VESTIS



User Guide

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User management

This section explains the procedures for adding, modifying and deleting users in Vestis.

Vestis allows different users to be registered simultaneously. This allows a family or a group of housemates to use a single application instance to hold all their clothes.

All clothes registered in Vestis must belong to one user. If a single piece of clothing is shared between more that one person, it will have to be added to each of the owning users separately.

User registration

User profiles can be added from the main page, by clicking on the Add button.

During registration, the following data is requested:

- Username: Must be between 1 and 24 characters long, and contain only letters, without numbers, spaces or symbols. Each user must have a unique name.
- Profile colour: This colour is used to decorate some element of the interface.
 It is purely visual and does not imply any colour preferences in regard to clothing combinations.
- Profile icon: This icon is used when displaying user profiles. It is purely visual and does not impose any limitations or functionality changes.

Clothing management

This section deals with the management of wardrobes for the users.

Once a user has logged in, they can manage their wardrobe. That is, add, edit and remove clothes owned by them.

Purchase date

One of the fields requested when adding new clothes is the purchase date, that comes in the form of season and year. This is used to calculate the age of a garment, and whether a replacement should be encouraged.

For the purposes of Vestis, each year is divided into four seasons, corresponding roughly to the quarters. For example, the year 2000 is divided like this:

Time span	Vestis season
January 2000 – March 2000	Winter 2000
April 2000 – June 2000	Spring 2000
July 2000 – September 2000	Summer 2000
October 2000 – December 2000	Autumn 2000

Thus, if the current season was Autumn 2000, a garment purchased on Spring 2000 would be considered 2 seasons old (and 0 years old). Conversely, another garment purchased on Autumn 1999 would be 4 seasons old (and 1 year old).