Fashion Sustainability Resource List

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Websites

https://www.thredup.com/fashionfootprint

https://www.fashionrevolution.org/

https://www.businessoffashion.com/

https://www.drapersonline.com/

https://directory.goodonyou.eco

https://www.grove.co/welcome/thredup

https://www.ellenmacarthurfoundation.org/our-work/activities/make-fashion-circular

https://apps.apple.com/gb/app/buycott-barcode-scanner-qr-bar-code-scanner/id585933440

Articles

'It's the industry's dirty secret': why fashion's oversupply problem is an environmental disaster

Stacey Dooley Investigates: Are your clothes wrecking the planet? - BBC Three

Are British-made clothes more sustainable? | Ethical and green living | The Guardian

Textiles Focus: Sustainable Sourcing

Ethical issues remain in the fashion industry - Raconteur

Fashion in 2018 | 08. Sustainability Credibility

A 'Made in Britain' fashion revival – for those who can afford it | The Independent

Ethical sourcing in the garment industry | Michael Page

https://www.gapincsustainability.com/people/improving-factory-working-conditions

Ethical Fashion Initiative | ITC

http://www.textilevaluechain.com/index.php/article/technical/item/235-role-of-carbon-footprint-in-textile-and-apparel-industry

Women have adopted throwaway fashion and bin clothes after a few wears | Daily Mail Online

How to Spot Greenwashing in Fashion: 10+ Useful Tools – Green Heart Collective

How to donate clothes in the most ethical ways possible

What really happens to your internet shopping returns? - ACS Clothing

Video Resources

Patriot Act with Hasan Minaj
The Ugly Truth of Fast Fashion
(Volume 5 Episode 3)
https://www.netflix.com/watch/80991192?trackId=14272281&tctx=0%2C4%2Cad83f2d0-fc2c-47b9-9d92-5fd2aad47a10-94097196%2C%2C

Fashion Reimagined
https://www.nowtv.com/watch/fashion-reimagined-2022/A5EK3JXxfMHsypnPzTfrW
(REALLY RECOMMEND THIS ONE)

Made in Bangladesh: BBC Click
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=13KjBRV4KDk

UNTOLD: Inside The Shein Machine | Channel 4 Documentaries
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LYEm9BR4zVA

The True Cost
https://www.amazon.co.uk/True-Cost-Stella-McCartney/dp/B07PNN73T6/ref=sr_1_1?keywords=the+true+cost&qid=1582211285&s=instant-video&sr=1-1

The Greenwashing Horrors of H&M
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n24ESPIsgic

Who Made My Clothes? The People Bringing Transparency to the Fashion Industry
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GIIItSKHp1g&t=1s

How and Why Fast Fashion Was Created
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rd-x0MIbufc

Alex James: Slowing Down Fast Fashion
https://www.amazon.co.uk/gp/video/detail/B01IDOX20E/ref=atv_dp_b07_det_c_8DXrcX_1_2

River Blue: The Movie
http://riverbluethemovie.eco

How fast fashion choices in the the UK are causing an environmental catastrophe in Ghana | ITV News - YouTube

The astonishing amount of water used to make a pair of jeans! | Fashion Conscious - BBC - YouTube

'Modern-day slavery' revealed in UK garment factories - YouTube

Undercover in a Bangladesh clothing factory - YouTube

Fibres to Fabric: Introduction
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PDuiSnBYCQc

the sustainable wardrobe: natural fibre selection
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1OtdxpyFKDw

The sustainable wardrobe: synthetic fibre selection
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hZRL_mPPB9A

The sustainable wardrobe: wood-based fibre selection
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UypCBi4UCAc

The Life Cycle of A T-Shirt- Angel Chang
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BiSYoeqb_VY

TED Talks

Ethics are the new black | Dr. Sue Thomas | TEDxHeriotWattUniversity
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CewXLnWGIKY

3 creative ways to fix fashion's waste problem | Amit Kalra
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yeVU2Ff4ffc

I Broke Up With Fast Fashion and You Should Too | Gabriella Smith | TEDxWynwoodWomen
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mKPB0uW4cto

How to Engage with Ethical Fashion | Clara Vuletich | TEDxSydney
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WXOd4qh3JKk

Usership: fashion beyond consumerism | Kate Fletcher | TEDxMacclesfield
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iHIHvHsTmSA

We all need a fashion fast | Carly Leonard | TEDxPeterborough
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3xj961D4Z_E

Fast Fashion's Effect on People, The Planet, & You | Patrick Woodyard | TEDxUniversityofMississippi
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mPM9lhackHw

Podcasts

The Yikes Podcast
https://open.spotify.com/show/5rt2DC1hDOsMgW3P2Uxdan?si=BIfTlLHDSIK30R4FmtGTCw

Common Threads Podcast
https://open.spotify.com/show/68WHxKVJrihjFW11TMTxuT?si=c5uZGRCVSOqMSSSXupjEpg

American Fashion Podcast
https://open.spotify.com/show/2kXomNhjuHkyL410B5xDTU

The Business of Fashion Podcast
https://open.spotify.com/show/6Y1STt6SGDnPc8AdDzGMzn

This Week in Fashion
https://open.spotify.com/show/0oajJr1U2wjFwIlreknVi8

The fashion feed by elizabeth stiles
https://open.spotify.com/show/4SpTaB0ILz8M9czRfERMTz

Fashion Hags
https://open.spotify.com/show/01sigfNofPuMl0rP3Gu6Yc?si=yHkuCBwUSpCwijBuJKn4cw

