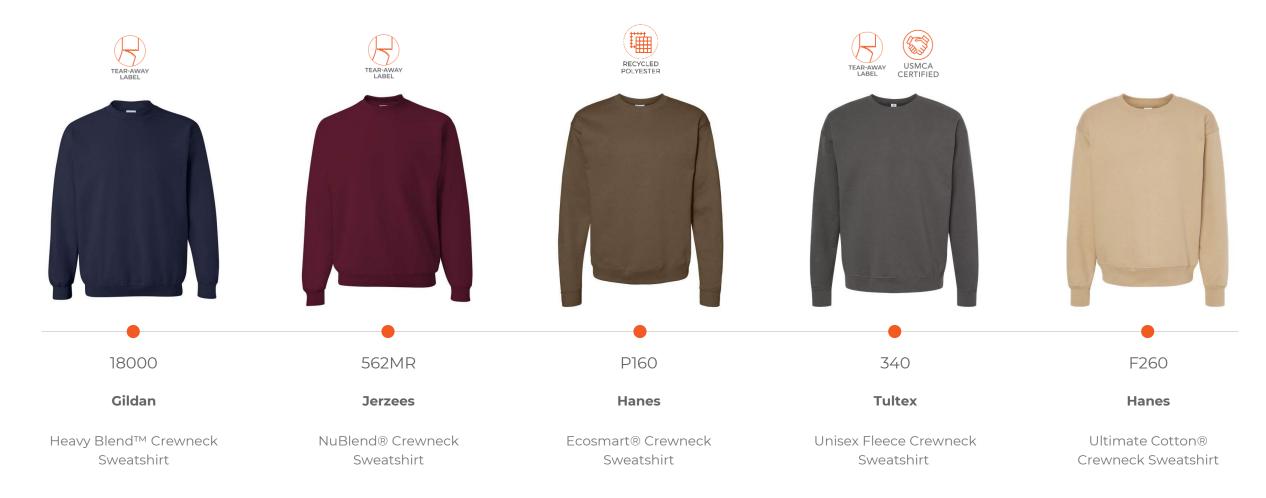
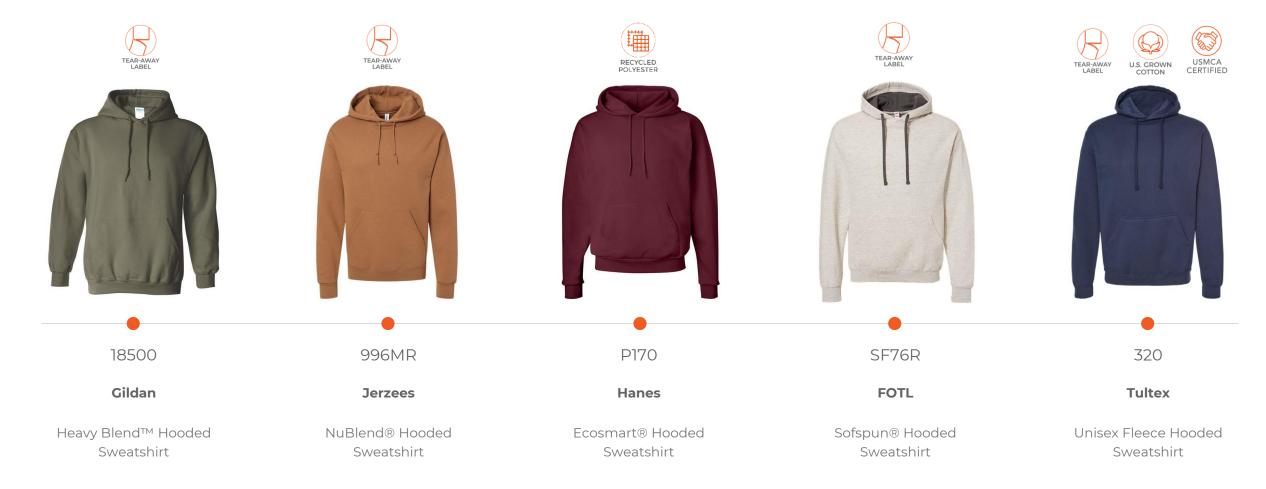


