

It's up to us!

And we can all make a difference!

Here we present some of our best-selling ranges, items for everyday use which can help to create a more sustainable world. By selling them, you too can play an important part in saving our oceans and our wildlife, and slowing global warming. Action on climate change is needed now! Will future generations ask, "why didn't you act while you had the chance?" Or will history thank us for what we did to save the world? As businesses, we can help by choosing sustainable, recycled and eco-friendly products. And it makes good business sense too; public support for tackling climate change is at its highest ever, and sustainability is all the rage!

When sourcing our products we consider raw materials, production processes, packaging – and now we're looking at shipping. How can shipping products from thousands of miles away match our environmental aspirations? We've long worried about this, without knowing what to do.

Globally, transport accounts for 15% of all CO₂ emissions today, and this is rising. 90% of the products we buy in the UK – food, clothing, furniture – arrive here by ship. And the maritime industry burns the dirtiest fuel in the world. It's time to clean the decks...

From January 2021, our whole supply chain (air, road and sea), will be carbon-neutral! We are decarbonizing our shipping, by changing from fossil fuels to sustainable biofuels.

We're doing this by working with GoodShipping in the Netherlands, a global leader in sustainability. The biofuels are waste and residue-based, they don't compete with food production, nor do they involve any change in land use, deforestation or loss of biodiversity. Fantastic! - when we heard of GoodShipping, we jumped straight on board! They work on the 'mass balance' principle; the volume of biofuel that will neutralize our emissions is fuelled into another ship that would otherwise have run on fossil fuels. As all CO₂ from shipping is emitted into the same atmosphere, reducing these emissions is equally effective, regardless of which ship uses the biofuels. It has the same net effect in reducing global emissions and averting climate change.

We're including air and truck journeys too: our CO₂ emissions, from producer through to you as the customer, will be **ZERO** as from 1 January 2021. We're delighted to be a trailblazer in the UK in what we hope will become the norm as a way of reducing carbon emissions for importers. Jump on board with us!



Shared Earth - Fighting Covid-19 with reuseable masks

Masks - or face coverings as they are known - have been a godsend in countries whose lockdowns have put artisans out of work where no social security exists and they've been desperate for work to feed their families. The PeoplesMask was designed by WFTO - Asia. It has two layers of 100% cotton fabric, a pocket for tissue to increase efficiency, is re-usable, is produced and packed under strict hygiene standards, REACH and BLUESIGN certified. Masks on this page are from Fair Trade suppliers in Sri Lanka.



PeoplesMask

MASK06

PeoplesMask asst. cols med

MASK06A

PeoplesMask asst. cols lar

MASK07

PeoplesMask asst. cols x-lar



MASK30

PeoplesMask
asst. cols small

MASK31

PeoplesMask
asst.cols
x-small



Protect Ourselves, Protect Our Planet

MASK25

PeoplesMask
asst.cols med

MASK25A

PeoplesMask
asst. cols lar



MASK12

PeoplesMask
asst. designs med

MASK13

PeoplesMask
asst. designs lar



Our suppliers the Zuri foundation have done stirring work in Kenya providing face coverings for children in the slums in Tabaka, where soapstone is made.

Also from Sri Lanka, these masks are made from recycled saris. The REACH and BLUESIGN standards can't be guaranteed, but all textiles are thoroughly washed and treated to ensure safety.

More great face covering designs from Sri Lanka, India and Bali!



MASK01
High quality batik designs from Indonesia
asst. designs and sizes

Asst 'flower' PeoplesMask designs from Tara Projects in India.



