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Lenzing debuts denim “REMODO Collection”, announcing third cohort of TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 mill partners at Kingpins Amsterdam

- “REMODO Collection” debut: Woven at Kaihara Corporation’s vertically integrated mill in Hiroshima, the new collection explores varied fiber ratios to create distinctive hand feels and surface textures while preserving denim’s authentic character.
- TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 celebrates a one-year milestone of innovation with its third mill partner cohort alongside the new collection at Kingpins Amsterdam.
- The TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 mill partner network grows to nearly 50 mills across 13 countries, with India joining for the first time.

Lenzing, 5 October 2026 – The Lenzing Group, a global producer of wood-based fibers for the textile and nonwovens industries, has partnered with Kaihara Corporation, the world-renowned Japanese denim manufacturer, to launch the “REMODO Collection”. At the heart of this collection are Lenzing’s three signature fiber offerings for denim applications: TENCEL™ Lyocell Standard, TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 and TENCEL™ Lyocell dtex 2.2. Brands and designers can experience this collection firsthand at Lenzing’s booth 19 in the yellow zone at Kingpins Amsterdam, October 14-15, 2026.

“We are delighted to work with Kaihara Corporation again,” said **Dennis Hui, Global Business Development Manager, Denim at Lenzing**. “TENCEL™ fibers have been part of Kaihara’s collections since the 1990s and every chapter has asked something different about the material. What makes this latest ‘REMODO Collection’ especially exciting is how each fiber is celebrated in various applications as a discovery of what is possible with each TENCEL™ fiber type. From our cotton-inspired TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 showcased across a variety of pieces within the collection, alongside TENCEL™ Lyocell Standard used in others. Meanwhile, our linen-inspired TENCEL™ Lyocell dtex 2.2 features in its own distinct articles. Each brings authentic denim character with elevated comfort and hand feel. We can’t wait to see mills, brands and designers gain fresh inspiration to play with the many application possibilities within the TENCEL™ Lyocell fiber portfolio.”

Reinterpreting denim’s texture, depth and character

Featuring a carefully curated selection of denim garments, the collection pairs the authentic look of cotton denim and the craftsmanship of Japanese denim-making with an elevated hand feel and comfort. The range spans heavyweight men’s jackets, mid-weight wide-leg and stretch jeans alongside cotton-free casual shirting. Together, the collection unlocks a range of fiber-blending possibilities, including constructions with and without cotton.

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The “REMODO Collection” and the growing TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 mill network highlight Lenzing’s focus on differentiated fiber innovation and strategic industry partnerships¹. As brands seek materials that combine authentic aesthetics with performance and sustainability credentials², Lenzing is working with partners across the value chain to expand the creative and commercial potential of specialty fibers in premium textile applications.

TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 brings a cotton-inspired aesthetic to the mix. Using Variocut technology to create deliberate variations in fiber length, the fiber creates the subtle irregularities and matte, more opaque appearance commonly associated with cotton^{1,3}. Meanwhile, TENCEL™ Lyocell dtex 2.2, with a 51mm fiber length, is coarser than standard TENCEL™ Lyocell and gives fabrics a drier, stiffer touch and natural slub pattern reminiscent of linen, adding body and structure without weight. This is particularly valuable where a fabric must hold its shape through wear and wash. TENCEL™ Lyocell standard fibers bring softness, fluid drape and color depth. Explored through diverse blending options across the collection, each fiber brings its own texture, visual depth and everyday comfort, enriching the range of textures a designer can explore within one fiber family.

“Texture is one of the most defining elements of premium denim, shaping both its character and visual appeal,” **said Akihiro Maehara, Director, Market Planning Division at Kaihara Corporation**. “For this collection, we harnessed the unique attributes of each TENCEL™ Lyocell fiber type to add value to the denim in distinct ways, creating fabrics that balance authentic denim aesthetics with softness, drape and comfort. We are proud to bring our longstanding manufacturing expertise together with the new material possibilities offered by Lenzing to explore new expressions of texture and visual depth.”

