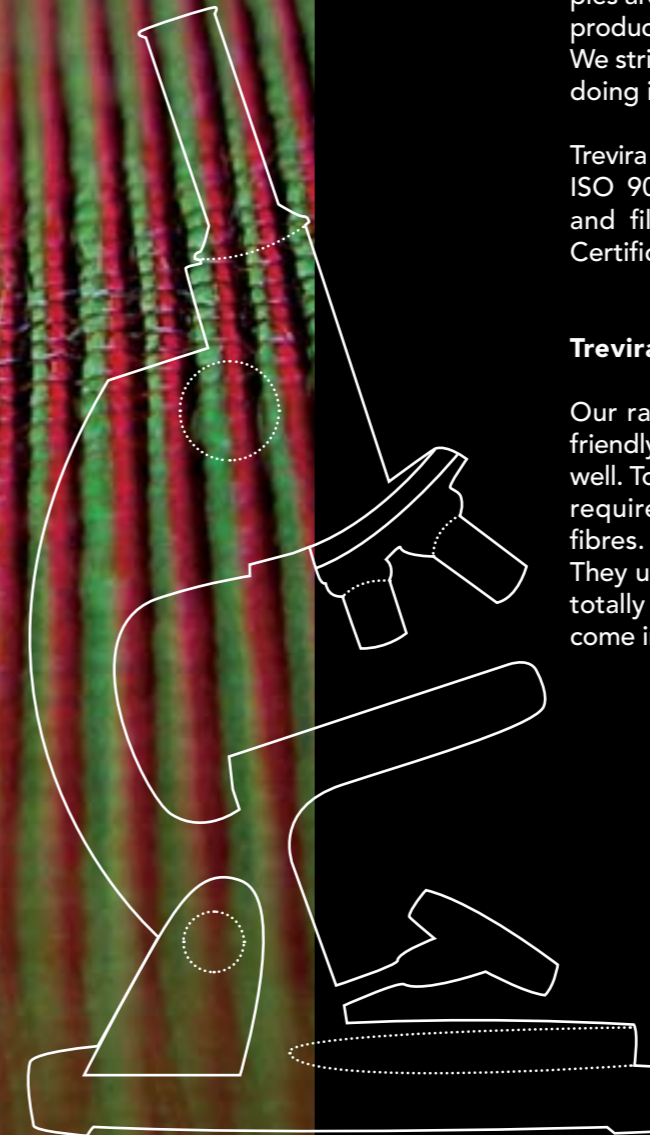
Tailor-made fibres with added functions

Our antimicrobial fibre, Trevira Bioactive, is the latest example of our strengths in innovation. A silver additive, permanently embedded in the fibre raw material, protects against the growth of bacteria and against unpleasant odours. Such properties have become a must in textiles where special hygienic demands are involved. Incorporating them in the "classic" Trevira CS adds a further function, delivering an end product that is both flame retardant and antimicrobial.

Fibre+ Innovation

Research & Development for speciality fibres

Our love of detail is paramount, which is shown in the way we manufacture our high quality fibres. We talk about the "made to measure" fibre, meaning our fibres, already at the production stage, receive the perfect prerequisites for their particular end use. Whether crease-free, low pill, microfine, elastic, breathable, flame retardant or antimicrobial, we impose no limits on the customer or on ourselves.



Integrated protection of the environment

It is our aim to maintain a position where we can deliver quality without compromise in the future as well, and this requires constant effort, both on our own behalf and for the sake of our environment. We set very high standards here. And we take part in the international initiative for sustainable development, which focuses on maintaining a balance between the economy and the environment.

Health, safety and protection of the environment are among the highest goals of our enterprise. We consider it a special requirement that we act with foresight and in a manner that respects the environment when we develop products and refine our manufacturing processes. Examples are conservation of energy and water, recycling of by-products and, where possible, using renewable resources. We strive continuously to improve our processes and in so doing involve every employee, customer and supplier.

Trevira is certified according to the international standards ISO 9001 and ISO14001. In addition, all Trevira fibres and filaments carry the much sought-after Oeko-Tex Certificate.

Trevira – the environmentally friendly fibre

Our raw material polyester is not only environmentally friendly in its manufacture, but in all downstream stages as well. To acquire the desired properties, "fibres to measure" require fewer chemicals than do, for instance, natural fibres. Textiles in Trevira are easy care and hardwearing. They use less water and energy in maintenance. They are totally compatible with the skin, comfortable in use, and come in any design desired.

Fibre⁺ Safety

Flame retardant fibres for the contract market

With our permanently flame retardant fibres and filament yarns we have succeeded in combining comfort and safety, without making compromises in design. Trevira CS fabrics are flame retardant according to all important provisions relating to fire protection. Decorative fabrics, seat covers and bedding textiles offer safety with permanence.