MASK17
PeoplesMask asst. med

MASK18
PeoplesMask asst. lar



MASK06-6ASPIN24
24 pocket floor spinner
MASK06-6A asst cols & sizes x 300
70 inches ht



MASK08
PeoplesMask rainbow med
MASK09
PeoplesMask rainbow lar



MASK06-6ASPIN12
12 pocket counter spinner
MASK06-6A asst cols & sizes x 200
30 inches ht

MASK12-13SPIN24
24 pocket floor spinner
MASK12-13 asst cols & sizes x 300
70 inches ht

MASK12-13SPIN12
12 pocket counter spinner
MASK12-13 asst cols & sizes x 200
30 inches ht



It's not easy eating chocolate when you've got a mask on - but when it's a new flavour from our flavoursome suppliers Chocaffair - you'll go to any length!

CHOC1433
Lemon and Sea Salt

See more new flavours on page 254

NEW!

Copper water bottles

A recent report showed that the top supermarkets in the UK sold 2.5 BILLION disposable water bottles last year – 37 for each member of the population. What a waste! They're the most common form of litter on our coastline, and even if we recycle them it doesn't guarantee that they won't end up in our oceans, a major pollutant and a hazard to wildlife.

In the sea, they break down into micro-plastics, containing toxins (which are used in many plastics, to increase their durability) and absorbing pollutants from the sea. Eaten by fish, they affect the food chain and eventually ourselves.



COP01
copper water bottle
engraved
600ml



COP02
copper water bottle
hammered
600ml



COP03
copper water bottle
diamond
600ml



What can we do? It's up to us! Bottled water tastes no different from tap water and its benefits, if any exist, have been massively exaggerated by bottled-water companies to boost their sales. We're being taken for a ride!



These copper water bottles are a great alternative, which can be used again and again!

Copper is known to bring you healthier lifestyle benefits for mind and body. Highly recommended by experts, copper turns water into a natural alkaline, which helps balance your body's pH levels.

To get the maximum health benefits, let your water sit overnight in the bottle and drink it in the morning for a healthy dose of copper nutrients necessary for a better life and mood. We like to call it the copper detox!

Benefits are:

- very high quality
- fair trade
- 99.7% pure copper
- sustainable material
- leakproof
- self-sterilizing
- healing properties
- handcrafted
- appealing to look at!!



COP04
copper water bottle
engraved
900ml



COP05
copper water bottle
hammered
900ml



COP06
copper water bottle
curve matt
900ml



Copper glasses



COP07
copper glass
engraved
300ml



COP08
copper glass
hammered
300ml



COP09
copper glass
diamond
300ml



NEW RANGE

goSiP

rice husk cup

Disposable coffee cups, though made largely of paper, contain plastic polyethylene to make them waterproof. They are technically recyclable, but in practice only 3 specialist centres in the UK can deal with them; so almost all end up in landfill or worse, the sea, where they affect the food chain in the same way as plastic bottles. In the UK we use 7 million of them each day!

The Environmental Audit Committee has recommended to the government that they should be banned if not fully recyclable by 2023. The bamboo coffee cups on the market, often seen as an alternative, also contain about 15-20% plastic, in the form of melamine, so despite claims made, are neither recyclable nor compostable. A reputable German consumer organization, Stiftung Warentest, has tested 12 brands and concluded, 'Keep your hands off bamboo cups', because it's not possible to recycle them, despite the claims made, and also because they are dangerous to health, releasing dangerous amounts of formaldehyde.

What can we do? Once again, it's up to us! Our coffee cups are made from rice husks, contain no melamine and are fully biodegradable. They are dishwasher and microwave safe, and (unlike the bamboo cups we tested ourselves), don't stain. Look after them, and they will last for years. And there's another incentive; if you take them into some progressive coffee chains, they will knock 25p or 50p off the price...



RH048
toucans



RH049
fruit and
vegetable
faces



RH050
butterflies



RH051
sheep



RH052
rainbow



RH054
koalas



RH055
puffins

NEW!



RH056
ladybirds



RH057
suns and moons



Show your stripes!



