

**PRESS RELEASE****Detego releases practice-oriented guide for efficient omni-channel retailing**

London/ Graz, February 7th, 2017 — Detego, a market leader in real-time business intelligence for the fashion retail industry, is releasing its latest whitepaper, "Omni-Channel Fashion Retail", providing a checklist for the fundamentals of efficient omni-channel retailing. It is focused on how retailers can meet customers' expectations regarding omni-channel services such as "Availability Check" in stores, "Click & Collect", "Ship-from-Store", "Return-to-Store" and "Instore Ordering" in an efficient way in order to provide an optimum shopping experience across all channels.

With this practice-oriented guide, Detego responds to the request of many fashion retailers for specific recommendations and actions to take according to the different stages of omni-channel development the companies are currently operating on. In the implementation of omni-channel services, Detego distinguishes between four development stages: the orientation-, the start-, the expansion- and the stability-stage. At each stage, processes, systems and data accuracy are at different levels, which makes the realisation of omni-channel services in lower development stages more difficult.

"In practice, we constantly see that the right basis for omni-channel services is still missing. Therefore, it is not surprising that expectations of a consistent positive customer experience are simply not met. In order to reliably offer services like Click & Collect or Return-to-Store, complete article transparency in real-time across all channels is crucial, not to mention needing the appropriate processes, in-store technologies and involvement of the sales personnel as well," says Uwe Hennig, CEO at Detego. "We offer fashion retailers a free maturity check which helps identify the current stage of omni-channel development and provides recommendations for the next steps to take."

The publication is available in English and German language and can be downloaded for free on the Detego website <http://www.detego.com/en/insights/download-center.html>

## About Detego

Detego, a European retail software provider, was founded in 2011 and is headquartered in London, UK, with offices in Graz, Austria and sales representatives throughout Europe. The company develops and distributes a suite of software products that provide real-time analysis and article transparency which help prevent out-of-stock situations and ensure optimal product availability. The use of the Detego product portfolio supports the omni-channel and digital strategies of many fashion retailers, enabling them to actively manage stores while providing customers with a consistently good shopping experience across all channels. Detego's software is complimented by managed services and software-as-a-service (SaaS), along with attractive financing models. Detego's customers include international fashion brands, retailers and department stores. Detego is already being used in over 1,500 stores.

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