It is a comforting feeling to know that the flame retardant Trevira property is present, from the suite to the dining room, and to the bar. In offices, theatres, cinemas and meeting places too.

Trevira CS is also on the move, both on water and the road and in the air. And the demands remain the same as for the hotel or the conference hall. The materials must look good and be flame retardant. They must be lightfast, easy care and durable over long periods, particularly where conditions are hard.

Trevira CS is not found solely in the comfort zones of this world. In hospitals and homes as well, fabrics create a secure and pleasant ambience. Here especially in the antimicrobial version as drape, curtain or room divider. Even suitable for the sterile inner sanctum of the hospital – the operating theatre.

Over 1000 fabric collections

Excellent compatibility with the skin, conformity with all important international fire safety standards and hardwearing durability, even after frequent washing – these are qualities that have opened all doors to our safety fibres. Every conceivable fabric construction is feasible. Individual design and a choice from over 1000 collections enable users to create their own personal Trevira CS ambience.



Fibre+ Styling



Fibre+ Performance

Fibres for hygiene and nonwovens

They are effective and indispensable: Trevira fibres in nonwovens for the hygiene industry and other special applications. They are in daily use, in diapers, ladies sanitary wear and cosmetic pads, in everything from wet wipes to high quality fleece inlays. You will also find them in technical enduses such as insulation and filtration. The aircraft and automotive industries too hold nonwovens made from Trevira in high regard due to their excellent performance and reliability.

Fibres for the automotive industry

You do not have to drive a car, it will be enough to sit in one now and again to come into contact with Trevira. This is because roughly half of the cars made in Europe are furnished with fabrics in Trevira. Practically every large European make of vehicle, and many others, carry Trevira along the world's roads.

This sector has now grown to become one of our most important areas of activity. Spun fibres, flat and textured yarns transform seat covers, headliners and boot linings into comfortable and robust surfaces. Quality of the highest level is demanded here, requiring close collaboration with our customers and total commitment from our research & development department. A variety of testing methods are used to meet the stringent standards set by the car industry and ensure they will be maintained. Fabrics are developed to the specification of the customers, enabling them to supply products the carmakers want for their new models.

The automotive industry is globalising too, so it is important for us to be able to deliver worldwide. We supply not only in Europe, but in Asia, Africa and North and South America as well.

Comfortable and cosy: fill fibres for bedding

The way you sleep will tell you whether there is Trevira Fill in your pillow and duvet. Excellent in terms of breathability, snug and comfortable, kind to the skin, permanently antimicrobial if required - these are qualities of our hollow fibres to keep even sleepwalkers in their beds. The secret behind them: 10,000 metres of Trevira Fill weigh a mere 6 grams, yet they have 15% more bulk than traditional fill fibres, and protect you from the cold without making you perspire.

Fibre⁺ Function

Dressed in Trevira – functional fibres for apparel

Clothing made of Trevira is easy care, crease-free, quick-drying and hardwearing. On its own or in mixes with wool, viscose, cotton or linen. Since first impressions in business are often decisive, it is a good thing to feel confident when making an appearance.

Trevira Perform – low pilling and hardwearing

Trevira fabrics for corporate wear do not lose either colour or shape, they remain totally hardwearing and provide a high level of comfort. Low pill fibres stop unsightly knots forming. From the classic to the casually smart, there are no limits imposed on the desired style.

Trevira Bioactive – fresh and hygienic

Our fibres are also held in high regard by care staff, in this case with Trevira Bioactive workwear. The antimicrobial effect leaves no opportunity for bacterial growth.

Trevira Micro – soft and light

Trevira Micro is the fibre for sportswear when high performance in sport is the goal. The basis for light, comfortable and elegant fabrics that are kind to the skin and regulate body temperature. Combined with Trevira Bioactive, the garments remain fresh for longer, even when you start to perspire.

Trevira Xpand – comfortable stretch

To follow sport there is stretch performance from Trevira Xpand in clothing. Jeans that seem to be part of the legs. Because Trevira Xpand moulds to the skin and stretches as you do. Not only elastic, but also breathable, hardwearing and comfortable. A classic with new properties.