## Fleece Favorites

#### **Classic Crew Necks**



#### **Classic Hooded**



#### Crewnecks





















8870

J. America

Triblend Fleece Crewneck Sweatshirt

9575ZT

**Alternative** 

Champ Lightweight Eco-

Washed French Terry

Pullover

3945

**BELLA+CANVAS** 

Unisex Sponge Fleece Drop Shoulder Crewneck Sweatshirt

1566

**Comfort Colors** 

Garment-Dyed Sweatshirt

PRM3500

Independent

Unisex Midweight Pigment-Dyed Crewneck Sweatshirt

#### **Hoodies**























3719

**BELLA+CANVAS** 

Unisex Sponge Fleece Hoodie

9595ZT

**Alternative** 

Challenger Lightweight Eco-Washed French Terry Hooded Pullover

8871

J. America

Triblend Fleece Hooded Sweatshirt

1567

**Comfort Colors** 

Garment-Dyed Hooded Sweatshirt

IND4000

Independent

Heavyweight Hooded Sweatshirt

#### **Retail Crewneck**



Adidas

Fleece Crewneck Sweatshirt Champion

Powerblend® Crewneck Sweatshirt Champion

Reverse Weave® Crewneck Sweatshirt **Russell Athletic** 

Dri Power® Crewneck Sweatshirt CD400

Champion

Garment Dyed Crewneck Sweatshirt

#### **Retail Hoodies**















A432

Adidas

Fleece Hooded Sweatshirt

CD450

Champion

Garment Dyed Hooded Sweatshirt S101

Champion

Reverse Weave® Hooded Sweatshirt 695HBM

**Russell Athletic** 

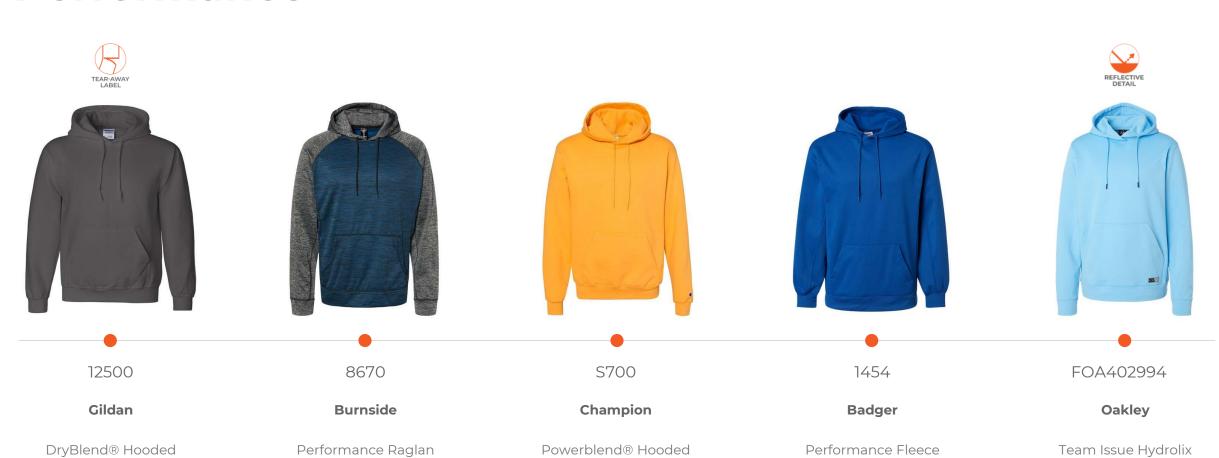
Dri Power® Hooded Sweatshirt FOA402994

Oakley

Team Issue Hydrolix Hooded Sweatshirt

#### **Performance**

Sweatshirt



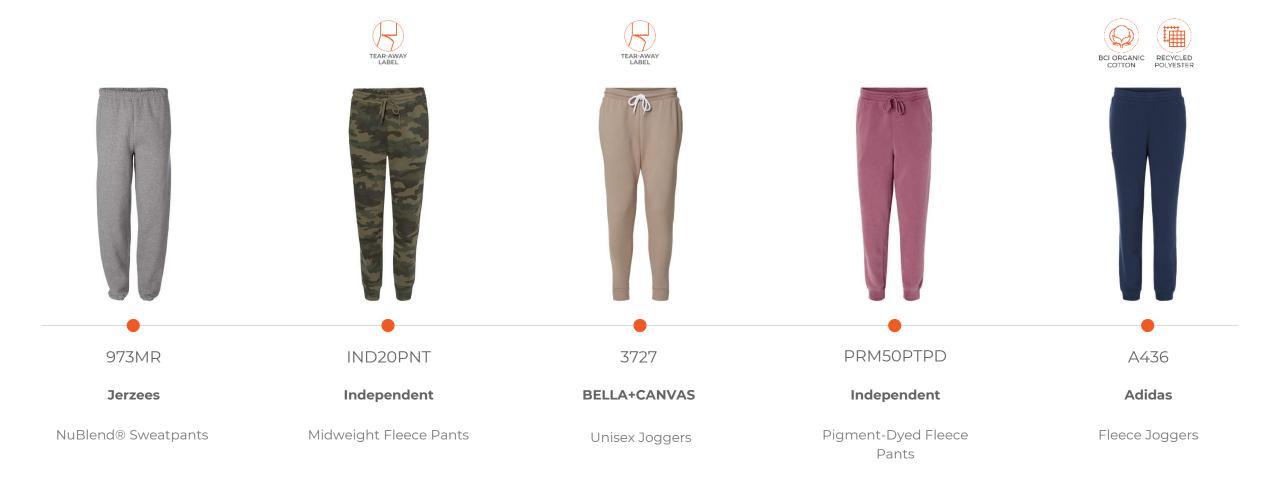
Sweatshirt

Hooded Sweatshirt

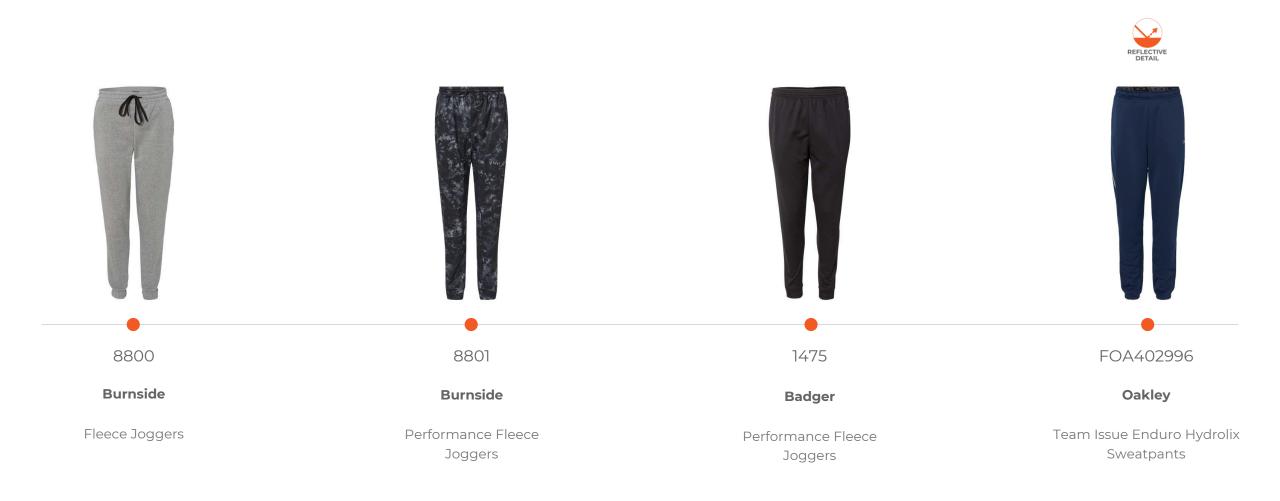
Pullover Sweatshirt

Hooded Sweatshirt

#### **Bottoms**



#### Performance Bottoms 100% Polyester



#### Shorts Unisex



















978MPR

Jerzees

Nublend® Fleece Shorts

8855

