

# Contract for using the polar expedition jackets



As the operator of the Netherlands Polar Programme, NWO has taken the initiative of providing Dutch polar researchers with appropriate gear for fieldwork. The jackets serve a twofold goal: (1) to equip our researchers with comfort in the cold, and (2) to further the visibility of polar research. Use of the jackets is subject to the terms and conditions stipulated below.

## Conditions

### Definitions:

- a) The jacket: the inner puff and outer shell (with removable hood) that belong together and form one entity.

### 1. Property of the jacket.

- a) The jacket remains the property of NWO, unless explicitly agreed otherwise.
- b) The jacket are to be used for professional purposes, including but not limited to fieldwork, media coverage, presentations, site visits and other events.
- c) The secretariat of the Netherlands Polar Programme manages the stock and issuing on behalf of NWO.
- d) The user is responsible for the jacket between reception and return at the NPP.
- e) Use of the jacket is at your own risk. NWO does not assume liability for defects.
- f) No rights can be obtained from this offer.

### 2. Visibility of the jacket

- a) Users are expected to wear the jacket in moments of high visibility, especially in the media (e.g. television interviews, documentaries), both in the Netherlands and abroad. This gives a clear signal to the funding ministries of the Netherlands Polar Programme and enhances the general visibility and public awareness of (polar) research and science.
- b) Users should keep all logos and texts clear of obstructions. It is not allowed to obscure NWO, NPP and other imprinted/embroidered logos, flags and texts with other symbols or markings.
- c) Users should keep all logos and texts visible when appearing in the media<sup>1</sup>.
- d) Users are kindly requested to submit a link to the media item whenever appearing in the media.
- e) Users must provide the NPP with a few **high-resolution photos**<sup>2</sup> of the 'jacket in action' for each fieldwork campaign. Users give consent to NWO using these images in its communications.
- f) A name tag may be placed on the name tag spot. This is the user's own responsibility.

### 3. Return and damage

- a) The jacket must be returned after use, unless explicitly arranged otherwise.
- b) Please clear the jacket of larger contaminations before handing in the jacket.
- c) Please report any damage or excessive wear and tear. Especially if the waterproof shell is compromised. NWO will take care of proper cleaning.

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<sup>1</sup> Television crews will often ask to hide logos and names, as (public) television is not always allowed to feature commercial logos. This is NOT the case for these polar jackets, as NWO is a non-commercial semi-government organisation with a public task. The Ansilta company icon was moved to less visible areas for this reason. We kindly ask you to instruct television crews, as they may habitually avoid or blur all markings.

<sup>2</sup> Please provide both close-up pictures as well as general atmosphere pictures in a variety of settings: for example in polar landscapes, doing measurements, in a social setting with colleagues, etc. NWO will always try to include the name, occasion and location of the photo/grapher.

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## Signature

This contact needs be signed and submitted either digitally or in written form to the Netherlands Polar Programme at NWO.

**By signing this document I agree with the terms and conditions for the use of this jacket.**

**Model:**

- Female  
 Male

**Size:**

**Date:**

**Name:**

**Signature:**

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