Specific Episodes
Business of Fashion Podcast
Fashionopolis: Ethical Fashion's New Bible
https://open.spotify.com/episode/2cL7nTrgGxrb3n4hMwO36X

Fashion Hags
Episode 86: Sustainability Pact at G7 and How France Wants Fashion To Get It Together
https://open.spotify.com/episode/342TTHMoXjz6YYKbu91EaS

Stuff You Should Know
What's The Deal with Indigo?
https://open.spotify.com/episode/1Zbu1yXKUbSTv91O7z25O2

The Business of Fashion Podcasts
Jochen Zeitz on the Power of Fashion To Drive Sustainable Change
https://open.spotify.com/episode/1OQKWx88yQHElrIMGUhSRJ
Business of Fashion Podcast
Millard Drexer on why Growth is the Enemy
https://open.spotify.com/episode/3BwUFTxG1ZH1tXsFuerzw5

Business of Fashion Podcast
Women are at the forefront of the Sustainable Fashion Revolution
https://open.spotify.com/episode/6vae4dt3e9W1pyreBGFNMP

Business of Fashion Podcast
Trisha Shetty on Human Rights and Human Wrongs
https://open.spotify.com/episode/754wTLaIpcuiapZREkBDn1

Business of Fashion Podcast

Tim Brown on Allbirds' Sustainable Footwear Revolution
https://open.spotify.com/episode/0rJkDlE96eIEGK59dboj68

Business of Fashion Podcast
Veja Co-Founder Sebastian Kopp Talks Sustainable Business
https://open.spotify.com/episode/6eho0EDem53C4LZwnkdoGx

Books

Consumed
By Aja Barber
https://www.waterstones.com/book/consumed/aja-barber/9781914240096

Sustainable Fashion Scotland eBook
By Mairi Lowe
https://mairilowe.com/ebook

Fashionopolis
The Price of Fast Fashion and The Future of Clothes
By Dana Thomas
https://www.waterstones.com/book/fashionopolis/dana-thomas/9781789546088

Over-dressed:
The Shockingly High Cost of Cheap Fashion
By Elizabeth L. Cline
https://www.wob.com/en-gb/books/elizabeth-l-cline/overdressed/9781591846543

Wardrobe Crisis:
How We Went From Sunday Best to Fast Fashion
By Clare Press
https://www.wob.com/en-gb/books/clare-press/wardrobe-crisis/9781510723429

Stitched Up:
The Anti-Capitalist Book of Fashion (Counterfire)
By Tansy E Hoskins
https://www.wob.com/en-gb/books/tansy-e-hoskins/anti-capitalist-book-of-fashion/9780745346618

To Die for: Is Fashion Wearing Out the World?
By Lucy Seagle
https://www.wob.com/en-gb/books/lucy-siegle/to-die-for/9780007264094

Slave to Fashion
By Safia Minney
https://www.wob.com/en-gb/books/safia-minney/slave-to-fashion/9781780263984

Fixing Fashion
By Michael Lavergne
https://www.abebooks.co.uk/9780865718005/Fixing-Fashion-Rethinking-Way-Market-0865718008/plp

Clothing Poverty:
The Hidden World of Fast Fashion and Second-Hand Clothes
By Andrew Brooks
https://www.wob.com/en-gb/books/andrew-brooks/clothing-poverty/9781786997371

Fashion Ethics:
By Sue Thomas
https://www.abebooks.co.uk/servlet/BookDetailsPL?bi=22547924960&searchurl=ds%3D20%26kn%3DFashion%2BEthics%253A%2BBy%2BSue%2BThomas%26sortby%3D17&cm_sp=snippet-_-srp1-_-image1

The Conscious Closet:
THE REVOLUTIONARY GUIDE TO LOOKING GOOD WHILE DOING GOOD
By Elizabeth L Cline
https://www.wob.com/en-gb/books/elizabeth-l-cline/conscious-closet/9781524744304

Clothing Rental Companies

https://www.hirestreetuk.com

https://www.byrotation.com

https://www.mywardrobehq.com

https://www.hurrcollective.com/

https://johnlewisfashionrental.com/women/clothing

Instagram Accounts

10 sustainable fashion Instagram accounts you should be following - School of Fashion and Textiles | Birmingham City University

https://www.instagram.com/mairilowe/

https://www.instagram.com/ruthmacgilpblog/

https://www.instagram.com/fash_rev_scotland/

https://www.instagram.com/fash_rev/

https://www.instagram.com/rejeandenim/

https://www.instagram.com/sustfashscotland/

https://www.instagram.com/zerowastefashiononline/

https://www.instagram.com/apparelxchange/

https://www.instagram.com/time_for_toc/

https://www.instagram.com/power.addressing/

https://www.instagram.com/stitcherystudio/

Ethical Fashion Brands
(Visiting the About Us/ Ethos sections of these websites is good)

Sustainable Fashion Row at Glasgow Barrowlands

9 Zero Waste / Upcycled Clothing Brands Making Sustainable Fashion Cool

https://www.peopletree.co.uk/about-us

https://lucyandyak.com/

https://www.boyish.com/

https://www.rejeandenim.com/our-story

https://gb.tretorn.com/?gclid=Cj0KCQiA-bjyBRCcARIsAFboWg1RI8LOABoS3NBeTGrzn4Pjtz9NIlY1W7luWqk_n-1RaX70VlUXVisaAkHfEALw_wcB

https://www.instagram.com/b_e_i_r_a/

https://www.allbirds.com/pages/our-materials-wool

https://www.girlfriend.com

https://wornwear.patagonia.com

https://www.thereformation.com/categories/jeans

https://www.ebay.co.uk/str/acsclothingstore