A network that keeps widening

TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 first launched at Kingpins Amsterdam in October 2025 with 17 mills across five countries and reached 37 mills in nine countries by April 2026. Volume 3 brings the network to nearly 50 mills across 13 countries, welcoming Indian mills for the first time. The Asia sourcing hub with vast denim heritage will draw valuable manufacturing expertise and new creative perspectives to the industry.

As TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 marks its one-year anniversary, the fiber continues to build on something mills report consistently: it fits readily into their operations. Existing machinery, process steps and chemicals all apply, so partners could widen their fiber options without additional capital outlay. Each mill that joins brings a different

¹ To foster a sustainable global textile and nonwovens industry, Lenzing follows three strategic principles within the context of its [“Naturally Positive” sustainability strategy](#), which focuses on greening the value chain, driving systemic change and advancing the circular economy through [partnerships with key industry stakeholders](#), such as [Textile Exchange](#), [Cascade](#), [Canopy](#), [Together for Sustainability](#), [Renewable Carbon Initiative](#), and [UN Global Compact](#).

² For more details around the sustainability features, performance, as well as the technology and production processes behind TENCEL™ branded fibers, please visit <https://www.tencel.com/claims>.

³ TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 fibers are LENZING™ Lyocell Standard fibers with a specific cut length variation. LENZING™ Lyocell standard fibers are certified by TÜV AUSTRIA as biodegradable in soil, freshwater and marine environments, and compostable under home and industrial conditions.

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interpretation of the fiber, constantly unlocking the untapped potential of the growing TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 offering.

“Brands want more choices in how they create denim, but they also want confidence in the materials and partners they work with,” said **Tuncay Kılıçkan, Head of Global Business Development, Denim at Lenzing**. “Planning a denim programme means committing months ahead, so a material that behaves predictably – in supply, in processing, in how it wears – is worth a great deal. TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 gives brands that, while preserving the authenticity, timelessness and comfort that make denim a wardrobe staple. A year on, close to 50 mills have already brought the fiber into their products, which means a brand can explore a broader material palette for future collections and know where to source it.”

Lenzing will showcase the new “REMOD Collection” in the Lenzing booth 19 in the yellow zone during Kingpins Amsterdam, October 14-15, 2026, accompanied by a selection of the company’s other latest fiber products and offerings.

Images related to the announcement can be downloaded from:

TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 | “REMOD Collection” by Lenzing and Kaihara Corporation

TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 at a glance

- Linear density: 1.7 dtex
- Luster: Semi-dull (matte aesthetic)
- Staple length: High variation (Variocut technology)
- Blending: Variable ratios with TENCEL™ Lyocell Standard, cotton or linen
- Carbon footprint: ≥50% reduction vs. generic lyocell⁴
- Water consumption: ≥50% reduction vs. generic lyocell⁴
- Sourcing: FSC® (FSC-C041246) or PEFC-certified/controlled wood⁵
- Production: Closed-loop, >99.8% solvent recovery⁶
- End of life: Biodegradable and compostable³

⁴ LENZING™ Lyocell fibers are made with at least 50 percent less carbon emissions and water consumption, compared to generic (unbranded) lyocell. The results were calculated according to LCA standards (ISO 14040/44) and are made available via the Higg Materials Sustainability Index (MSI) v3.12 (May 2026).

⁵ Adhering to the company’s commitment to environmental protection and resource preservation, Lenzing procures wood and pulp only from certified or controlled sustainable sources. In its [Wood and Pulp Policy](#), Lenzing is committed to procuring wood and pulp exclusively from non-controversial sources. FSC® (FSC-C041246) or PEFC (PEFC/06-33-92) certification.

⁶ TENCEL™ Lyocell is known for its innovative closed loop production process. Wood pulp is transformed into cellulosic fibers, while more than 99.8% of the solvent are recovered and fed back into the loop, resulting in close-to-zero wastage. Compared to generic (unbranded) lyocell. The results were calculated according to LCA standards (ISO 14040/44) and are made available via the Higg Materials Sustainability Index (MSI) v3.12 (May 2026).

