



Table S1. Consumer survey questions.

Question Number	Question	Possible answers
Q1	How much would you pay for a black cotton t-shirt?	 \$0-10 \$11-40 \$41-80 \$80+
Q2	Would you expect to keep a \$50 dollar t-shirt longer than a \$10 dollar t-shirt?	Yes / No
Q3	Would you expect a cotton \$50 t-shirt to be of better quality than a cotton \$10 t-shirt?	Yes / No
Q4	When shopping at a clothing store, what do you look for in a t-shirt before you purchase? Select what applies to you (more than one option can be selected).	 Price Quality Content (fibre type) Brand label Care label All of the above
Q5	Do you know what fibre/fabric your clothes are made of?	Yes / No
Q6	Do you read the care label of your clothes?	Yes / No
Q7	For each t-shirt price category listed below, do you follow the instructions on the care label?	At some point of the saleBefore cleaningAfter useNot at all
Q8	How often would you wash a cotton t-shirt?	 After 1 wear After 2 wears After 3 wears After 4 wears +
Q9	For each t-shirt price category listed below, indicate whether or not you expect a change in the colour of the t-shirt.	After 1 wash: Yes/NoAfter 10 washes: Yes/No
Q10	For each t-shirt price category listed below, indicate whether or not you expect a change in shape (e.g. increase, decrease, distortion)	After 1 wash: Yes/NoAfter 10 washes: Yes/No
Q11	For each t-shirt price category listed below, how many times would you expect to wear a t-shirt before you would decide not to wear it any further?	 1 5 10 20 30