J. America

Triblend Fleece Shorts

IND20SRT

Independent

Midweight Fleece Shorts

PRM50STPD

Independent

Pigment-Dyed Fleece Shorts

1207

Badger

Athletic Fleece Shorts

RW26

#### Champion

Reverse Weave® Shorts

#### Shorts Ladies









PRM20SRT

Independent

Women's Lightweight California Wave Wash Sweatshorts K11

**Boxercraft** 

Women's Enzyme-Washed Rally Shorts 8856

J. America

Women's Fleece Shorts

#### **Blankets**













18900

Gildan

Heavy Blend Fleece Stadium Blanket 8710

**Alpine Fleece** 

Sweatshirt Blanket Throw

INDBKTSB

Independent

Special Blend Blanket

8852

J. America

Triblend Fleece Blanket

RW47

Champion

Reverse Weave® Stadium Blanket

### 100% Cotton Face Fleece













# 100% Cotton Facing Fleece

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Fleece has become a year-round purchase and many customers ask about the hassle-free 100% cotton face fleece options S&S Activewear has available. We currently offer seven different fabric weight options spread over seven brands - Alternative, Independent Trading Co, Tultex, LAT, BELLA CANVAS, Russell Athletic, and LAT.

S&S activewear offers the largest selection of tight-knit 100% cotton face yarn fleece. There are many advantages of printing on this type of fabrication which is why you see many of our brands offering it right now.

What makes rings-spun 100% cotton face fleece so unique? The solid colors have been specifically designed to have the most smooth and stable fabric surface for printing, especially for discharge inks and DTG. The lack of polyester removes the stress of worrying about dye migration that can occur with some 50/50 blended fleece that is offered.

