

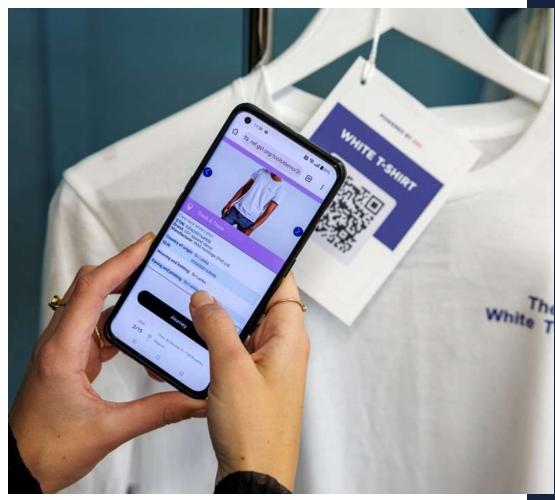


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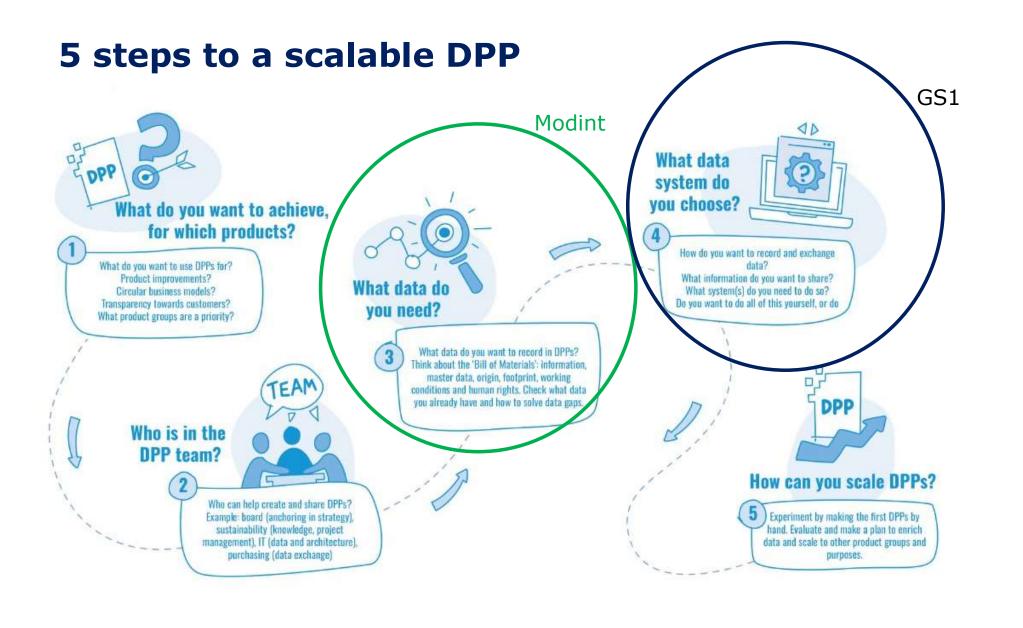


