

ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY

The target of the BDT Group is set to keep negative environmental impacts of products, processes and business operations as low as possible and to reduce them continuously. Sustainable and environmental friendly acting within our complete business scope is what we want to achieve by:

/// Environmental Awareness

All employees are aware of their responsibility regarding environmental aspects within their scope of work. Our employees are frequently trained and motivated towards a responsible handling of the environment and natural resources.

/// Measurable Success

In our environmental program we have set ourselves the objective to reduce the locations' resource consumption within a predefined timeframe and percentage (base year: 2013). Further, individual objectives are in place in order to improve the direct and indirect environmental performance.

/// Legal Compliance

Legal compliance regarding environmental matters as well as the requirements of the ISO 14001 will be observed and implemented without exception.

/// Continuous Improvement

We regularly check the execution of our environmental policy as well as the adequacy of our objectives and goals defined in the environmental program. This leads to a continuous improvement of our environmental performance.

/// Indirect Environmental Performance

Suppliers are selected and evaluated by their environmental actions. Suppliers with a certified environmental management system are preferred.

/// Sustainable Development

Harmful environmental emissions and waste for disposal shall be reduced to a minimum over the whole product lifecycle - starting with the choice of materials via production and operation of the products up to their disposal.

/// Diversification

The reasons for our permanent efforts regarding the optimization of the resource and energy efficiency are twofold. On the one hand it is crucial for the successful protection of our environment and on the other hand it is brick for us and our customers' competitiveness in the market.