Please note that 100% cotton face yarn is only available on the solid color options

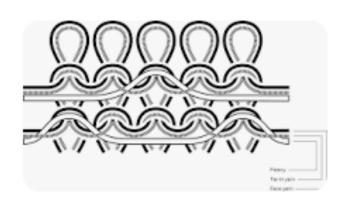
# Creating a 100% Cotton Face: Three-End Fleece vs. Two-End Fleece

Three-end fleece has a third tie yarn that creates a barrier between the front or "facing" of the fleece and the backing of the fleece. If a pullover hood, for example, has a blend of 80% cotton and 20% polyester and is a three-end, the facing of the garment is 100% cotton (for solid colors). While decorating a three-end pullover hood, the poly will not come through the facing of the garment. The third tie yarn protects it. Factories that produce three-end fleece need a special machine to weave this type of fabric.

Two-end fleece can also have a 100% cotton facing, but without the third tie yarn, the facing is not fully protected from the interior blend. Therefore, possible issues with poly come through the garment's facing. Two-end fleece tends to be a more price point fleece. Informing customers, especially printers, of this feature is beneficial so they can make necessary decorating adjustments. There have been issues with discharge on the two-end fleece, but most often is still a viable option.

Three-end fleece tends to be a loftier fleece that allows printers to decorate with ease and fewer issues, especially when using discharge. The third tie yarn fills the open areas that would typically gap on two-end yarn. Gaps not only allow poly in the blend to come through but can fill with ink. The extra layer of protection on three-end fleece ensures printing is only on the fleece surface versus the ink slipping into the gaps found on two-end fleece. In short, three-end fleece is excellent for discharge printing because it is only on a protected surface.