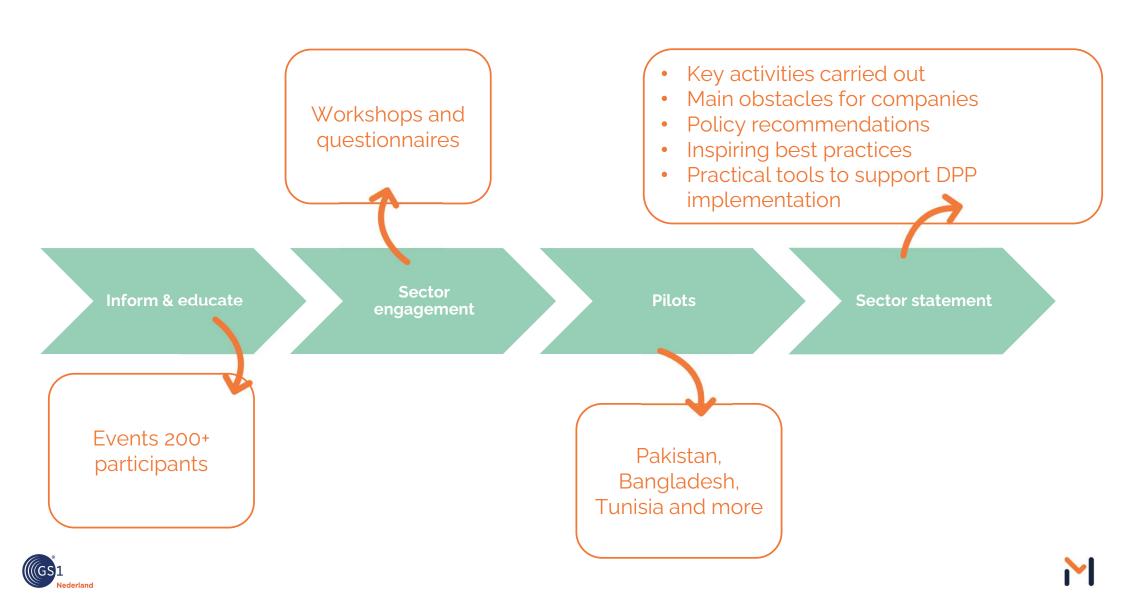
### **GS1 & Modint**

- Inform companies about upcoming legislation (e.g. DPP) Passport)
- Boost sector knowledge
- Promote international standards (e.g. ISO, GS1) for DPP
- Sector statement (29 October)
- Support pilot projects.
- Joint advocacy where needed.



MODINT.







### **Preliminary ESPR parameters**

- Aspects and parameters that can be taken into account:
- Durability: Functional durability standards, e.g. abrasion resistance, dimensional change
- Recyclability: fibre composition, available recycling technologies
- Environmental impacts, specific key production processes
- Recycled content
- Substances of concern
- To be determined through preliminary study and impact assessment





### Pilot case

**Engelvaart Bodywear** 























#### **Pilot & Partners**

- GS1 Netherlands & GS1 Tunisia → standards & support
- Modint → template essential info
- La Griffe + GS1 Tunisia → DPP development
- Demco → GLN applications + produced samples with different QR code applications
- bAwear → impact score
- Engelvaart Bodywear →
  - Collected & structured all product information
  - Supplied date for impact calculations
  - Created cost breakdown for each option









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## Where is the QR Code?

- 1. Sticker on packaging
- 2. Extended sewn-in care label
- 3. Extra label under existing label
- 4. Heat transfer next to the label









# **Production & Cost Impact**

- Thousands of different labels instead of a few
- Much higher label costs
- Frequent label roll changes → loss of efficiency
- Higher error risk (wrong QR in wrong item)
- ullet Mandatory scanning in production ullet extra time and risk of delays
- Extra time needed for additional label or transfer



### **Best Option for Low-Cost Products**

- ✓ Packaging sticker as most efficient solution
  - ✓ Printed on demand → no stock issues
    - √ Minimal errors
      - ✓ Very low extra cost



#### Conclusion



• DPP IMPLEMENTATION IS POSSIBLE WITH GS1 STANDARDS



• COLLABORATION ACROSS THE SUPPLY CHAIN IS KEY



• BUT: PRODUCTION FEASIBILITY & COSTS MUST BE CONSIDERED

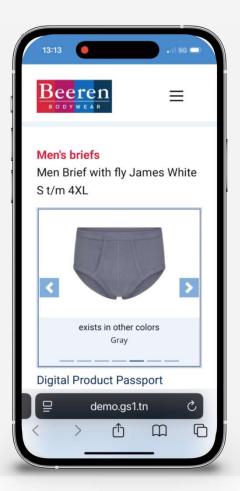


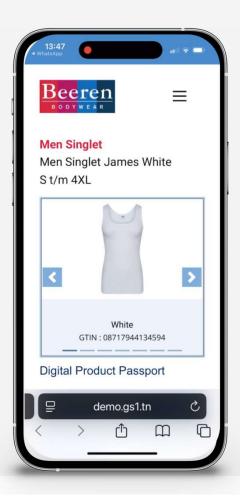
• FOR LOW-COST GARMENTS: PACKAGING QR IS MOST REALISTIC

### **Scan the Digital Product Passport!**

















- Accelerate development of sectorspecific DPP templates
- Promote alignment with international standards (e.g. GS1, CEN/CENELEC)
- Provide funding and training for SMEs
- Establish a national DPP helpdesk or knowledge hub (a CoE)
- Allow sufficient lead time between final requirements and enforcement
- Address cost implications
- Consider the needs of recyclers



# Sector statement Preliminary conclusions