RH053
show your stripes

Show your stripes! These stripes, which show a colour for the average temperature for each year (blue for cool, red for warm) were invented by climate scientist Ed Hawkins. Starting in 1850, they show mainly dark blue till about 1920, then gradually lighter blue until about 1980, and then suddenly, in the space of just 20-30 years, light red, dark red and almost black – this last decade has been the warmest on record. It's a visual representation of global warming which it's hard to ignore.



goSiP
rice husk cup



goSiP

rice husk cup



RH007
tortoiseshells
& flowers



RH008
warblers &
dragonflies



RH009
busy foxgloves
bestseller



RH010
lily pond



RH011
folk florals
turquoise
bestseller



RH012
folk florals
maroon



RH014
cadiz
bestseller



RH015
Marrakesh
bestseller



RH016
paisley masala



RH004
bluetits & tulips



RH018
feline fun
bestseller



RH019
walkies
bestseller



RH020
birds in garden
bestseller

Our rice husk cups come in a gift box!

Our rice husk cups all come in gift boxes, which include loads of information about them.

Whether you care about the environment or not, they make an excellent gift.



RH021
Le Petit Prince
bestseller



RH022
charaka pilgrim



RH025
dare to be different
bestseller



RH027
geckos & dragonfly
bestseller



RH028
dreamcatcher dusk



RH029
Lindisfarne peafowl
bestseller



RH030
cats in love



RH031
tree of life in bloom
bestseller



RH032
save our bees
TOP SELLER



RH033
vanilla mocha
bestseller



RH034
charcoal



RH035
elephants



70% LESS CO₂
to produce than
conventional
plastic tableware



Sustainable
reuse of
agricultural
waste



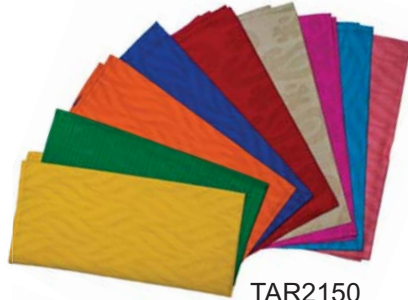
Conforms to
international
certification
standards



NEW RANGE

Knot wrap

Size 49x49cm



TAR2150
plain cols



TAR2151
floral & fruits



TAR2153
checks



TAR2152
stripes, zig-
zag, geometric



TAR2154
natural world



Handkerchiefs

Size 29x29cm



TAR2160
set of 3 plain



TAR2161
set of 3 floral & fruits



TAR2162
set of 3 stripes etc



TAR2163
set of 3 checks



TAR2164
set of 3 natural
world



Napkins

Size 41x41cm

We present here a new range of eco-friendly products from India, made with recycled saris. Knot wrap is a great alternative to normal giftwrap – it looks fantastic and instead of being thrown away, it can be used again and again.



TAR2170
set of 3 plain



TAR2171
set of 3 floral & fruits



TAR2172
set of 3
stripes etc



TAR2173
set of 3
checks



TAR2174
set of 3
wildlife



Make-up removers

Size 10cm



TAR2180
set of 4
patterns

TAR2181
set of 4
floral

TAR2182
set of 4
wildlife

Recycled plastic shoppers

These animal themed shopping bags are made from recycled plastic bottles. Use them and re-use them!



SDEA16838
shopper - zebra



SDEA16938
shopper - toucan



SDEA17038
shopper - sloth



SDEA17138
shopper - panda



SDEA35738
shoppers
box of 24 asst.

NEW RANGE

Jute bags

Great sufferin' pandas and frogs! Heavenly rainbows and planets! More best-sellers-to-be from our in-house design team.



EA2081
koala and baby



EA2100
red panda



EA2101
sloth with baby



EA2102
save our
coral reefs



EA2103
poison tree frog



EA2104
ladybirds



EA2105
suns and moons



EA2106
rainbow



EA2107
re-use me



EA2108
little green bag
26x21x10cm



EA2109
big green bag
42x32x18cm

NEW



Jute bags

The world uses more than 500 billion plastic bags each year – that's 150 for each person on the planet! They're completely unnecessary and it's clear what we should do – use long-life bags instead, as we always used to.

