### Work packages

Research within TEMPO project is divided into seven scientific work packages (WPs) and one dissemination work package, i.e.:

- WP1: Material selection
- WP2: Mechanical
- functionalization
- WP3: Physical-mechanical properties
- WP4: Fabric aging
- WP5: Fabric comfort
- WP6: Models, algorithms and computer data processing
- WP7: Sportswear comfort
- WP8: Dissemination and knowledge transfer.

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#### **Project overview**

The demands of end users for the production of sportswear with improved performance are growing and thus the mission of scientists to design innovative materials is becoming imperative. Within the TEMPO project, scientists of various expertise (material design and evaluation of properties, clothing engineering, human factors and computer modeling) are gathered.

Their intention is to connect with each other and use different competencies to conduct research aimed at:

- design of innovative textile materials
- establishment of optimal properties
- long-lasting functionality
- design of personalized clothing
- all supported by adequate computer models.

For the purpose of mechanical functionalization of knitted structures, various patterns will be designed and manufactured.

Based on the evaluation of structural parameters, physicalmechanical and comfort properties, the optimization of structures will be carried out and models of machine learning algorithms will be developed.

Further emphasis will be on the development and validation of material aging protocols in different environments, research of material properties and definition of algorithms for predicting product functionality due to aging.

Thermography will be used to measure sportswear in a variety of environments and will serve as the basis for the design of personalized sportswear that will enhance the performance of athletes.