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PROVEN VALUE

For more than a decade, **Evolution** has been supplying manufacturing companies of all sizes with software applications to run their businesses more competitively. Today, evolution is a highly successful global business and recognised as one of the major suppliers of enterprise application software and B2B solutions.

Evolution is an organisation committed to ensuring that textile and fashion businesses can respond effectively to changes in the market place. Being focused on the textile and fashion sectors, we understand the current issues within the industry and in particular are able to assist companies to shape and transform their business. **Evolution** are able to provide a wide range of services from strategic to operational. We are unique in being able to offer a high degree of information technology expertise combined with more broadly based business transformation skills - a combination that makes us the only 'one-stop-shop' for all your business services requirements.

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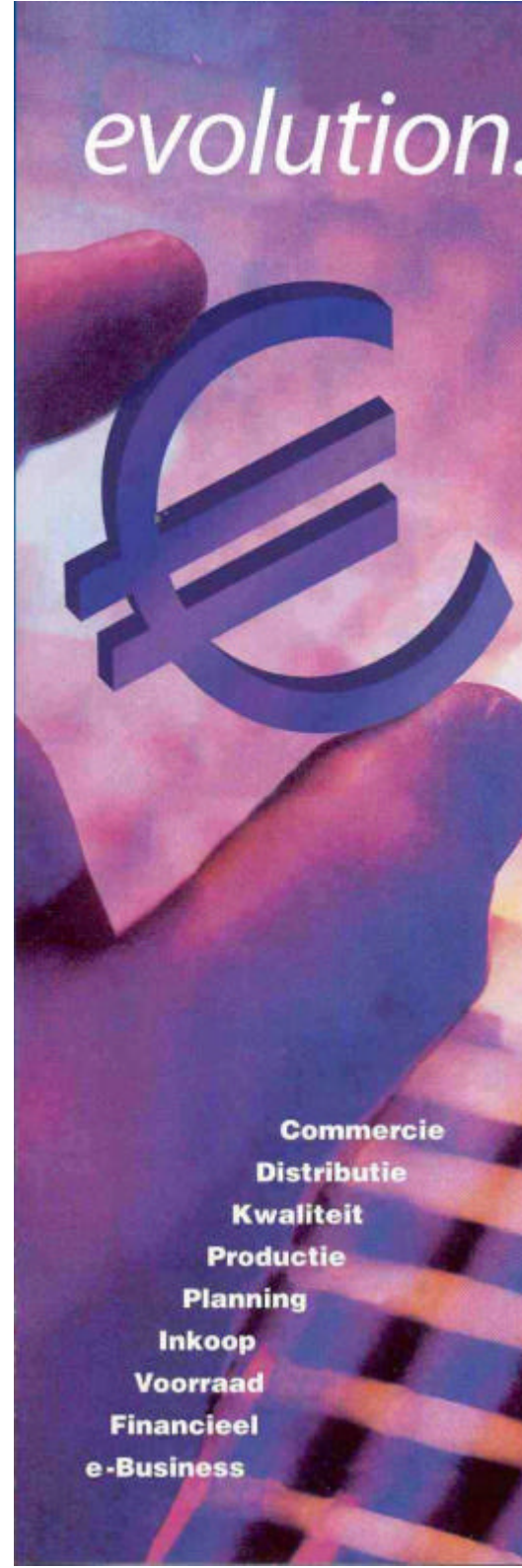
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**your future
protected by the
leading textile and
fashion software
solution**



'tailored to suit'



*The only product with
true textile & fashion
dedicated functionality*

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evolution.fashion is...

e-enabled

evolution.fashion is a new generation of system that is Internet ready providing e-business application integration and giving connectivity between the business's core operational systems and the web based business processes that link the elements and players within your operation. e-business technology is at the heart of evolution.fashion.

Scalable

evolution.fashion is the ultimate management tool for fashion and textile operations. Its scalability makes it the only product capable of supporting companies, which vary from the growing and emerging operation to the large multi-national corporation.

Guaranteed Implementation

evolution.fashion is delivered pre-configured following a short analysis exercise. We determine the most appropriate system configuration with you and deliver it with draft procedures. The system is normally implemented and working in your business within 3-4 months.

Business Processes Revolutionised

evolution.fashion is revolutionising traditional business practices by simplifying and compressing your business processes, giving you the benefits of lower costs and a more responsive business. It is so flexible that it can be adapted to suit your business processes - a welcome change from having to adapt your business processes to suit the system.



Textile & Fashion Functionality

evolution.fashion enhances the powerful logistics and financial functions of the evolution product with specific features for all branches of the fashion industry.

General Functions

- Styles with sizes and colours
- Designs, Collections and assortments
- Availability Checks
- Demand creation
- Forecasting
- Bar coding
- Colour bathes and lots
- Quality checks, fabric faults
- Vendor rating
- Quality levels, Grades
- MRP and CRP
- Subcontracting
- Distribution planning
- Remote stores and outlets

Sizes and Dimensions

- Web based matrix structure!
 - Handling of information using Style/size/colour combinations
- Available in all essential areas:
 - Product definition
 - Sales
 - Purchase
 - Planning
 - Inventory
 - Production
 - Subcontracting

Operations/Material Usage

- Cutting and punching with tolerances, Scrap, Yield, Pay and Issue lengths, etc
- Patterns, colourways & warp plans
- Strips and lengths using pattern drops
- Optimisation of material use
- Selections on availability of lengths within a certain width
- Cutting and Vertical Splitting functions
- Replenishment: fabrics, accessories, odds & ends, yarn
- Information on part, lot, bolt, strip and piece level
- A variety of UOM, eg meter, foot, inch, roll, length and width, area, weight, etc
- Supporting processes: spinning, bleaching, dyeing, tufting, weaving, knitting, calendaring, cutting, punching, confecting, etc
- Definition of patterns/colourways, shafts and ends, picks per inch, reed width, yarn type and usage, dents, etc
- Maintenance of machinery and tools

Administration & Management

- Cost control/margins and results
- Creditors/debtors/ledgers
- Management information

... tailored to suit