These jute bags are an excellent, eco-friendly option. Jute is a great fibre, fast-growing, biodegradable and recyclable. It needs far less land and water to grow than cotton, and can also be grown without pesticides.

Our jute bags are made in Kolkata, India and here we present 11 new designs from our in-house design team, which we think you will love....

Standard size for jute bags is 30x30x20cm



EA1302
elephants in love



EA1303
floral blue



EA1400
birds in love



EA1403
butterflies



EA1571
save our bees
TOP SELLER



EA1572
fox & cub



EA16700
cat sleeping



EA16701
flamingos



EA171
fruit



EA172
bicycle

Mini bags

Tailored to be a perfect fit for a lunch box!
size:
25x20x9cm



EA173



EA174
bestseller



EA176
bestseller





EA1771
save our bees
32x42x18cm



EA1800
pandas



EA1801
tropical forest



EA1802
sheep



EA1803
cherry blossoms



EA1870
unicorn



EA1871
fairy



EA1872
dragonfly



EA1873
red squirrel



EA1874
owl & moon



EAST00
POS display stand
with 6 each x 24 jute bags



EA1900
badgers and bluebells



EA1901
tree of life & elephants



EA1902
moon swans



There are so many best-sellers in this range that you can't go wrong- all created by our in-house designers and unique to us.



EA1903
hamsa hand



EA1904
walkies



EA19700
camper van



EA19701
dragonflies



EA19702
hare & moon



EA19703
puffin with chick



EA19704
flowers



EA2001
toucans



EA2002
heron



EA2003
giraffes



EA2004
hedgehogs &
bluebells



EA2080
penguin and chick



EA2082
cat and wool



EA2083
pug



EA2085
save our turtles



EA2084
save our bees

Silk scarves

We need scarves in the UK but how can we make them eco-friendly and help in a small way to tackle the climate crisis? Recycled materials of course! This also means that each one is different, one of the reasons they sell so well.



CRC1400

TOP SELLER



Wool stoles

Large size handloom stoles from Nepal, woven from recycled wool and other fabrics.

Also perfect as a luxurious throw for your sofa, amongst our top ten bestsellers year in year out.
195x80cm

FN1105
stripes
asst cols

TOP SELLER

FN1106
plain
asst cols

TOP SELLER

FNST00
POS display stand
with FN1105-6 x 64 scarvesCREA00
POS display stand
with 32 x CRC1400 + each
6x12 jute bagsCRCST00
POS display stand
with 64 kantha scarves

Cotton scarves



GOP17305

Perfect for him and her!
kantha stitch scarves,
assorted colours 190x45cm

Kantha stitch silk scarves

Bestselling range



MKS18703

silk scarf with kantha stitch squares
asst cols. 190x45cm

Rather than simple kantha stitch rows, the stiches on these scarves form shapes - coloured squares and circles - to create amazing coordinated patterns over the recycled sari fabric.



MKS18702

kantha stitch silk scarf
one side made of patchwork
panels asst cols. 190x45cm



MKS18701

silk scarf with kantha stitch circles
asst cols. 190x45cm

Bamboo socks

Put your feet up and enjoy our fabulous fancy Fair Trade footwear, and help save the planet too!

Why Bamboo and not cotton?

There are many reasons why bamboo viscose yarn is good for the environment.

Bamboo grows without the need for fertilisers or pesticides. Because it naturally requires less water (a third of the water required to grow cotton), farmers don't need to irrigate their crop, saving water in a country where water shortages are a big problem.

Bamboo yields are ten times higher per hectare than cotton and the plant rarely needs replanting, sprouting on its own. Bamboo yarns require less dye than cotton and keep their colour for longer.

Why is bamboo viscose great to wear?