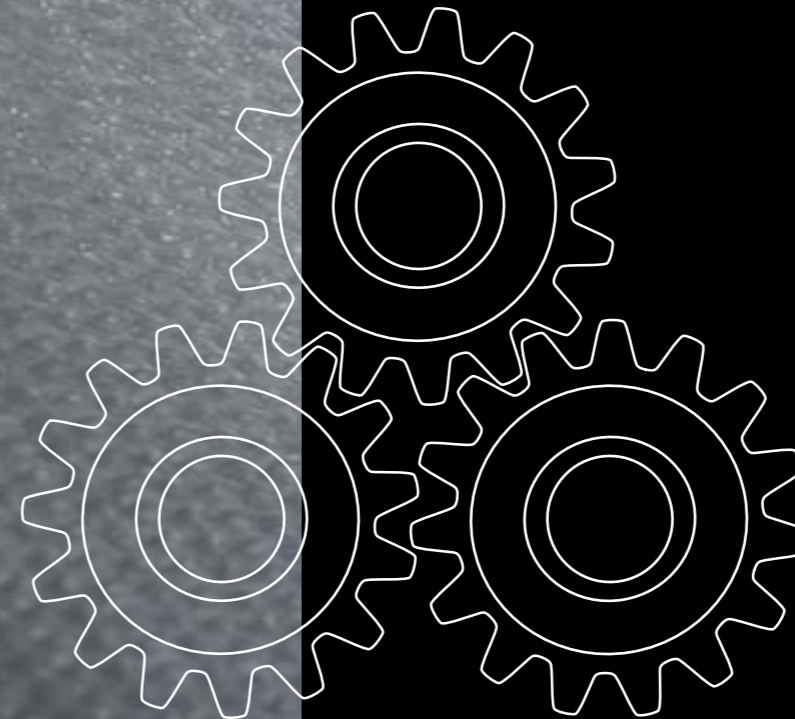


Fibre⁺ Versatility

Trevira products for technical applications

The versatility of Trevira is demonstrated by the numerous applications of our products that are possible in technical textiles. As microfibre articles for the cleaning sector, as filter materials for the car industry and energy supply sector or as the basis for digital print of advertisements and posters. There is a use for our fibres too in combination materials and as bonding in building materials. Trevira yarns are processed by the ribbon industry into decorative ribbons and cable sheathing. Spun-dyed fluorescent filaments are used in protective clothing.

Extremely high and varied demands in terms of function, compatibility with the body and comfort, these are factors that naturally come into play with medical and hygiene textiles. Here too Trevira can hold its own. Surgical textiles in Trevira microfilament yarns are hygienic and breathable. Reusable underlays in Trevira Bioactive prevent the spread of bacteria. On the road to recovery elastic, textured Trevira filament yarns provide the basis for plasters and bandages containing active ingredients.



Service means working together

Our service extends even further. To provide customers with fresh stimulus, Trevira is looking for the textiles of tomorrow and offers a comprehensive trend advisory service for home textiles. Our Trevira experts also supply information on special market segments as well as on safety and textile tests, carry out customer training and are on hand to deal with technical problems.

The Trademark Service

Our trademark service tests the Trevira textiles of our customers as to their conformity with our trademark guidelines. After the quality test is passed, they receive trademark approval and their articles can bear the Trevira brand. Trevira's service does not stop here however. By means of marketing support, promotion and a joint presence at trade fairs, we help customers to access new markets by assisting them in establishing contact with local dealers and furnishers.

Yarn & fabric development

Over half of the fibres and filament yarns in the Trevira programme are less than five years old. And we are constantly active in development. This also applies to new fabrics. The cooperative efforts of many creative minds are needed here. Thanks to close collaboration with yarn and fabric makers, we have the ability to transform ideas and suggestions into new product developments. In conjunction with our partners we carry out special commissions right through to mass production stage. In addition we create materials in our Textile Technical Centre that demonstrate the variety of design opportunities in Trevira products, thus serving to stimulate designers to produce new collections.

The online fabric library

On our Trevira Net homepage we offer an extensive online fabric library to partners. At www.trevira.com you can find full details about Trevira and the applications possible with our products.

Trevira Service means networking across the entire textile supply chain.

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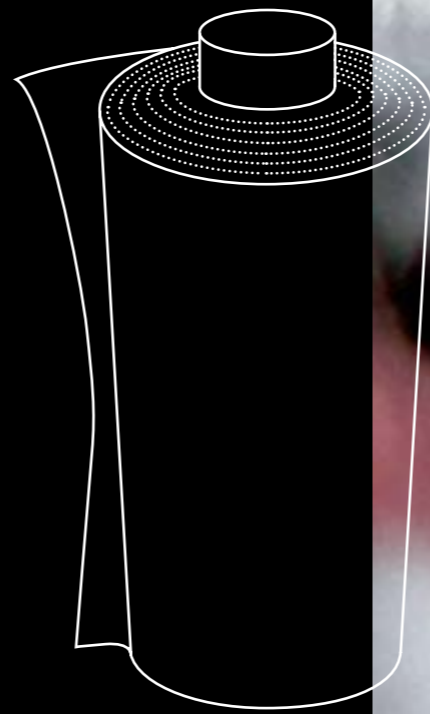
Fibre⁺ Brand



A powerful brand

Trevira stands for functional comfort in textiles – manufactured either from Trevira filament or fibre yarns, both for fashionable attire and tasteful furnishings.

With its roof brand and a portfolio of subbrands for the different Trevira functionalities, Trevira offers the right brand for every purpose, and this makes all the difference.



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