**Example:** Three-end fleece showing the barrier that the third tie yarn creates for the garment.



#### 6.5 oz Fleece

100% Cotton Face Yarn (Solid Color Options ONLY)













AFX64CRP

Independent Women's Lightweight Crop Hooded Sweatshirt

AFX4000

Independent Hooded Sweatshirt

AFX90UNZ

Independent Unisex Lightweight Full-Zip Hooded Sweatshirt

AFX4000Z

Independent Full-Zip Hooded Sweatshirt

9575ZT

Alternative Champ Lightweight Fco-Washed French Terry Pullover

9595ZT

Alternative Challenger Lightweight Eco-Washed French Terry Hooded Pullover

#### 7 oz Fleece

100% Cotton Face Yarn (DTG Color Options ONLY)



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#### **BELLA + CANVAS**

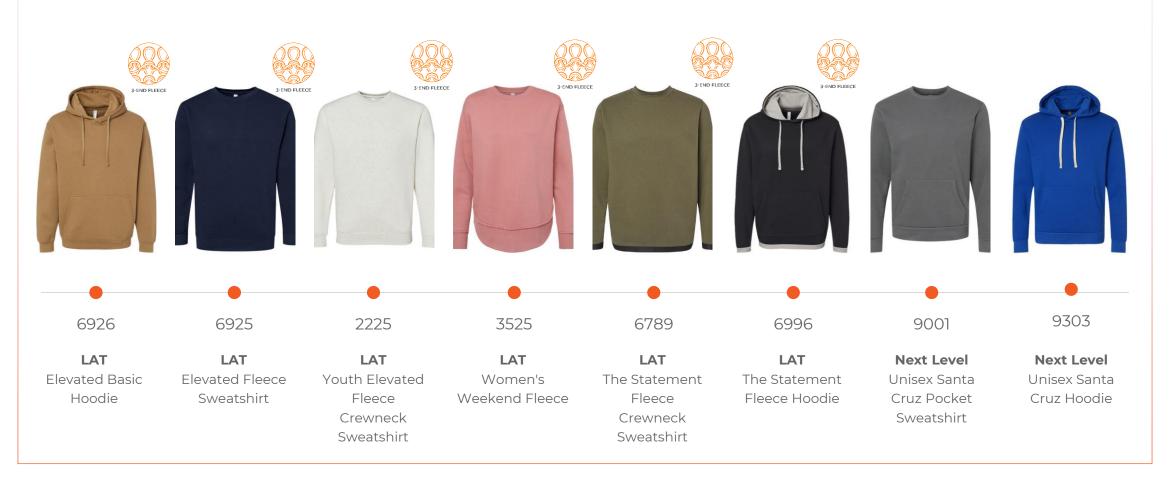
Unisex Sponge Fleece Hoodie

> DTG Black & DTG Dark Grey



#### 7.4 oz Fleece

100% Cotton Face Yarn (Solid Color Options ONLY)





#### 7.5 oz Fleece

100% Cotton Face Yarn (Solid Color Options ONLY)





320

**Tultex**Unisex Fleece Hooded
Sweatshirt

331

**Tultex**Unisex Full-Zip Hooded
Sweatshirt

340

**Tultex**Unisex Fleece Crewneck
Sweatshirt



#### 8.5 oz Fleece

100% Cotton Face Yarn (Solid Color Options ONLY)















SS3000

Independent
Midweight
Sweatshirt

SS4001Y

Independent
Youth Midweight
Hooded
Sweatshirt

SS4500

Independent
Midweight
Hooded
Sweatshirt

SS4001YZ

Independent
Youth Midweight
Full-Zip Hooded
Sweatshirt

SS4500Z

Independent
Midweight FullZip Hooded
Sweatshirt

82RNSM

**Russell Athletic**Cotton Rich
Fleece Crewneck

820NSM

Russell Athletic Cotton Rich Fleece Hooded Sweatshirt

#### 10 oz Fleece

100% Cotton Face Yarn (Solid Color Options ONLY)





IND4000

Independent Heavyweight Hooded Sweatshirt

IND4000Z

Independent Heavyweight Full-Zip Hooded Sweatshirt



#### 14 oz Fleece

100% Cotton Face Yarn (Solid Color Options ONLY)



EXP40SHZ

Independent
Sherpa-Lined Full-Zip
Hooded Sweatshirt