- it's supersoft
- it's 40% more moisture absorbant than cotton
- it's a breathable fabric that keeps feet fresh and dry
- it's comfortable
- it's naturally anti-bacterial
- it's durable and stronger than cotton
- it's hypo allergenic

Breathe easy

Bamboo socks



ASP027 LAR
ASP027 MED
sharks



ASP028 LAR
ASP028 MED
seals



ASP030 LAR
ASP030 MED
owls

Sock sizes:

MED (Medium):

UK 3-7

Euro 36-41

LAR (Large):

UK 7-12

Euro 41-47

Yarn

75% bamboo viscose
22% polyamide
3% elastane





ASP031 LAR
ASP031 MED
goldfinches



ASP033 LAR
ASP033 MED
kittens playing



ASP034 LAR
ASP034 MED
cats with paws



ASP036 LAR
ASP036 MED
vines & flowers



ASP037 LAR
ASP037 MED
circuit board



ASP041 LAR
ASP041 MED
geckos



ASP056 LAR
ASP056 MED
polka dots



ASP079 LAR
ASP079 MED
sheep



ASP080 LAR
ASP080 MED
dogs/walkies



ASP18710 MED
ASP18710 LAR
men's bicycles



ASP18711 MED
ASP18711 LAR
ladies' bicycles



ASP081 LAR
ASP081 MED
butterflies

ASP18712 MED
ASP18712 LAR
elephant, turq & black
TOP SELLER



ASP18713 MED
ASP18713 LAR
elephant, grey,
black & yellow



ASP18714 MED
ASP18714 LAR
globetrotter,
green and blue



ASP18716 MED
ASP18716 LAR
celestial



ASP18718 MED
ASP18718 LAR
tree of life



ASP18719 MED
ASP18719 LAR
save our bees



ASP18720 MED
ASP18720 LAR
rainbow



ASP18724 MED
ASP18724 LAR
square swirls



ASP18725 MED
ASP18725 LAR
dancing people



ASP18726 MED
ASP18726 LAR
stripes: turq,
terracota, green



ASP18727 MED
restless sea
& albatross



ASP18728 MED
ASP18728 LAR
cheeky cats



ASP2001 LAR
ASP2001 MED
sunflowers & bees



ASP2002 LAR
ASP2002 MED
puffins



ASP2003 LAR
ASP2003 MED
deer



ASP2004 LAR
ASP2004 MED
toucans



ASP2005 LAR
ASP2005 MED
mushrooms



ASP2006 LAR
ASP2006 MED
rabbits



ASP2007 LAR
ASP2007 MED
squirrels



ASP2008 LAR
ASP2008 MED
pandas



ASP2009 LAR
ASP2009 MED
foxes



ASP2010 LAR
ASP2010 MED
frogs



ASP2011LAR
ASP2011MED
ducks





ASP2012 LAR
ASP2012 MED
clouds



ASP2800LAR
ASP2800MED
black orange white
and blue pattern



ASP2801LAR
ASP2801MED
water lillies



ASP2802LAR
ASP2802MED
oranges yellow
blues pattern



ASP2803LAR
ASP2803MED
record discs



ASP2804LAR
ASP2804MED
cubes asst cols



ASP2808LAR
ASP2808MED
sloths



ASP2809LAR
ASP2809MED
damselflies



ASP2805LAR
ASP2805MED
coral fish



ASP2806LAR
ASP2806MED
jellyfish



ASP2807LAR
ASP2807MED
turtles



Sock multipacks



ASPA01LAR
ASPA01MED
ducks, sharks,
frogs



ASPA02LAR
ASPA02MED
goldfinches,
toucans, puffins



ASPA03LAR
ASPA03MED
foxes, rabbits,
squirrels



ASPA04LAR
ASPA04MED
elephants,
sheep, owls



ASPA05LAR
ASPA05MED
stripes and
polka dots



ASPA06LAR
ASPA06MED
sharks, turtles,
seals



ASPA07LAR
ASPA07MED
cats & dogs



ASPA08LAR
ASPA08MED
clouds, butterflies,
bees



ASPA09LAR
ASPA09MED
trees, bikes,
circuitboard



ASPA10LAR
ASPA10MED
bees, cats,
sheep