

Environmental and chemicals management

For us sustainability means following long-term targets responsibly and reliably instead of focusing on short-term success. We seek to continuously optimise our products and the related production processes and to continuously improve our environmental performance by setting targets and monitoring environmental key indicators. Thus, we make a sustainable contribution to a better environment.

Setting up and implementing a holistic environmental management system is an integral part of securing the future of our company. Therefore we also expect an appropriate environmental management from our business partners.

The requirements on our suppliers include, in particular, a responsible chemicals management with processes to ensure compliance with the relevant legal regulations, in particular REACH, the Hazardous Substances Ordinance and occupational health and safety regulations, as well as the substitution of potentially hazardous chemicals and substances such as SVHC and brominated flame retardants.

In addition, an internal monitoring procedure for chemicals, but also for regulated substances in articles is to ensure that certain hazardous substances are not intentionally incorporated into products.

The requirements of the EU directive RoHS2 (2011/65/EU) have to be complied with for all relevant articles supplied to us. Moreover, we require that all products are free from REACH SVHC.