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## Environmental and Social Completion Sheet (ESCS)

### Overview

Project Name:	DIGITAL INTEGRATED TEXTILE MANUFACTURING
Project Number:	2020-0147
Country:	Belgium, Sweden, Italy, France, Germany
Project Description:	Financing of the promoter's RDI programme focusing on digitally integrated textile manufacturing in the EU over the period 2020-2023.

### Summary of Environmental and Social Assessment at Completion

The EIB project concerned activities for the research, development and innovation of the Promoter's offerings for textile manufacturing and other adjacent systems and logistics processes, taking place at the Promoter's existing locations. The Promoter's research and development activities were not listed in any of the annexes of the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Directive 2014/52/EU amending the Directive 2011/92/EU and did not require any environmental assessment, (additional) permits, or authorisations.

The R&D project had a positive sustainability impact in terms of improvement of energy efficiency<sup>1</sup> and reduction of raw materials and waste through the deployment of the developed technologies, as well as through the implementation of advanced manufacturing systems.

Some of the Promoter's locations affected by the project were already certified ISO 14001, proving the Promoter's engagement in environmental management systems.

The implemented project activities are deemed to have a positive impact on the decarbonisation of the textile sector and the environment.

### Conclusions and recommendations

EIB is of the opinion, based on reports from the Promoter received to date, that the implementation of the Project has been done in line with EIB Environmental and Social Standards, applicable at the time of appraisal.

No Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) was required under EIA Directive 2014/52/EU amending Directive 2011/92/EU.

<sup>1</sup> E.g., through the introduction of new-generation drives and advanced automation technologies.