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TENCEL™ Lyocell dtex 2.2 at a glance

- Linear density: 2.2 dtex
- Luster: Bright
- Staple length: 51mm; 38mm
- Blending: Pure, short cotton
- Carbon footprint: ≥50% reduction vs. generic lyocell⁴
- Water consumption: ≥50% reduction vs. generic lyocell⁴
- Sourcing: FSC® (FSC-C041246) or PEFC-certified/controlled wood⁵
- Production: Closed-loop, >99.8% solvent recovery⁶
- End of life: Biodegradable and compostable³

TENCEL™ Lyocell – HV100 Mill Partners

Volume 1 (October 2025): 17 Mills, Five countries

Development partners: Advance Denim (China), AGI Denim (Pakistan), Orta (Türkiye), Textil Santanderina (Spain)

Collection partners: Artistic Denim Mills (Pakistan), Artistic Milliners (Pakistan), Azgard 9 (Pakistan), BOSSA (Türkiye), Calik Denim (Türkiye), Diamond Denim (Pakistan), DNM (Egypt), Kipas (Türkiye), Naveena Denim Mills (Pakistan), Naveena Denim Lahore (Pakistan), Neela by Sapphire (Pakistan), Soorty (Pakistan), US Denim Mills (Pakistan)

Volume 2 (April 2026): 20 Mills, Seven Countries

Advance Denim (China; Vietnam), AFM (Pakistan), Atlas (Türkiye), Black Peony (China; Vietnam), Blue Diamond (China), CBL (Pakistan), Cone (Mexico; China), Dynamic Denim (China), Envoy (Bangladesh), Freedom (China), Indigo (Pakistan), Kassim (Pakistan), Maritaş (Türkiye), Panther (China; Cambodia), Prosperity (China; Vietnam), Saitex (Vietnam), SM (Pakistan), TDMI (Mexico; China), XDD (Vietnam), YuanJi (China)

Volume 3 (October 2026): 11 Mills, Six Countries

Nien Hsing (Taiwan), Discovery (China), Advance (China, Vietnam), Foison (China), Vicunha (Brasil), NDM (Pakistan), LNJ (India), Signet (India), Anubha (India), Bhaskar (India), Rajby (Pakistan)

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About TENCEL™

TENCEL™ is the flagship textile fiber brand under the Lenzing Group. Since 1992, TENCEL™ brand has been a powerhouse advocating for a positive change in the textile industry through resource-efficient production processes and ongoing fiber innovations. TENCEL™ branded Lyocell and Modal fibers are resource-efficient, high-comfort materials made from sustainably managed wood sources. Both fibers are naturally soft, smooth to touch and can support rich colors in fabrics. With effective moisture control, fabrics made of both fibers also support a natural dry feeling.

As sustainable textile solutions, TENCEL™ Lyocell and Modal fibers are highly versatile and can be combined with a wide range of textile fibers to offer an almost endless variety of product designs and functions. The fibers can be incorporated in almost any textile categories, from ready-to-wear, denim, intimate wear, to active wear, workwear, footwear, and even home textile products.

Made from natural raw material wood, TENCEL™ Lyocell and Modal fibers can [break down and compost](#) at the end of their life cycle. The fibers are also certified with the EU Ecolabel (license no. AT/016/001) for environmental excellence, recognizing the high environmental standards throughout their entire life cycle.

To learn more about the TENCEL™ brand, please visit <https://www.tencel.com/>. For more details around the sustainability features, performance, as well as the technology and production processes behind TENCEL™ branded fibers, please visit <https://www.tencel.com/claims>.

About the Lenzing Group

The Lenzing Group is an internationally operating company that develops and manufactures wood-based product solutions for the textile and nonwovens industries. As one of the few companies worldwide, Lenzing combines the production of cellulose fibers and filaments, as well as dissolving wood pulp and biorefinery products, under one roof, thereby covering key stages of the production process in-house. Lenzing's wood-based specialty fibers and filaments are developed to meet demanding and highly specialized customer requirements and applications and are used in a wide range of end products, including apparel, home textiles, hygiene products, as well as medical and industrial applications. They are marketed under the TENCEL™, LENZING™ ECOVERO™, VEOCEL™, and LENZING™ product brands.

More information on www.lenzing.com

Key Facts & Figures Lenzing Group 2025

Revenue: EUR 2.60 bn

Nominal capacity (fibers): 1,110,000 tonnes

Employees (full-time equivalents): 7,738

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